

West Sussex County Council

Proposed Executive Decision for **5 February 2020** call-in deadline **5 p.m. on 14 February 2020**

The following proposed decision has been endorsed by the Cabinet Member and will come into effect at the end of the call-in period unless the call-in procedure is activated.

Decision Title & Ref No:	Alteration to the process for nominating school governors - ES10 (19/20)
Cabinet Member responsible for Decision	Mr Jupp - Cabinet Member for Education and Skills
West Sussex Plan priority	Best Start in Life
Electoral Divisions	All Divisions
Key Decision	No
Purpose	<p>The function of the nomination of school governors to maintained schools and academies is delegated to County Local Committees (CLCs). CLCs are the means by which the County Council involves local residents in decision making in their local area.</p> <p>It is within the remit of the CLCs to identify and nominate suitable persons to serve as school governors on behalf of the County Council within the CLCs area.</p> <p>A recent review of CLCs concluded that, as there is no statutory requirement for the nomination of school governors to be approved by members, this function should instead be delegated to the Director of Education and Skills, in liaison with the local Member.</p>
Decision	The Cabinet Member for Education and Skills has approved the delegation of the nomination of school governors to the Director of Education and Skills, in liaison with the relevant local Member.
Interest and nature of interest declared	None
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Background Papers	See report for details