

MEETING OF THE ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT COMMITTEE

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

TO BE HELD ON

TUESDAY 25TH MARCH 2025

AT 7.00 p.m.

AT NELSON TOWN HALL, IN THE MEMBERS' ROOM

REVISED AGENDA

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

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



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آپ کے لئے زیادہ مفید ہو تو براہ مہربانی ہمیں بتائیے کہ

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PART I – OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

1. Declaration of Interests

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 28th January 2025.

3. Internal Audit Progress Report 2024/25

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

4. Draft Internal Audit Plan 2025/26

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

5. Internal Audit Charter

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

6. Draft MIAA Anti-Fraud Plan 2025/26

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

7. External Audit Progress Report 2024/25

Enc. To consider the attached report of the External Auditors.

8. Exemption to Contract Procedure Rules

Enc. To consider the attached report of the Director of Resources.

9. Closure of Accounts 2024/25 - Accounting Code of Practice update and other related matters

Enc. To consider the attached report of the Director of Resources.