

3 September 2020

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council **Audit Committee**, will be held in the **Council Chamber**, **Civic Headquarters**, 66 Portstewart Road, Coleraine, BT52 1EY (via Video Conference) on **Wednesday 9 September 2020** at **7pm**.

Committee Members: Alderman Robinson, McKeown and S McKillop; Councillors Anderson, Beattie, Dallat O'Driscoll, Holmes (Vice Chair), MA McKillop, McLaughlin, McMullan, McQuillan, P McShane, Peacock, Schenning, Wallace (Chair), Watton and L Mitchell

Circulation: All Members (40)

AGENDA

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Declarations of Interest
- **3.** Minutes of Audit Committee Meeting 17 June 2020 (summary attached)
- **4.** Appointment of Independent Member (report to follow)
- 5. Northern Ireland Audit Office (NIAO)
 - 5.1 NIAO Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council Additional Significant Risk 2019-20 Correspondence (attached)
- **6.** Internal Audit (Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council)
 - **6.1** Draft Annual Governance Statements 2019-20 (attached)
 - **6.2** Quarter 2 Internal Audit Plan 2020-21 (attached)
- 7. Internal Audit Reports (Moore Stephens)
 - **7.1** Capital Projects (report attached)
 - **7.2** Fuel Management (report attached)
 - **7.3** Community Plan (report attached)

- **8.** Direct Award Contracts (report to follow)
- 9. Report to Those Charged With Governance Progress report September 2020 (report to follow)
- **10.** Absence Report Months 1-3 2020/2021 (report to follow)
- **11.** Matters for Reporting to Partnership Panel
- 12. Correspondence
 - **12.1** NIAO: Raising Concerns Best Practice Guide (attached)
 - **12.2** NIAO: Covid-19 Fraud Risks (attached)
 - **12.3** National Audit Office: Guide for audit and risk committees on financial reporting and management during COVID-19 (attached)
 - **12.4** Update to HM Treasury's Orange Book (attached)

IN COMMITTEE (ITEMS 13 – 15 INCLUSIVE)

- **13.** Corporate Risk Review with Corporate Risk Matrix (report to follow)
- **14.** Legal Cases Activity (report to follow)
- **15.** Whistle Blowing /Fraud (verbal update)
- **16.** Any Other Relevant Business (notified in accordance with Standing Order 12(o))
- **17.** Date of Next Meeting Wednesday 9 December 2020

D H Jackson

<u>Chief Executive</u>

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