



## Scrutiny (Community & Regeneration) Committee

Wednesday 18 January 2017 at 6.00pm

### Key Questions for Youth Services

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#### Budget

- Q1. What is total KCC youth services budget for DDC district under the new contracts for the next financial year for KCC directly provided youth services and the commissioned ones?
- Q2. What change is this on the previous year?
- Q3. How is this budget split between Dover, Deal, Sandwich, Aylesham, and other rural locations?
- Q4. How can Kent County Council justify a cut of about a third in Aylesham when the population is set to increase by around 2400 people with the new 1200 houses development?

#### Youth Services

- Q5. What youth services are being provided in the Dover District?

As part of answering the question, please could the programme of weekly youth activities (both Kent County Council and commissioned services) in the Dover area be provided to the Committee.

- Q6. What services are being provided in Elvington, Eythorne and Shepherdswell?
- Q7. Please could you provide details on the "outreach services" provided?
- Q8. Can information be provided on the youth forum
- Q9. What is the staffing situation of commissioned service Pie Factory now they have taken on the Dover services?

#### Service Performance Monitoring

- Q10. What are the criteria used to measure effectiveness of contractor services?
- Q11. Are these criteria and the performance results available to the public?
- Q12. Have there been measurable effects on young peoples' well-being, qualifications attainment, crime/anti-social behaviour figures of the cuts in youth provision over the past few years?
- Q13. Do the Youth Workers have proper forms of contract, or are they on Zero Hours?