Informal Meeting Agenda

Audit & Governance Committee

Date & time Friday, 18 June 2021 at 2.00 pm Place Remote Contact Joss Butler

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Members

Stephen Cooksey, Victor Lewanski (Vice-Chairman), David Lewis (Chairman), Rebecca Paul, Joanne Sexton and Richard Tear

Please note that due to the Covid-19 situation this meeting will take place remotely and informally i.e. not open to the public.

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INTERNAL AUDIT & COUNTER FRAUD ANNUAL REPORT AND (Pages 1 **OPINION 2020-21** - 32) The purpose of this report is to give an opinion on the adequacy of Surrey County Council's control environment as a contribution to the proper, economic, efficient and effective use of resources. The report covers the audit work completed in the year from 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021 in accordance with the Internal Audit Strategy for 2020/21. **RISK MANAGEMENT** (Pages 33 - 36) To provide the Committee an update on the current risk management position and next steps to improve risk management across the organisation. 2020/21 DRAFT ANNUAL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT 37 - 50) This report presents the draft Annual Governance Statement, which summarises the council's governance arrangements for the financial year ending 31 March 2021. **DRAFT STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS 2020/21** Report to follow. 2020/21 TREASURY MANAGEMENT OUTTURN REPORT (Pages 51 - 62) This report summarises the Council's treasury management activities during 2020/21, as required, to ensure compliance with the Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accountancy's Treasury Management in the Public Services: Code of Practice (the CIPFA Code) which requires the Authority to approve a treasury management annual report after the end of each financial year. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of Audit & Governance Committee will be on 29 July 2021.

> Joanna Killian **Chief Executive** Published: 10 June 2021

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