



### **GOVERNANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE**

#### 24 SEPTEMBER 2015

A meeting of the Governance and Audit Committee will be held at **7.00 pm on Thursday, 24 September 2015** in the Council Chamber, Council Offices, Cecil Street, Margate, Kent.

#### Membership:

Councillor Munday (Chairman); Councillors: Buckley (Vice-Chairman), Campbell, Collins, Connor, Day, Dexter, Edwards, I Gregory, G Hillman, Larkins and Partington

# AGENDA

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#### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

#### 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

'To receive any declarations of interest. Members are advised to consider the advice contained within the Declaration of Interest Form attached at the back of this Agenda. If a Member declares an interest, they should complete that form and hand it to the Officer clerking the meeting and then take the prescribed course of action.'

#### 3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

#### 3a <u>MINUTES OF THE GOVERNANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 24</u> JUNE 2015 (Pages 1 - 4)

To approve the Minutes of the Governance and Audit Committee meeting held on 24 June 2015.

#### 3b <u>MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY GOVERNANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE</u> <u>MEETING HELD ON 2 SEPTEMBER 2015</u> (Pages 5 - 6)

To approve the Minutes of the Extraordinary Governance and Audit Committee meeting held on 2 September 2015.

- 4. **INTERNAL AUDIT UPDATE REPORT** (Pages 7 34)
- 5. CORPORATE RISK REGISTER QUARTERLY UPDATE (Pages 35 38)
- 6. **FINAL ANNUAL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT** (Pages 39 60)

# 7. <u>ANNUAL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT ACTION PLAN QUARTERLY UPDATE</u> (Pages 61 - 66)

# 8. <u>THE EXTERNAL AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THANET DISTRICT COUNCIL - YEAR</u> ENDED MARCH 2015

Report to follow.

# 9. TREASURY MANAGEMENT UPDATE (Pages 67 - 74)

10. **FINAL STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS** Report to follow.

# 11. ANTI-FRAUD & CORRUPTION POLICY AND ANTI-BRIBERY POLICY (Pages 75 - 98)

**Declaration of Interests Form**