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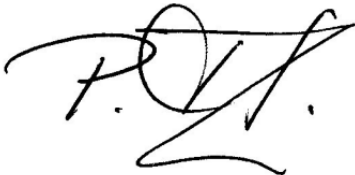
Dear Member

Dudley Schools Forum – Tuesday 29th April, 2014

You are requested to attend a meeting of the Dudley Schools Forum, which will be held at Saltwells Education Development Centre, Bowling Green Road, Netherton, Dudley, DY2 9LY on Tuesday 29th April, 2014 at 6.00 pm, to consider the business set out in the Agenda below.

Light refreshments will be available from 5.30 pm.

Yours sincerely



Director of Corporate Resources

Distribution:-

All Members of the Dudley Schools Forum, namely:-

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| Mr Bate | Mrs Belcher | Mr Conway | Mr Dallaway | Mr Derham |
| Mrs Garratt | Mr Harris | Mrs Hannaway | Mr B Jones | Mrs N Jones |
| Mr Kelleher | Mr Kirk | Mr Nesbitt | Mr Patterson | Mr Platford |
| Mrs Quigley | Mr Ridney | Ms P Rogers | Mrs Ruffles | Mr Shaw |
| Mr Ward | Mr Warren | Mr Weaver | Mrs Withers | Mrs Wylie |

c.c - Councillor Crumpton – Cabinet Member for Integrated Children’s Services;
Councillor Marrey – Chair of the Children’s Services Scrutiny Committee;
Pauline Sharratt – Interim Director of Children’s Services;
Huw Powell/Trish Brittain – Acting Assistant Director of Children’s Services;
Ian McGuff – Assistant Director of Children’s Services;
Karen Cocker – Children’s Services Finance Manager, Directorate of
Corporate Resources;
Sue Coates – Principal Accountant, Directorate of Corporate Resources.

AGENDA

1. INTRODUCTIONS BY THE CHAIR

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

3. APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

To report the appointment of any substitutes for this meeting of the Forum.

4. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the meeting of the Forum held on 18th March, 2014 (attached).

5. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

Any other matters arising from the Minutes of the meeting of the Forum held on 18th March, 2014 not included on the agenda for this meeting.

6. DEDICATED SCHOOLS GRANT PLANNING PROCESS 2014/15 – FINAL UPDATE (PAGES 1 - 4)

To consider the report of the Interim Director of Children's Services.

7. FAIRER SCHOOLS FUNDING IN 2015/16 CONSULTATION (PAGES 5 – 43)

To consider the report of the Interim Director of Children's Services.

8. DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS

3rd June, 2014

Saltwells EDC, Bowling Green
Road, Netherton, DY2 4LY

8th July, 2014

Saltwells EDC, Bowling Green
Road, Netherton, DY2 4LY