



City of Westminster

Committee Agenda

Title: **Children, Environment and Leisure Policy and Scrutiny Committee**

Meeting Date: **Monday 18th September, 2017**

Time: **7.00 pm**

Venue: **Room 3.1, 3rd Floor, 5 Strand, London, WC2 5HR**

Members:

Councillors:

Andrew Smith (Chairman)
Rita Begum
Iain Bott
Melvyn Caplan
Peter Cuthbertson
Nick Evans
Aicha Less
Robert Rigby

Elected voting representatives

Aki Turan, Parent Governor
Annie Ee, Parent Governor

Co-opted Voting Representatives

Brenda Morrison, Church of England
Diocese Representative
Vacant, Roman Catholic Diocesan Board
Representative

Co-opted Non-voting Representatives

Eugene Moriarty, Headteacher,
St Augustine's High School
Ann Townshend, Headteacher, St
Barnabas Primary School



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AGENDA

PART 1 (IN PUBLIC)

1. MEMBERSHIP

The Director of Law to report that Councillor Gotz Mohindra was substituting for Councillor Robert Rigby.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interest by Members and Officers of any personal or prejudicial interests.

3. MINUTES

To agree the minutes of the meetings held on 21 June 2017.

(Pages 1 - 6)

4. TRACKERS AND WORK PROGRAMME

a) To note the progress in implementing the Committee's Recommendation and Action Trackers.

b) To provide comment and input into the Work Programme for 2017/18.

(Pages 7 - 16)

5. CABINET MEMBER FOR ENVIRONMENT, SPORTS AND COMMUNITY

Councillor David Harvey (Cabinet Member for Environment, Sports and Community) to update the Committee on current and forthcoming issues in his Portfolio.

(Pages 17 - 24)

6. CABINET MEMBER FOR CHILDREN, FAMILIES, YOUNG PEOPLE

Councillor Richard Holloway (Cabinet Member for Children, Families, Young People) to update the Committee on current and forthcoming issues in his Portfolio.

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**7. VOLUNTARY & COMMUNITY SECTOR SUPPORT -
RECOMMISSIONING OF THE SERVICE AND WIDER
STRATEGIC CONTEXT**

(Pages 33 - 68)

To review and contribute to the draft Voluntary and Community Sector Strategy and the relet of the Voluntary and Community Sector support contract.

**8. OPEN SPACES AND BIODIVERSITY STRATEGY: DRAFT
FOR PUBLIC CONSULTATION**

**(Pages 69 -
110)**

To review and input into the draft strategy.

9. REPORTS OF ANY URGENT SAFEGUARDING ISSUES

Verbal Update (if any)

**10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS
URGENT**

**Charlie Parker
Chief Executive
8 September 2017**