#### **Audit and Governance Committee**

Meeting to be held on 30 January 2017

Electoral Division affected: All

## **External Audit Update report**

(Appendix 'A' refers)

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## **Executive Summary**

Update report including progress to date with the 2016/17 audit of the accounts, Value for Money (VfM) conclusion and other work. The outcome of our work will be reported to the Audit and Governance committee throughout the year. The report also provides additional information on sector developments to the members of the Audit and Governance Committee as those charged with governance for the Council.

#### Recommendation

The Committee is asked to note the update report.

## **Background and Advice**

Karen Murray, Engagement Lead, will attend the meeting to present the report at Appendix 'A' and answer any questions.

#### Consultations

The report has been shared with the Director of Financial Resources.

### **Implications**

This item has the following implications, as indicated:

### Risk management

No significant risks have been identified.

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

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N/A

