AGENDA

Meeting: Audit Committee

Place: The Kennet Room - County Hall, Trowbridge BA14 8JN

Date: Wednesday 14 February 2018

Time: 10.00 am

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Part I

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

1 Apologies

To receive any apologies or substitutions for the meeting.

2 Minutes of the Previous Meeting (Pages 7 - 10)

To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 12 December 2017.

3 Declarations of Interests

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

4 Chairman's Announcements

5 **Public Participation**

The Council welcomes contributions from members of the public.

Statements

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6 SWAP Internal Audit Activity Update (Pages 11 - 48)

To provide an update to the Audit Committee on the work and performance of Internal Audit (IA) for 2017/18, at end of January 2018. It provides a summary of Progress made in:

- Delivering the 2017/18 Internal Audit and Counter Fraud Plans, by identifying audits completed, or in-progress compared to the original plan.
- The progress of management in responding to audit recommendations.
- The council's overall control environment.

7 **KPMG - Wiltshire Council - Annual Grants Report 2017/18** (Pages 49 - 58)

To consider the Annual Grants Report 2017/18 from KPMG.

8 KPMG - Wiltshire Council - Audit Plan 2017/18 (Pages 59 - 86)

To consider the Annual Audit Plan from KPMG.

9 Audit Task and Finish Group (Pages 87 - 92)

To approve the Audit Task and Finish group inline with the proposed Terms of Reference.

10 Forward Work Programme (Pages 93 - 96)

To note the Forward Work Programme

11 Date of Next Meeting

To note that the next regular meeting of the Committee will be held at 10am on 11 April 2018.

12 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