

Audit & Standards Committee

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External Auditors Report - 2015/16 Warwickshire County Council Pension Fund Audit Plan

Recommendation

The Committee is asked to consider and make any comments on the Warwickshire County Council Pension Fund 2015/16 Audit Plan from the External Auditors, attached at **Appendix A**.

1.0 Purpose of the Report

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to inform the Council's Audit and Standards Committee of the External Auditors plan of work in relation to the Pension Fund's 2015/16 accounts. Their annual work programme is set in accordance with the Code of Audit Practice ('the Code') issued by the Audit Commission and includes nationally prescribed and locally determined work.
- 1.2 The plan has been prepared by Grant Thornton UK LLP, our appointed external auditors, in the context of the Statement of Responsibilities of Auditors and Audited Bodies issued by the Audit Commission. The Audit Engagement Lead will attend the meeting to present the report, attached at **Appendix A**.

Background Papers

None

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