## Audit Committee Forward Plan 2015/16

	Lead	30-Jun-16	20-Sep-16	08-Nov-16	31-Jan-17	21-Mar-1
. Audit Committee Effectiveness						
Review Forward Plan	COA /DOF/HOA		✓		~	$\checkmark$
Approve Terms of Reference, Quorum, Membership and Dates of Meetings (annually)	Audit Committee	~				
Carry out Self Assessment of Audit and Anti Fraud Arrangements	HOA / DOF					√
Hold an Annual Private Meeting between Chair of Audit and Head of Audit and Risk Management	COA /HOA	~				
Determine and Deliver Training Requirements for Audit Committee Members as Required.	COA /HOA		ongoing	ongoing	ongoing	ongoing
. Internal Audit						
Annual Head of Audit Opinion	HOA	✓				
Quarterly Internal Audit Asurance reports	HOA / AM		✓		✓	✓
Review Internal Audit Strategy and Charter	HOA / DOF	✓				
Present Annual Internal Audit Plan - 2017/18	HOA / AM					✓
Present Updated Annual Internal Audit Plan - 2016/17	HOA / AM			✓		
Annual Schools Report 2014/15	HOA / AM		✓			
Anti Fraud and Corruption					I	
Annual Fraud Report 2015-16	HOA / CFM	✓				
Tenancy Fraud Update	CFM					✓
Progress on National Fraud Initiative 2016/17	CFM			✓		
Protecting the Public Purse Update	HOA / CFM			✓		
Anti Fraud and Corruption Strategy	HOA / CFM					✓
Update Arising From Significant Fraud / Corruption Work	HOA / CFM	*	*	*	*	*
. External Audit (KPMG)						
Report to Those Charged with Governance (Council and Pension Fund)	KPMG		~			
Monitor Progress of Actions Arising from KPMG ISA 260 report (Council and Pension Fund)	СА				√	
Agree annual External Audit Plan in respect of 2015/16 accounts and associated fees.	KPMG	✓				
. Financial Reporting						
Review Accounting Policies	CA				✓	
Consider Annual Financial Statements	CA	✓ (draft)	✓			
Quarterly Treasury Management Report	CA	√	✓	✓	✓	✓
Annual Treasury Management Report	CA	✓				
Governance						
Receive and agree the Annual Governance Statement	HOA		✓ draft			
Update on implementation of Actions on the Annual Governance Statement	HOA			~		$\checkmark$
Risk Management & Assurance					LI	
Annual Risk Management Report 2015/16	HOA		✓			
Review and Monitor of the Council's Strategic Risks	Audit Committee	✓ Strategy	~	~	√	✓
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Bribery Risk Assessment

Key

COA - Chair of Audit

DOF - Corporate Director, Resources

HOA - Head of Audit and Risk Management

AM - Audit Manager

CFM - Corporate Fraud Manager

**KPMG** - External Auditors **CA** - Chief Accountant

 $\star$ An update to be provided to the Committee as and when significant issues arise.

Note: outside the formal Committee meetings, members will also review the

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Draft Annual Governance Statement (May)

Terms of reference (May)

Chair of Audit's Meeting with DOF and HOA (provisional)

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27 January 2017 17 March 2017