

Supplement – schedule of questions received for meeting of children and young people scrutiny committee – 4 February 2019

Agenda item no. 6 - Question from members of the Council

Question Number	Questioner	Question	Question to
MQ 1	Councillor NE Shaw, Bromyard Bringsty	The alternative budget seems eager to fritter away crucial funds on good causes, £70k to CAHMS, an NHS organisation and £50k to “local arts organisations” for work with disadvantaged youth, amongst many others. All worthy, but no attempt is made to consider what outputs/outcomes are required. Can the Chairman consider the suitability of allocating money in this arbitrary way, given recent and ongoing departmental savings requirements affecting the delivery of services that Herefordshire Council has a statutory responsibility for, and for which we are judged by OFSTED?	Chairperson of Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee
Response: Thank you for your question. The committee will be scrutinising the evidence and rationale for the proposed alternative budget and will ensure that this issue is explored during the debate.			