**Children, Young People and Education Committee**

**Inquiry into Youth Work: Consultation**

**Your contact details**

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| Name: |  |
| Are you responding as an individual or on behalf of an organisation? |  |
| Organisation (and role if applicable): |  |
| Telephone/Mobile number: |  |
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| Would you like to be added to the Committee’s contacts database for future inquiries? |  |

**Availability for oral evidence sessions**

The Committee has provisionally agreed to hold oral evidence sessions on the dates below. **Please note that the Committee has limited time available and will not be able to invite all those who indicate an interest to attend.**

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| Would you be content to attend a Committee meeting to give oral evidence? | ***Yes*** | ***No*** |
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| ***Date*** | ***Availability*** |
| Wednesday 28 September (9.30 – 12.00) |  |
| Thursday 6 October (9.30 – 12.00) |  |

**Consultation questions**

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| **Question 1** - What are your views on young people’s access to youth work services, including, for example:  - levels of provision across Wales and any regional variation;  - issues relating to access for specific groups of young people e.g. language, disability, rurality, ethnicity. |
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| If you believe that there are particular problems, how do you think they could be resolved? |
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| **Question 2 -** How effective do you think the Welsh Government strategy and policy on youth work is?  In considering this question you may wish to think about:  - the Welsh Government’s specific youth work policy and strategy such as ‘The Youth Work offer’; The Wales Charter for Youth Work; The National Youth Work Strategy for Wales 2014 to 2018;  - Welsh Government departmental responsibilities and whether there is a cross-departmental and co-ordinated approach to support youth work provision. |
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| How do you think the Welsh Government could approach its youth work strategy and policy differently / to better effect? |
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| **Question 3 -** What are your views on the funding available for youth work, including through Local Authority, Welsh Government, European Union, and Third Sector. |
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| If you believe there are problems in this area, how do you think they could be resolved? |
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| **Question 4 –** Are there any other issues you consider relevant to the Inquiry that you think the Committee should be made aware of?  (for example: workforce related issues; the Quality Mark for Youth Work in Wales; buildings and infrastructure; youth work in schools; transport issues; access to digital technology; Welsh Government’s consultation on proposals to register and inspect some out of school education settings). |
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| **Question 5** - If you had to make one recommendation to the Welsh Government from all the points you have made, what would that recommendation be? | |
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