
REPORT TO:	COUNCIL	AGENDA ITEM: 7
DATE OF MEETING:	24th FEBRUARY 2021	CATEGORY: RECOMMENDED
REPORT FROM:	EXTERNAL AUDIT	OPEN
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SUBJECT:	ANNUAL AUDIT LETTER FOR YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH 2020	REF:
WARD(S) AFFECTED:	ALL	TERMS OF REFERENCE:

1.0 Recommendations

1.1 That the Annual Audit Letter for 2019/20 is considered and approved.

2.0 Purpose of Report

2.1 For Ernst and Young LLP (EY) as the Council's appointed auditors, to present their Annual Audit Letter for 2019/20.

3.0 Detail

3.1 The Annual Audit Letter aims to communicate to Elected Members and external stakeholders, including members of the public, the key issues arising from the Auditor's work, which they consider should be brought to the attention of the Council.

3.2 The Auditors have previously reported their detailed findings from their audit work in their 2019/20 Audit Results Report to the Audit-Sub Committee on 9 December 2020.

3.3 The Auditors have not repeated those detailed findings in this letter. The matters reported here are considered to be the most significant for the Council.

4.0 Financial Implications

4.1 None directly.

5.0 Corporate Implications

5.1 None directly.

6.0 Community Implications

6.1 None directly.

7.0 Background Papers

None