



Title of Report:	Conference Report
Committee Report Submitted To:	Council Meeting
Date of Meeting:	7 January 2025
For Decision or For Information	For Decision
To be discussed In Committee	No

Linkage to Council Strategy (2021-25)	
Strategic Theme	Cohesive Leadership
Outcome	Council operates as one effective and efficient corporate unit with a common purpose and culture
Lead Officer	Director of Corporate Services

Budgetary Considerations	
Cost of Proposal	See cost against each Conference
Included in Current Year Estimates	YES/NO
Capital/Revenue	
Code	3101-62507
Staffing Costs	

Legal Considerations	
Input of Legal Services Required	YES/NO
Legal Opinion Obtained	YES/NO

Screening Requirements	Required for new or revised Policies, Plans, Strategies or Service Delivery Proposals.		
Section 75 Screening	Screening Completed:	Yes/No	Date:
	EQIA Required and Completed:	Yes/No	Date:
Rural Needs Assessment (RNA)	Screening Completed	Yes/No	Date:
	RNA Required and Completed:	Yes/No	Date:
Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA)	Screening Completed:	Yes/No	Date:
	DPIA Required and Completed:	Yes/No	Date:

1.0 Purpose of report

1.1 The purpose of the report is to inform Elected Members of conferences and courses they may wish to attend.

2.0 The following is listed:

2.1 National Association of Councillors - Youth Services, Safeguarding, Radicalisation & Knife Crime

2.2 **Date:** 24th-26th January 2025

Location: The Little Haven Hotel, South Shields, Tyne & Wear

Cost: £350 plus VAT

2.3 Extract:

I would like to invite you to our Conference at The Little Haven Hotel, South Shields. The venue has great facilities and it is located on the mouth of the River Tyne. We have used this hotel in the past and it is well recommended.

Youth services exist to provide a sense of belonging, a safe space and the opportunity for some of the most vulnerable young people to enjoy being young. We will be looking at what services are provided for young people in different parts of Great Britain.

We will also look at dangers to young people, Safeguarding, Radicalisation and Knife Crime.

This weekend we have a range of speakers who are heavily involved in working with young people and at risk groups.

We will be discussing how these schemes are working and what the practicalities are. We will also have question and answer sessions.

The conference will be of interest to members and officers from all types of local authority.

Elected Members should contact Committee and Member Services to register their interest.

3.0 Recommendation

It is recommended that Council consider the Conference report.