

## **BRACKNELL FOREST COUNCIL**

### **LOCAL AUTHORITIES (EXECUTIVE ARRANGEMENTS) (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) (ENGLAND) REGULATIONS 2012**

#### **NOTICE OF KEY DECISION**

Notice is hereby given that the Executive Member for Children and Young People is to be asked to make a key decision on 12 August 2024 in respect of the following:

**TITLE:** Award Decision for the Children's Residential Care Framework 2024

**SERVICE AREA:** People

#### **PURPOSE OF DECISION:**

Recommendation to approve the award of the Children's Residential Care Framework 2024 for a term of 4 years (with a further 4 optional extension years) from 1st October 2024 to 30th September 2028. The current Children's Residential Care Contract expires on the 30th September 2024. Bracknell Forest Council has been a partner in the current Children's Residential Care Framework with 20 other local authorities and will continue in the same partnership. The procurement and contract management of the Framework will be led by Southampton City Council.

**ISSUE REFERENCE:** I121752

The Executive Member for Children and Young People will be considering a report prepared by or on behalf of the Executive Director: People. A copy of the report and any other documents will be available for inspection on the Council's web site or at Time Square, Market Street, Bracknell, RG12 1JD (when the offices are open).

Further information can be obtained from Grainne Siggins, Executive Director People, [grainne.siggins@bracknell-forest.gov.uk](mailto:grainne.siggins@bracknell-forest.gov.uk).

**NB:** The report together with any other documents being considered (unless they contain exempt information) will be available for inspection 5 clear days before the decision is taken by the Executive Member for Children and Young People in Democratic Services, Time Square, Market Street, Bracknell, RG12 1JD or on the Council's web site. Copies may be requested from Democratic Services, but a fee will be payable.

**DATE OF NOTICE:** 17 May 2024