# AUDIT COMMISSION – GOVERNANCE REPORT

Corporate Director (Resources)

## 1 Purpose

1.1 To provide the opportunity for the Audit Committee to discuss the Audit Commission Report to those charged with Governance.

#### 2 Recommendations/for decision

2.1 The Committee is asked to note the contents of the Report.

# **3** Supporting information

3.1 The Council is required to receive the External Auditor's Report to those charged with Governance at a formal Committee meeting before the end of September 2008.

### 4 Options considered

4.1 None

#### 5 Reasons for Recommendation

5.1 This report is an integral part of the independent external audit process and requires formal reporting and consideration by a Committee of the Council.

## **6** Resource implications

6.1 None

# 7 Response to Key Aims and Objectives

7.1 The External Audit review process underpins the Council's own performance management framework which is designed to ensure optimum delivery of the key aims and outcomes in the Corporate Plan.

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Background Documents Names of Background documents