

# BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## **MEETING OF THE AUDIT, STANDARDS AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE**

## THURSDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER 2015 AT 6.00 P.M.

## THE COUNCIL HOUSE, BURCOT LANE, BROMSGROVE

MEMBERS: Councillors R. D. Smith (Chairman), P.L. Thomas (Vice-Chairman), S. R. Colella, M. Glass, H. J. Jones, P. M. McDonald, S. R. Peters, M. Thompson and S. A. Webb

Parish Councillors: Mr C. Scurrell and Mr J Ellis

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Apologies for Absence and Named Substitutes
- 2. Declarations of interest and Whipping Arrangements
- 3. To confirm the accuracy of the minutes of the Audit, Standards and Governance Committee meeting held on 16th July 2015 (Pages 1 12)
- 4. To confirm the accuracy of the minutes of the Standards Committee meeting held on 15th January 2015 (Pages 13 18)
- 5. Standards Regime Monitoring Officers' Report (Pages 19 22)
- 6. Standards Parish Councils' Representatives' Reports (Oral Updates)
- Audit, Standards and Governance Committee Work Programme (Pages 23 -24)
- 8. Grant Thornton Progress Report (Pages 25 36)
- 9. Risk Management Monitoring Group Update Environmental Services presentation (Pages 37 44)
- 10. Risk Champion Verbal Update Report Councillor Michael Thompson
- 11. Single Fraud Investigation Service Presentation

- 12. Benefits Fraud Monitoring Report Quarter 1 (Pages 45 58)
- 13. Financial Monitoring Report (Pages 59 62)
- 14. Internal Audit Monitoring Report (Pages 63 86)

This item includes an overview of the Worcestershire Regulatory Services internal audit report.

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8th September 2015