

EXECUTIVE DECISION RECORD

6 JULY 2023

EDUCATION, SKILLS & WELLBEING CABINET BOARD

Cabinet Members:

Councillors: J.Hurley (Chair), N.Jenkins and C.Phillips

Officers in Attendance:

C.Millis, H.Lervy, Angeline-Spooner Cleverly, K.Jones, K.Windsor-Brown, I. Guy, S.McCluskie, A.Thomas, P. Chivers and T.Rees.

1. **APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRPERSON**

It was agreed that Cllr. J Hurley be Chairperson of the meeting. The decision was proposed by Cllr. N. Jenkins and seconded by Cllr. C. Phillips.

2. **CHAIRPERSONS ANNOUNCEMENT/S**

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting.

3. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

No declarations of interest were received.

4. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

That the minutes of the previous Education, Skills and Wellbeing Cabinet Board, held on the 25th May 2023, be approved as a correct and accurate account.

5. **FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME 2022/23**

That the Education, Skills and Wellbeing Cabinet Board Forward Work Programme 2022/2023 be noted.

6. **PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**

There were no questions received.

7. **EMPLOYABILITY HUB IN ABERAVON SHOPPING CENTRE**

Decision:

That having due regard to the report and the circulated appendix, members approve and support.

1. The lease extension for the NPT Opportunity Hub at Aberavon Shopping Centre by a further 12 months.
2. The costs funded from the Welsh Government Communities for Work Plus budget.

Reason for Decision:

To provide local employability and wellbeing support for the community of Port Talbot.

Implementation of Decision:

The decision is to be implemented following the three day call in period, which ended at 9.00am on Monday 10th July 2023.

Consultation:

There was no external consultation required.

8. **SCHOOL TERMS AND HOLIDAY DATES**

Decision:

That having due regard to the report, and circulated appendix, members approve.

1. Submission to Welsh Ministers for the proposed school term dates for the academic year 2025/2026.
2. Compliance of submission by the last working day August 2023.
3. Compliance to statutory duties imposed by Welsh Ministers.

Reason for Decision:

To determine school terms and holiday dates for community and maintained special schools for the academic year 2025/2026.

To enable the authority to meet its statutory duties.

Implementation of Decision:

The decision is to be implemented following the three-day call-in period, which ended at 9.00am on Monday 10th July 2023.

Consultation:

Consultation took place with an outcome of no adverse comments received.

9. **QUARTER 4 PERFORMANCE INDICATORS**

Decision:

That having due regard to the circulated report and appendices, the report be noted for monitoring.

10. **URGENT ITEMS**

There were none.

CHAIRPERSON