Agenda Item 11



Audit and Standards Committee Report

| Report of: | Director of Legal and Governance | |
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| Date: | 13 June 2019 | |
| Subject: | Work Programme | |
| Author of Report: | Abby Brownsword, Democratic Services (Tel - 0114 273 5033) | |

Summary:

The report provides details of an outline work programme for the Committee.

Recommendations:

That the Committee:-

- (a) considers the Work Programme and identifies any further items for inclusion; and
- (b) approves the work programme.

| Background Papers: | None |
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| Category of Report: | OPEN |

Statutory and Council Policy Checklist

| Financial Implications | | | |
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| NO Cleared by: | | | |
| Legal Implications | | | |
| NO Cleared by: | | | |
| Equality of Opportunity Implications | | | |
| NO Cleared by: | | | |
| Tackling Health Inequalities Implications | | | |
| NO | | | |
| Human rights Implications | | | |
| NO: | | | |
| Environmental and Sustainability implications | | | |
| NO | | | |
| Economic impact | | | |
| NO | | | |
| Community safety implications | | | |
| NO | | | |
| Human resources implications | | | |
| NO | | | |
| Property implications | | | |
| NO | | | |
| Area(s) affected | | | |
| NONE | | | |
| Is the item a matter which is reserved for approval by the City Council? | | | |
| NO | | | |
| Press release | | | |
| NO | | | |
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WORK PROGRAMME

1. **Purpose of Report**

1.1 To consider an outline work programme for the Committee.

2. Work Programme

- 2.1 It is intended that there will be at least five meetings of the Committee during the year with three additional meetings arranged if required. The work programme includes some items which are dealt with at certain times of the year to meet statutory deadlines, such as the Annual Governance Report and Statement of Accounts, and other items requested by the Committee. It also includes standards related matters, including an annual review of the Members' Code of Conduct and Complaints Procedure and an annual report on the complaints received.
- 2.2 An outline programme is attached and Members are asked to identify any further items for inclusion.
- 2.3 There is one meeting remaining in the current programme, officers are currently drafting the new work programme, which will be included at the next meeting.

3. **Recommendation**

- 3.1 That the Committee:-
 - (a) considers the Work Programme and identifies any further items for inclusion; and
 - (b) approves the work programme.

Gillian Duckworth Director of Legal and Governance

| Date | Item | Author |
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| 25 July 2019 | Report to Those Charged with Governance (ISA 260) | External Auditor |
| | Statement of Accounts | Dave Phillips (Head of Strategic Finance) |
| | Annual Governance Statement | Gillian Duckworth (Director of Legal and Governance) |
| | Information Management Annual Report | Mark Jones (Senior Information Management Officer) |
| | Progress on High Opinion Audit Reports | Kayleigh Inman (Senior Finance Manager) |
| | Standards Committee Annual Report | Gillian Duckworth (Director of Legal and Governance) |
| | Strategic Risk Management | Helen Molteno (Corporate Risk Manager) |
| | Work Programme | Gillian Duckworth (Director of Legal and Governance) |