

A meeting of the Audit Committee will be held on Tuesday 25 April 2023 at 3pm.

Members may attend the meeting in person or via remote online access. Webex joining details will be sent to Members and officers. Members are requested to notify Committee Services by 12 noon on Monday 24 April 2023 how they intend to access the meeting.

In the event of connectivity issues, Members are asked to use the *join by phone* number in the Webex invitation and as noted above.

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Head of Legal, Democratic, Digital & Customer Services

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