

Annual Report of the Audit, Governance and Standards Committee 2022/2023

Report by the Audit, Governance and Standards Committee Chairman, Councillor Anthony Hedley

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1. Purpose of the Report

- 1.1 The Audit, Governance and Standards Committee has delegated authority to oversee internal and external audit work and lead on member standards work.
- 1.2 The Committee reports to Council annually, highlighting the work of the Committee during the previous financial year.
- 1.3 This report covers 2022-23. This report is not the same as the annual letter from the external auditor, which is reported to council separately, as soon as it is available.
- 1.4 Members should note the delays to the external audit, which is also the subject of a separate report elsewhere on this agenda.

2. Recommendation

That the Annual Report of the Audit, Governance and Standards Committee covering the financial year 2022/23 be received.