



Report to Children, Young People & Family Support Scrutiny & Policy Development Committee Thursday 19th November 2020

Report of: Policy and Improvement Officer

Subject: Sheffield Youth Cabinet – Impact of Covid-19 Pandemic on Young People in Sheffield

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This item is members of Sheffield Youth Cabinet presenting key areas and issues of concern for them as the Covid-19 pandemic impacts on their lives. There is a brief report *Sheffield Youth Cabinet – Scrutiny Preparation Paper* that outlines the key areas they feel are of most importance, and areas for recommendations.

In early 2020 this Committee made recommendations to Cabinet on *Voice and Involvement of Young People in Scrutiny*, included recommendations are share Scrutiny Work Programme on a regular basis with Youth Cabinet so that they can engage in issues of interest; and Youth Cabinet be invited to scrutiny meetings on a regular basis. Covid-19 has disrupted usual scrutiny meeting and work programming arrangements, this item today is an opportunity to establish the good practice the Committee recommended last year.

Type of item: The report author should tick the appropriate box

Reviewing of existing policy	
Informing the development of new policy	
Performance / budget monitoring report	
Cabinet request for scrutiny	
Full Council request for scrutiny	
Call-in of Cabinet decision	
Other	X

The Scrutiny Committee is being asked to:

- Consider the information presented by Youth Cabinet on the impact of Covid-19 pandemic, including their recommendations.
- Determine if there is an area of interest for this Committee to delve into through the Committee's work programme activity.

Background Papers: Voice and Involvement of Young People in Scrutiny – see [Cabinet 18 March 2020](#)

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