



Report to: Audit & Accounts Committee Meeting  
15 October 2025

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| Report Summary            |                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| Report Title              | Internal Audit Progress Report 2025/26                                                                                                                              |
| Purpose of Report         | To provide a summary of Internal Audit work undertaken during 2025/26 against the agreed audit plan                                                                 |
| Recommendations           | That the Audit & Governance Committee consider and comment upon the latest internal audit progress report and note its content.                                     |
| Reason for Recommendation | In order to understand the internal audit work undertaken throughout the 2025/26 financial year and how this impacts on the Council's overall Governance framework. |

## 1.0 Background

- 1.1 The Audit Plan for 2025/26 was tabled at the Audit and Governance Committee in February 2025. Throughout the year reports on the progress made and changes to the plan are then brought to this committee.
- 1.2 The report contains details of all reports issued within the first part of the financial year 2025/26.

## 2.0 Proposals

- 2.1 To receive and comment upon the Internal Audit Progress Report 2025/26 and note its content.

## Background Papers and Published Documents

NIL