# **CHESHIRE EAST COUNCIL**

# **Children and Families Scrutiny Committee**

Date of Meeting: Report of: Subject/Title:	13 March 2012 Barbara Dale, School Admissions and Organisation Manager Determination of Local Authority Coordinated Scheme and Admission Arrangements.
Portfolio Holder:	Councillor Hilda Gaddum, Cabinet Member for Children and Families

#### 1.0 Report Summary

1.1 The attached Decision Paper reports on the outcome of the statutory consultation undertaken during the Spring Term 2012 on the Local Authority's proposed admissions arrangements and coordinated admission scheme for 2013 and seeks Cabinet approval to determine these arrangements, which must be completed by 15 April 2012, in accordance with legal requirements.

#### 2.0 Recommendation

2.1 That Members of the Scrutiny Committee consider the attached report and its appendices and offer any advice to officers regarding the proposed changes and procedures implemented.

### 3.0 Reasons for Recommendations

3.1 The final report will be presented to the Council's Cabinet on 2 April.

#### 4.0 Wards Affected

- 4.1 All wards
- 5.0 Local Ward Members
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- 6.0 Policy Implications Carbon reduction

- Health

- 6.1 None
- 7.0 Financial Implications (Authorised by the Director of Finance and Business Services)
- 7.1 The costs of School Admissions are charged to the Dedicated Schools Grant within the element for central expenditure.

# 8.0 Legal Implications (Authorised by the Borough Solicitor)

8.1 Details are included in the attached Report to Cabinet

#### 9.0 Risk Management

9.1 Details are included in the attached Report to Cabinet

#### **10.0 Background and Options**

10.1 Details are included in the attached Report to Cabinet

## 11.0 Access to Information

The background papers relating to this report can be inspected by contacting the report writer:

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Background information includes:

- School Admissions Code 1 Feb 2012
- The School Admissions (Admission Arrangements and Coordination of Admission Arrangements) (England) Regulations 2012 (reg2)