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CITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON C O U N C I L

# Meeting of the City Council

20 July 2022

Report title Inspection of Local Authority Children's

Services, City of Wolverhampton Council

Referring body Cabinet – 15 June 2022

**Councillor to present** 

report

Councillor Beverley Momenabadi

Wards affected All Wards

**Cabinet Member with lead** 

responsibility

Councillor Beverley Momenabadi

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Report to be/has been

considered by

Executive Team 23 May 2022

Strategic Executive Board 18 May 2022

#### Recommendation for decision:

The Council is recommended to:

1. That the 'Good' overall judgement from the recent Ofsted Inspection of Children's Services be celebrated and our continued excellent position in the West Midlands and the country be noted.

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#### 1.0 Purpose

1.1 To provide an update on the outcome of the recent Ofsted Inspection of Children Services and details actions required for improvements.

### 2.0 Background

- 2.1 On 15 June 2022 Cabinet considered a report on Inspection of Local Authority Children's Services, City of Wolverhampton Council.
- 2.2 Copies of the report have been supplied to Councillors and can also be accessed online on the Council's website <a href="here.">here.</a>
- 2.3 Cabinet recommended that:
  - That the 'Good' overall judgement from the recent Ofsted Inspection of Children's Services be celebrated and our continued excellent position in the West Midlands and the country be noted.

#### 3.0 Financial implications

3.1 The financial implications are detailed in the Cabinet report of 15 June 2022.

#### 4.0 Legal implications

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#### 5.0 Equalities implications

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#### 6.0 All other implications

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#### 7.0 Schedule of background papers

7.1 Cabinet report of 15 June 2022 – <u>Inspection of Local Authority Children's Services, City of Wolverhampton Council.</u>