

Cabinet Meeting

21 October 2015

Time 5.00 pm **Public Meeting?** YES **Type of meeting** Executive

Venue Committee Room 3 - Civic Centre, St Peter's Square, Wolverhampton WV1 1SH

Membership

Chair Cllr Roger Lawrence (Lab)

Vice-chair Cllr Peter Bilson (Lab)

Labour

Cllr Claire Darke

Cllr Steve Evans

Cllr Val Gibson

Cllr Andrew Johnson

Cllr Elias Mattu

Cllr John Reynolds

Cllr Sandra Samuels

Cllr Paul Sweet

Quorum for this meeting is five Councillors.

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Agenda

Part 1 – items open to the press and public

<i>Item No.</i>	<i>Title</i>
13	Proposed new fostering fees and allowances scheme (Pages 3 - 4) [To approve proposals to change the fees and allowances structure]

Consent for a key decision to be made under Special Urgency provisions

The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

Date of notice: 21 October 2015
From: Dereck Francis
Democratic Support Officer

An intention to make the following key decision, which is to be considered by the Cabinet on 21 October 2015, was not publicised in advance as required by the Regulations.

Report title: Proposed New Fostering Fees and Allowances Scheme

Classification: PUBLIC

This decision is urgent and cannot be reasonably delayed for the following reasons:

The timetable for implementation of the proposals is the beginning of January 2016. Delaying the report would mean that the necessary work to meet the agreed timetable would not be completed on time.

Foster Carer's have been consulted on the proposals and the proposal has also been considered by scrutiny.

In light of the information detailed above, we hereby confirm that this decision is urgent and cannot be reasonably delayed and consent to the decision being made by the Executive.

Signed: _____

Councillor Stephen Simkins
Chair of Scrutiny Board

Signed: _____

Councillor Barry Findlay
Vice-chair of Scrutiny Board

Date: _____

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The approved consent must be returned to the appropriate democratic support officer as soon as possible.

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