



MEETING OF THE

ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT COMMITTEE

Members: Councillors M. Ammer, R. Anwar (Chair) and D. Whipp and Mr D. Rothwell and Mr D. Whatley

TO BE HELD ON

TUESDAY 19TH MARCH, 2024 AT 7.00 p.m.

AT NELSON TOWN HALL, IN THE WILSON ROOM

Members of the public may speak on any agenda item in which they have a direct interest. Petitions may also be presented.

You should try to make your request in writing or by telephone by 12 noon on the day of the **meeting.** If you are unable to do this, you must make your request prior to the commencement of the meeting.

For further information and to make a request to speak please contact Joanne Eccles Tel: 01282 661654 joanne.eccles@pendle.gov.uk

ROSE ROUSE, CHIEF EXECUTIVE

If you would like this information in a way which is better for you, please telephone us.



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AGENDA

1. <u>Declaration of Interests</u>

Members are reminded of the legal requirements concerning the declaration of interests.

A Member must declare a disclosable pecuniary interest which he/she has in any item on the agenda. A Member with a disclosable pecuniary interest in any item may not participate in any discussion of the matter at the meeting and must not participate in any vote taken on the matter at the meeting.

In addition the Council's Standing Orders require a Member with a disclosable pecuniary interest to leave the room where the meeting is held while any discussion or voting takes place.

2. Minutes

Enc. To receive the Minutes of the last meeting held on 7th November 2023.

3. Internal Audit Progress Report 2023/24

Enc. To consider the attached report of the Mersey Internal Audit Agency.

4. <u>Draft Internal Audit Plan 2024/25</u>

Enc. To consider the attached report of the Mersey Internal Audit Agency.

5. <u>Internal Audit Charter</u>

Enc. To consider the attached report of the Mersey Internal Audit Agency.

6. External Audit – 2022/23 Audit Findings Report

To consider the attached report of the External Auditors. TO FOLLOW

7. Draft Statement of Accounts 2022/23

Enc. To consider the draft Statement of Accounts 2022/23.

8. Closure of Accounts 2023/24 – Going Concern Status & Accounting Policies

To consider the attached report of the Director of Resources (Interim). TO FOLLOW

9. Revenue and Capital Monitoring Report – Quarter 3

Enc. To consider the attached report of the Director of Resources (Interim).

10. Treasury Management Report – Quarter 3

Enc. To consider the attached report of the Director of Resources (Interim).

11. Corporate Governance & Risk Management Update

To consider the attached report of the Corporate Governance Steering Group. TO FOLLOW