

Audit Committee

North Tyneside Council

Monday 13 March 2023

Wednesday, 22 March 2023 0.02 Chamber - Quadrant, The Silverlink North, Cobalt Business Park, North Tyneside, NE27 0BY **commencing at 6.00 pm**.

Agenda Item

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1. **Apologies for Absence**

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

2. Appointment of Substitute Members

To be notified of the appointment of any Substitute members for the meeting.

3. Declarations of Interest and Notification of any Dispensations Granted

You are invited to declare any registerable and/or non-registerable interests in matters appearing on the agenda, and the nature of that interest.

You are also invited to disclose any dispensations that have been granted to you in relation to any matters appearing on the agenda.

You are also requested to complete the Declarations of Interest Card available at the meeting and return it to the Democratic Services Officer before the end of the meeting.

4. Minutes

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To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 16 November 2022

5. **Review of Corporate Risks Allocated to Director of Resources** 9 - 14

To receive an update on the corporate risks managed by the Director of Resources.

Members of the public are entitled to attend this meeting and receive information about it. North Tyneside Council wants to make it easier for you to get hold of the information you need. We are able to provide our documents in alternative formats including Braille, audiotape, large print and alternative languages.

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	To give consideration to the proposed Accounting Policies to be used in the compilation of the 2022-23 Annual Statement of Accounts.	
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	To give consideration to an update in relation to the closure of the 2022-23 accounts.	300
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	To give consideration to a programme of core business to be examined by the Committee during 2023-24.	
10.	Review of Audit Committee Effectiveness	315 - 328
	To give consideration to a report which sets out a self-assessment of the Authority's Audit Committee arrangements for 2022-23.	520
11.	Update on North East Audit Committee Chairs Forum	329 - 332
	To give consideration to a report which provides an update on the last meeting of the North East Committee Chairs' Forum.	332
12.	Exclusion Resolution	
	The Committee will be requested to pass the following resolution:	
	Resolved that under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) and having applied a public interest test as defined in Part 2 of Schedule 12A of the Act the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act.	
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To give consideration to the Strategic Audit Plan which sets out Internal Audit's planned programme of work for 2023/24.

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Members of the Audit Committee

Malcolm Wilkinson (Chair) Councillor Mrs Linda Arkley OBE Councillor Linda Bell Councillor Lisa Ferasin Councillor John O'Shea Dr Stuart Green (Deputy Chair) Councillor Gary Bell Councillor Debbie Cox Councillor Tommy Mulvenna