

## Summary of the Decisions Taken at the Meeting of Accounts, Audit and Risk Committee held on 22 March 2017

Agenda Item No.	Agenda Item	Decision	
3	Appointment of Chairman for the Remainder of the Municipal Year 2016/17  Following the resignation of Councillor Kerford-Byrnes as Chairman of the Committee at the last meeting, it is necessary to appoint a Chairman for the remainder of the municipal year 2016/17.  In the event the current Vice-Chairman is appointed Chairman it will be necessary to appoint a new Vice-Chairman.  Please note the Democratic and Elections Officer will preside over this item.	<ul> <li>(1) That Councillor Ian Corkin be appointed for the remainder of the Municipal year 2016/17.</li> <li>(2) That Councillor Hugo Brown be appointed Vice-Chairman for the remainder of the Municipal year 2016/17.</li> </ul>	
8	External Audit: Certification of Claims 2015/16 and Annual Audit Plan 2016/17  Report of the Chief Finance Officer  Purpose of report  To receive Ernst & Young LLP's report setting out the External Audit Plan for the financial year 2016/17 and their report on the certification of grant claims for 2015/16.  Recommendation  The meeting is recommended to:  1.1 Note the External Audit Plan for 2016/17.	<ul> <li>(1) That the External Audit Plan for 2016/17 be noted.</li> <li>(2) That the Certification of Claims for 2015/16 be noted.</li> </ul>	

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	2015/16.		
9	Internal Audit - Progress Report 2016/17, Internal Audit Plan 2017/18 and Internal Audit Charter	Resolved  (1) That the contents of the 2016/17 progress report from	
	** Please note Appendix 1 is to follow as it is currently being reviewed and finalised**	(2)	PwC be noted.  That the Strategic Internal Audit Plan for 2017/18 to
	Report of the Chief Finance Officer		2019/20 be approved.
	Purpose of report	(3)	That the 2017/18 Operational
	To receive PwC's progress report summarising their internal audit work to		Internal Audit Plan be approved.
	date. To approve the Strategic Internal Audit Plan 2017/18 to 2019/20, the Operational Internal Audit Plan for 2017/18 and the Internal Audit Charter.	(4)	That the Internal Audit Charter be approved.
	Recommendation		
	The meeting is recommended to:		
	1.1 Note the contents of the 2016/17 progress report from PwC.		
	1.2 Approve the Strategic Internal Audit Plan for 2017/18 to 2019/20.		
	1.3 Approve the 2017/18 Operational Internal Audit Plan.		
	1.4 Approve the Internal Audit Charter.		
10	Quarter Three Risk Review 2016-17	Resolved	
	Report of Director - Strategy and Commissioning	(1)	That, having given due consideration, the Full Strategic, Corporate and Partnership Risk
	Purpose of report		Register for 2016/17 be noted.
	To update the Committee on the management of Strategic, Corporate and Partnership risks during the third quarter of 2016/17.	(2) highlig noted	That the risk exceptions ghted and proposed actions be .
	Recommendation		
	The meeting is recommended to:		

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	<ul> <li>1.1 Review the full Strategic, Corporate and Partnership Risk Register for 2016/17 and identify any issues for further consideration or referral to Executive.</li> <li>1.2 Note the risk exceptions highlighted and proposed actions.</li> </ul>		
11	Housing Benefit Subsidy	Resol	ved
	** Please note Appendix A is to follow as it is currently being reviewed and finalised**  Report of Chief Finance Officer  Purpose of report  To provide members of Accounts, Audit and Risk Committee with an update on the recent Housing Benefit subsidy audit and the resulting actions that have been taken.  Recommendations  The meeting is recommended:  1.1 To note the contents of the report and Appendix A (to follow).	(1)	That the contents of the report be noted.
12	Q3 Treasury Management Report	Resol	ved
	Report of the Chief Finance Officer  Purpose of report  To receive information on treasury management performance and compliance with treasury management policy for 2016/17 as required by the Treasury Management Code of Practice.  Recommendation  The meeting is recommended:  1.1 To note the contents of the third quarter (Q3) Treasury Management Report	(1)	That the contents of the third quarter (Q3) Treasury Management Report be noted.
13	Accounts Closedown Update	Resol	ved

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	Verbal update by Chief Finance Officer	(1) That the Verbal update be noted.	
14	Work Programme	Resolved	
	To consider and review the Work Programme.	(1) That the work programme be noted.	
16	Appendix 1 - Q3 Cherwell TM report	Resolved	
	December 31st 2016	(1) That the exempt appendix be noted.	