

# **All Party Parliamentary Group for Looked After Children and Care Leavers**

Chair: Steve McCabe MP

## **Minutes of the 2016 AGM of the All Party Parliamentary Group for Looked After Children and Care Leavers on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2016.**

Committee Room 20, Palace of Westminster

**Present: Steve McCabe MP**, Bill Esterson MP, the Earl of Listowel, Emma Lewell-Buck MP, Kate Hollern MP, David Amess MP, Kit Malthouse MP, Chloë Cockett, The Who Cares? Trust (minutes), Emily Michelis, The Who Cares? Trust, Felix Mann, office of Steve McCabe MP.

Apologies: Tim Loughton MP, Louise Haigh MP

### **1. Election of Officers**

1.1. The following officers were elected:

- Steve McCabe MP as chair of the group
- The Earl of Listowel as co-vice chair of the group
- Tim Loughton MP as co-vice chair of the group
- Louise Haigh MP as secretary of the group
- Bill Esterson MP as officer of the group

2. All the officers were elected unanimously. Bill Esterson congratulated Steve on his appointment, and thanked The Who Cares? Trust for their support as secretariat during his time as chair of the group.

Action: CC to complete registration form, sign and submit the form.

### **3. Future work programme (to July 2017)**

- 3.1. Paper 1, suggested aims and themes for the work of the APPG was agreed.
- 3.2. Francis Listowel suggested holding a meeting on the Narey Review and staying close. Kit Malthouse suggested holding a meeting on virtual school head teachers.

### **4. Finances**

- 4.1. Paper 2, the budget spreadsheet and the Income and Expenditure spreadsheet was agreed and signed by the chair.

### **5. AOB**

5.1. Chloë said that The Who Cares? Trust would be rebranded in November, and a name change would happen. The Trust would take care of ensuring that the details were correct regarding the secretariat, but she wanted to ensure that officers and members of the group were aware in advance of the changes.

The meeting was closed.