

Report of: Shaid Mahmood, West North West Area Leader

Report to: Outer North West Community Committee

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To note

Title: Outer North West Community Committee Topic Engagement with Children and Young People

Purpose of report

1. This report sets out the progress of the Children's Services and Family Health sub group in arranging an engagement event for the children and young people of the outer north-west.
2. It seeks to inform the Community Committee of the event and provide some background information.

Main issues

3. The Outer North West Community Committee asked the Children's Services and Family Health sub group to decide on a topic for the January meeting. The sub group decided that engagement with children and young people could be improved with low participation in the Youth Engagement Panel.
4. Discussions with the Clusters took place and a joint event was agreed with the Clusters arranging a training session on Cluster Councils for the young people with the Voice and Influence Team in the morning of the 30th January 2015. This would be followed by an engagement event focusing on young peoples' perception of local Councillors and the work that they do and then a workshop on the Youth Activity Fund.

Recommendations

5. The Outer North West Community Committee is recommended to note the contents of the topic report and the engagement event with children and young people from the outer north-west on the 30th January 2015 at Trinity University

Background information

- Topic report attached