

Audit and Standards Committee

7 March 2019

External Auditors Report - Annual Audit Plan and Audit Fee Letter 2018/19

Recommendation

The Audit and Standards Committee is asked to consider the Annual Audit Plan for from the External Auditors for 2018/19, attached at Appendix A, and the Audit Fee Letter, attached at Appendix B.

1. Purpose of the Report

- 1.1. Our external auditors, Grant Thornton, have written to the Council, identifying the audit plan and the audit fees for the County Council including those for the Warwickshire Pension Fund, together with the rationale and scope for those fees.
- 1.2. The Audit Engagement Lead will attend the meeting to present the reports attached at **Appendix A and B**.

2. Background Papers

- 2.1. None

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