

SUBJECT:	Appointment of External Auditors
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Purpose of Report

- 1.1 For the Full Council to decide on the preferred process for appointment of External Auditors from 2018/19. Appointment will be for a maximum period of five years.

RECOMMENDATION

Recommendation that the Council opts in to the appointing person arrangements made by Public Sector Audit Appointments (PSAA) for the appointment of external auditors.

Reasons for Recommendation

- 1.2 The attached report has been considered by the Audit Committee who have recommended the Council opt in to Public Sector Audit Appointments (PSAA) for appointment of external auditors.

Next Step

- 1.3 The Council to make its decision and PSAA to be notified 9th March 2017.