Audit, Risk and Governance Committee

Meeting to be held on Monday, 26 July 2021

Electoral Division affected: (All Divisions);

Chairman's Annual Report

Appendix A refers

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Executive Summary

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This year's Annual Report is set out at Appendix A.

Recommendation

The committee is asked to note the Chairman's Annual Report for 2020/21.

Background and Advice

Previously the committee agreed a number of actions to enhance its effectiveness as an element of the council's governance framework. One of the actions agreed was that the Chairman should prepare an annual report of its activity to facilitate assessments of its effectiveness and inform the council of the work done on its behalf by the committee.

The Annual Report 2020/21 is set out at Appendix A.

Consultations

N/A

Implications:

This item has the following implications, as indicated:



Risk management

Good governance enables an authority to pursue its priorities effectively as well as underpinning those priorities with sound arrangements for control and management of risk. An authority must ensure that it has a sound system of internal control which includes effective arrangements. The Annual Report provides a means by which the committee can review its own effectiveness and inform the council of the work done on its behalf by the committee.

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 List of Background Papers

Paper	Date	Contact/Tel
N/A		
Reason for inclusion i	n Part II, if appropriate	
N/A		