# AUDIT COMMITTEE - 26 FEBRUARY 2013

# Audit Committee

## Tuesday 26 February 2013 at 3pm

**Present:** Provost Moran, Councillors Brennan, Clocherty, Dorrian, Jones, Loughran, MacLeod, Nelson, Brooks (for Campbell-Sturgess) and Rebecchi.

Chair: Councillor Rebecchi presided.

**In attendance:** Corporate Director Environment, Regeneration & Resources, Chief Financial Officer, Head of Legal & Democratic Services, Chief Internal Auditor and Finance Manager.

Present Also: Mr G Devlin and Ms C Bailey, Grant Thornton.

The following paragraphs are submitted for information only, having been dealt with under the powers delegated to the Committee.

#### 138 Apologies, Substitutions and Declarations of Interest

An apology for absence was intimated on behalf of Councillor Campbell-Sturgess, with Councillor Brooks substituting.

No declarations of interest were intimated.

## 139 Risk Management Progress Report

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Environment, Regeneration & Resources advising Members of the progress made on risk management since the meeting of the Committee on 8 January 2013. **Noted** 

#### 140 External Audit Progress Report

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Environment, Regeneration & Resources presenting to Members a report produced by Grant Thornton since the last meeting of the Audit Committee.

## 141 External Audit Action Plans - Current Actions

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Environment, Regeneration & Resources on the status of current actions from the External Audit Action Plans as at 31 December 2012. **Noted** 

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## 142 Internal Audit Progress Report - 3 December 2012 to 1 February 2013

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Environment, Regeneration & Resources appending the monitoring report in respect of Internal Audit activity for the period 3 December 2012 to 1 February 2013. **Noted** 

The Convener being of the opinion that the undernoted report by the Corporate Director Environment, Regeneration & Resources was relevant, competent and urgent moved its consideration in terms of the relevant Standing Order to allow the Committee to be informed of the External Audit Plan 2012-13 at the earliest opportunity. This was agreed unanimously.

# 143 External Audit Plan 2012-13

There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Environment, Regeneration & Resources presenting the External Audit Plan 2012-13 produced by Grant Thornton. **Noted** 

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