

County Offices Newland Lincoln LN1 1YL

9 June 2023

## Audit Committee

A meeting of the Audit Committee will be held on **Monday**, **19 June 2023** in the **Newland Room, County Offices, Newland, Lincoln Lincs LN1 1YL** at **10.15 am** for the transaction of business set out on the attached Agenda.

Yours sincerely

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Debbie Barnes OBE Chief Executive

<u>Membership of the Audit Committee</u> (7 Members of the Council and 2 Non-Voting Added Members)

Councillors Mrs S Rawlins (Chairman), M G Allan (Vice-Chairman), S Bunney, P E Coupland, J L King, P A Skinner and A N Stokes

## **Non-Voting Added Members**

Mr I Haldenby, Independent Added Member Mr A Middleton, Independent Added Member

## AUDIT COMMITTEE AGENDA MONDAY, 19 JUNE 2023

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| 1    | Apologies for Absence  |           |
| 2    | Declarations of Members' Interest  |           |
| 3    | Minutes of the Audit Committee meeting held on 27 March 2023   | 5 - 8     |
| 4    | <b>Draft Statement of Accounts 2022/23</b><br>(To receive a report from Sue Maycock, Head of Finance – Corporate,<br>which invites the Committee to scrutinise and comment on the draft<br>Statement of Accounts 2022/23)  | 9 - 260   |
| 5    | <b>Internal Audit Annual Report 2022/23</b><br>(To receive a report by Claire Goodenough, Head of Internal Audit and<br>Risk Management, which provides the Committee with the adequacy of<br>the Council's Governance, Risk and Control environment and delivery of<br>the Internal Audit plan for 2022/23) | 261 - 296 |
| 6    | <b>Counter Fraud Annual Report 2022/2023</b><br>(To receive a report from Dianne Downs, Audit Manager, which<br>provides information on the overall effectiveness of the Council's<br>arrangements to counter fraud and corruption and reviews the delivery<br>of the 2022/23 counter fraud work plan)       | 297 - 316 |
| 7    | Information Assurance Annual Report 2022/23<br>(To receive a report by David Ingham, Head of Information Assurance,<br>which presents the Information Assurance Annual Report 2022/23)   | 317 - 330 |
| 8    | <b>DRAFT Annual Governance Statement 2022/23</b><br>(To receive a report from Claire Goodenough, Head of Internal Audit<br>and Risk Management, which provides the Committee with the<br>opportunity to review the contents of the draft Annual Governance<br>Statement)                                     | 331 - 366 |
| 9    | Audit Committee Work Programme<br>(To receive a report by Claire Goodenough, Head of Internal Audit and<br>Risk Management, which invites the Committee to consider its work<br>programme)   | 367 - 378 |

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