

Audit, Risk and Governance Committee

Meeting to be held on Monday, 17 October 2022

Electoral Division affected: (All Divisions);

Internal Audit Progress Report

(Appendices 'A' - 'D')

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Brief Summary

In the context of the committee's responsibility to consider updates on the Internal Audit Service's work including key findings, issues of concern and action being taken as a result of internal audit work, the committee is asked to consider the Internal Audit Progress Report and outcomes of the work for 2022/23, for the period to 26 September 2022.

Recommendation

The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee is asked to consider and note the report.

Detail

This report sets out for the committee the internal audit work performed under the audit plan for 2022/23, as approved in April 2022.

Appendix A highlights key issues that the committee should be aware of at this point in fulfilling its role of providing independent oversight of the adequacy of the council's governance, risk management and internal control framework.

Appendix B provides an executive summary of each individual internal audit assignment completed since the last report to the committee on 25 July 2022.

Appendix C provides an executive summary for each grant audit assignment completed since the last report to this committee on 25 July 2022.

Appendix D sets out the audit assurance levels and classification of residual risks used by the Internal Audit Service.

Consultations

The Chief Executive and Director of Resources, the Director of Finance, and each of the Directors and/or Heads of Service who have sponsored the audit work reported here has been consulted during the audit process.

Implications:

This item has the following implications, as indicated:

Risk management

This report supports the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee in undertaking its role, which includes providing independent oversight of the adequacy of the council's governance, risk management and internal control framework.

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Paper	Date	Contact/Tel
N/A		
Reason for inclusio	on in Part II, if appropriate	
NI/A		