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## Audit Committee

## Membership:

Chairman, Cllr. Penny Cole; Vice-Chairman, Cllr. Edwards-Winser Cllrs. Baker, Clayton, Haslam, Lindop, Malone, Robinson and Williamson

Non-voting, Co-opted Members Mo Chughtai and Lynda McMullan

## Agenda

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		Pages	Contact	
Apologies for Absence				
1.	<b>Minutes</b> To agree the Minutes of the meeting of the Audit Committee held on 04 July 2023, as a correct record	(Pages 1 - 8)		
2.	<b>Declarations of Interest</b> Any declarations of interest not already registered.			
3.	Actions from Previous Meeting (if any)			
4.	Responses of the Council, Cabinet or Council Committees to the Committee's reports or recommendations (if any)			
5.	Audit Committee Member Development - Risk Management	(Pages 9 - 12)	Adrian Rowbotham Tel: 01732 227153	
6.	External Audit - Annual Audit Plan 2021/22	(Pages 13 - 36)	Adrian Rowbotham Tel: 01732 227153	
7.	Internal Audit Progress Report 2023/24	(Pages 37 - 50)	Jennifer Warrillow Tel: 01732227053	

8.	Strategic Risk Register	(Pages 51 - 88)	Jennifer Warrillow Tel: 01732227053
9.	Counter Fraud Strategy & Whistleblowing Policy & Procedure	(Pages 89 - 114)	Jennifer Warrillow Tel: 01732227053
10.	Work Plan	(Pages 115 - 116)	

EXEMPT INFORMATION

At the time of preparing this agenda there were no exempt items. During any such items which may arise the meeting is likely NOT to be open to the public.

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