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CF/20/23-24	13/11/2023	Speech and Language Therapy	The Paediatric Speech and Language service (SALT) – The Council has a duty to provide speech, language and communication (SLCN) services to children under the Children's and Families Act 2014 Part 3. This is for children with a EHCP Part F (Education), but also with a need for early identification, prevention and support. The service pathways are linked to the health provision including access to health clinics and a need for service continuity within education and community settings. The Council needs to review and recommission this service, preferably in-conjunction with our health partners to provide a service that will be fit for the future and that rises to the increasing demands for better identification of children's needs within the community.	SMITH, Liz	Yes	Yes	Fair	Yes	No
CF/31/22-23	13/11/2023	School Catering Review Outcomes	To consider the options appraisal for school catering	WILLIAMSON, Claire	No	Yes	Open;#Fair	No	Yes
CF/29/22-23	13/11/2023	Update report on progress against the Mental Health Spotlight Review	To receive an update on progress against the Mental Health Spotlight Review	WILLIAMSON, Claire	No	No	Fair	Yes	No
CF/57/22-23	13/11/2023	Development of Family Hubs Update Report	To provide Children and Families Committee with an update on the development of family hubs in Cheshire East, review progress of the transformation so far, and next steps.	WILLIAMSON, Claire	No	No	Fair	Yes	No
AH/24/2022-23 & CF/41/22-23	13/11/2023	Cheshire East Place - Learning Disability and Mental Health Plans	The recommendations will be to approved the co-production of the Cheshire East Place -	BROUGH, Shelley	Yes	Yes	Fair	Yes	No

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			Mental Health Plan and Cheshire East Place - Learning Disabilities Plan						
CF/13/23-24	13/11/2023	Second Financial Review of 2023/24 (Children & Families Committee)	This report outlines how the Council is managing resources to provide value for money services during the 2023/24 financial year. The purpose of the report is to note and comment on the Second Financial Review and Performance position of 2023/24 and approve Supplementary Estimates and Virements.	THOMPSON, Alex	No	No	Open	Yes	No
CF/09/23-24	13/11/2023	Medium Term Financial Strategy Consultation 2024/25 - 2027/28 (Children & Families Committee)	All Committees were being asked to provide feedback in relation to their financial responsibilities as identified within the Constitution and linked to the budget alignment approved by the Finance Sub-Committee in March 2023. Responses to the consultation would be reported to the Corporate Policy Committee to support that Committee in making recommendations to Council on changes to the current financial strategy.	THOMPSON, Alex	Yes	No	Open	Yes	No
CF/16/23-24	13/11/2023	Children's Services Improvement Plan	To update committee on our preparation for inspection, our current improvement plan in response to previous inspection findings, and the findings from our self-evaluation.	BIRTLES, Kerry	N/A	No	Fair	No	No
CF/24/23-24	13/11/2023	Capital programme build update	TBC	BAYLEY, Mark	TBC	TBC	Fair	TBC	TBC
CF/30/23-24	13/11/2023	Unregulated/unregistered children's home arrangements	Scrutiny around regulation of children's home arrangements	BIRTLES, Kerry	No	No	Fair;#Open	No	No

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CF/35/23-24	13/11/2023	Basford East New Primary School Postponement to Scheme	The purpose of the report is to request a postponement to the scheme and explain the reasons for the delay.	PROPHET, Joanne	Yes	Yes	Open	No	Yes
	13/11/2023	Basford East New school, delay to opening	To update committee regarding the delay to opening the new Basford East Primary Free School.	WILLIAMSON, Claire	TBC	Yes	Open	No	No
CF/34/23-24	11/12/2023	SENIF policy with consultation	Change allocation of funding from an hourly rate to a banding formula aligning with reforms to EHCP funding.	HOLDCROFT, Danielle	Yes	Yes	Fair;#Open	No	No
AH/22/2023-24 & CF/18/23-24	15/01/2024	Substance Misuse Recommission	To be confirmed	BROUGH, Shelley	Yes	Yes	Fair	No	No
CF/19/23-24	15/01/2024	Children and Families Scorecard Q2	To ensure the Committee has oversight of Children and Families performance	HARDING, Bev	No	No	Open	No	No
CF/08/23-24	15/01/2024	Third Financial Review of 2023/24 (Children & Families Committee)	This report outlines how the Council is managing resources to provide value for money services during the 2023/24 financial year. The purpose of the report is to note and comment on the Third Financial Review and Performance position of 2023/24 and approve Supplementary Estimates and Virements.	THOMPSON, Alex	No	No	Open	Yes	No
CF/10/23-24	15/01/2024	Medium Term Financial Strategy Consultation 2024/25 - 2027/28 Provisional Settlement Update (Children & Families Committee)	All Committees were being asked to provide feedback in relation to their financial responsibilities as identified within the Constitution and linked to the budget alignment approved by the Finance Sub-Committee in March 2023. Responses to the consultation would be reported to the Corporate Policy Committee to support that Committee in making recommendations to	THOMPSON, Alex	Yes	No	Open	Yes	No

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			Council on changes to the current financial strategy.						
CF/29/23-24	15/01/2024	Cheshire East Sufficiency Strategy for Cared for Children 2024-25	<p>The Statutory Guidance for Sufficiency (s22 of the Children Act, 1989) sets out a requirement for Local Authorities to work with key partners to be in a position to secure, where reasonably practicable, sufficient accommodation for children in care in their local authority area which meets the needs of children and whose circumstances are such that it would be consistent with their welfare for them to be provided with accommodation that is in the local authority's area ('the sufficiency duty').</p> <p>The sufficiency duty requires local authorities to do more than simply ensure that accommodation be 'sufficient' in terms of the number of beds provided. They must also have a regard to the benefits of securing a number of providers and a range of services. Fundamentally, the accommodation available must meet the needs of children cared for by Cheshire East Council.</p> <p>This updated Strategy details</p>	BAGGALEY, Martyn	Yes	No	Fair	No	No

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			current needs across the Borough, documents progress made to deliver the plans within the current (2021-2023) Strategy and our plans to meet emergent needs in 2024-25 and beyond.						
AH/23/2022-23 & CF/33/23-24	12/02/2024	Supported Employment Strategy and Implementation Plan	This report sets out the recommendations for a strategic approach to supported employment. This is about adult social care customers with complex needs and support into work	BROUGH, Shelley	Yes	Yes	Open;#Fair;#Green	Yes	No
CF/36/23-24	12/02/2024	Dedicated Schools Grant 2024/25 including schools and early years funding formula	To approve the planned use of the different elements of the Dedicated Schools Grant for 2024/25 in terms of schools, high needs, early years and central blocks. To include specific approval of the schools funding formula	WILLIAMSON, Claire	Yes	No	Open	Yes	No

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CF/01/24-25	03/06/2024	Service Budgets 2024/25 (Children & Families Committee)	The purpose of this report is to set out the allocation of approved budgets for 2024/25 for services under the Committee's remit, as determined by Finance Sub Committee	THOMPSON, Alex	No	No	Open	Yes	No