



CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

REPORT 08/25

10 FEBRUARY 2025

The purpose of this Report is to ask Members to adopt the new Child Protection and Vulnerable Adults Policy.

NO. DETAIL

1) BACKGROUND

a) At the Policy and Resources Committee of 18th December 2024, it was agreed to approve the replacement of the current Adult Safeguarding Policy and Safeguarding Young People Policy with the Child Protection and Vulnerable Adults Policy, and refer the Child Protection and Vulnerable Adults Policy to the Town Council for adoption.

b) Under the Terms of Reference for the Policy and Resources Committee, one of the roles and responsibilities of the committee is:

To draft, review, monitor and revise Policies regarding Councillors (including the Code of Conduct and Standing Orders) to be recommended to the Town Council for decision.

This Policy involves Councillors and, therefore, falls within this category.

2) RECOMMENDATION

Members are recommended to:

Agree to the adoption of the Child Protection and Vulnerable Adults Policy.
