# AGENDA

**Meeting**: Audit

Place: Kennet Committee Room

Date: Wednesday 27 July 2016

**Time:** 10.30 am

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#### Part I

# Items to be considered while the meeting is open to the public

## 1 Apologies and Membership Changes

To receive an apologies for absence and to note any membership changes.

## 2 Minutes of the Previous Meeting (Pages 7 - 14)

To confirm and sign the minutes of the Audit Committee meeting held on 26 April 2016.

#### 3 Members' Interests

To receive any declarations of disclosable interests or dispensations granted by the Standards Committee.

## 4 Chairman's Announcements

To receive any announcements through the Chairman.

## 5 Public Participation and Committee Members' Questions

The Council welcomes contributions from members of the public.

#### Statements

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Details of any questions received will be circulated to Committee members prior to the meeting and made available at the meeting and on the Council's website.

## 6 Appointment to the Constitution Focus Group

The Committee is asked to appoint a member to the Constitution Focus Group, as required under its terms of reference.

The previous representative of the Audit Committee was Cllr Helen Osborn.

## 7 KPMG- Report to those Charged with Governance (Pages 15 - 56)

The Committee is requested to consider the ISA 260 report from external auditors in its receipt of the draft accounts for 2015/2016. Based upon that advice, and subject to any issues raised as a result of that consideration, the Audit Committee is requested to delegate the signing of the letter of the management representation letter to the Chairman of the Audit Committee.

## 8 Annual Governance Statement (Pages 57 - 94)

The Committee is asked to consider officer reports and to approve the AGS for 2015-16 as set out in Appendix 1 for publication with the Statement of Accounts.

# 9 Statement of Accounts (Pages 95 - 182)

The Committee is requested to consider the Statement of Accounts for 2015-16.

# SWAP- Internal Audit Annual Report (2015/16) and First Quarter Update (2016/17) (Pages 183 - 244)

The Committee is requested to consider the reports and note the findings from the internal auditors to date.

#### 11 Forward Work Programme (Pages 245 - 246)

To note the Forward Work Programme.

#### 12 Date of next meeting

To note that the next regular meeting of the Committee will be held on 26 October 2016 at 10:30am.

#### 13 Urgent Items

Any other items of business, which the Chairman agrees to consider as a matter of urgency.

#### Part II

Items during whose consideration it is recommended that the public should be excluded because of the likelihood that exempt information would be disclosed

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