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CITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON COUNCIL	Corporate Parenting Board 7 July 2022		
Report title	Supported Accommodation Annual Report 2021 - 2022		
Cabinet member with lead responsibility	Councillor Beverley Momenabadi Children and Young People		
Wards affected	All wards		
Accountable director	Emma Bennett, Executive Director of Families		
Originating service	Children and Young People in Care		
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Report has been considered by	Children's Senior Leadership Team 09 June 2022		09 June 2022

Recommendation for action:

The Corporate Parenting Board is recommended to:

1. Receive the Supported Accommodation Annual Report.

1.0 Purpose

1.1 The purpose of this report is to present for review the outline of the support provided to Wolverhampton Care Leavers by The Supported Accommodation Team across the 2021 - 2022 year.

2.0 Background

- 2.1 This is the first annual report of the Supported Accommodation Team, which is situated within the Children and Young People in Care Service. Since 2015, the service has been offering accommodation to young people in care and leaving care via it's well-established Housing Support Service. It has been operating as a multi-disciplinary team since 2019, with the introduction of the Wolverhampton House Project, then an internal Supported Lodgings Service in 2020 and the final addition of the Mentoring Service in April 2021. The focus of the team is to provide a high level of efficient and effective accommodation and support options to young people in care and leaving care.
- 2.2 The report will highlight the successes and outcomes achieved by the service, also explain the challenges we have faced, our lessons learned and our plan to develop and improve our offer to the young people of Wolverhampton.
- 2.3 The report provides details of the performance and progress of the Supported Accommodation Team (Section 7.0) across the 2021-2022 year.

3.0 Financial implications

3.1 There are no financial implications for this report. [JG/07072022/A]

4.0 Legal implications

4.1 There are no legal implications for this report [SB/24062022/E]

5.0 Equalities implications

- 5.1 There are no equalities implications for this report.
- 6.0 All other Implications
- 6.1 There are no other implications for this report.

7.0 Appendices

7.1 Appendix 1: Supported Accommodation Annual Report 2021 - 2022.