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Report of the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

Scrutiny Board (Environment and Neighbourhoods) Gypsy & Traveller Working Group

Date: 29th November 2010

Subject: Any Other Business – Inquiry on Gypsy and Traveller Site Provision Within Leeds

Electoral Wards Affected: All	Specific Implications For:
	Equality and Diversity X
	Community Cohesion
Ward Members consulted (referred to in report)	Narrowing the Gap

1.0 Information Requested Previously by the Working Group

- 1.1 The following information and papers have been received for consideration at today's meeting under agenda item 4:
 - (a) Gypsy Roma Traveller data of pupils in school provided by the Manager of the Gypsy Roma Traveller Achievement Service.
 - (b) National Association of Teachers and Travellers and other Professions (NATT) final report and impact study 2009/10 provided by the Director of Equality and Entitlement, Education Leeds.
 - (c) Legal Costs provided by the Head of Community Services & Litigation.
 - (d) Consultation response on implementing the Mobile Homes Act 1983 on local Authority gypsy and traveller sites provided by the Head of Community Services & Litigation.
 - (e) Improving the outcome for Gypsy Roma and Traveller pupils and the research brief provided by the Head of Community Services & Litigation.
 - (f) Proposals to reorganise Cottingley Springs to reduce pitch size provided by the Head of Community Services & Litigation.
 - (g) Manchester City Council V Pinnock provided by the Head of Community Services & Litigation.

2.0 Recommendations

2.1 Members of the Working Group are asked to consider and comment on the further information which has been provided.

Background Papers - None used