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BOROUGH COUNCIL

Report to Audit and Governance Committee

Date **27 June 2016**

Report of: **Director of Finance and Resources**

Subject: **EXTERNAL AUDITORS AUDIT PLAN 2015/16 AND FEE 2016/17**

SUMMARY

This report brings to members' attention the Audit Plan from the Council's external auditors, Ernst & Young.

The plan provides the Committee with a basis to review the proposed audit approach and scope of work for the 2015/16 audit (carried out in 2016/17) and to ensure that the work is in line with members' expectations.

The report also brings to members' attention the proposed Annual Audit Fee for 2016/17 received from Ernst and Young.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee approves the 2015/16 Audit Plan, attached as Appendix A to this report.

That the Committee approves the fees proposed for the External Audit coverage in 2016/17.

Appendices:

[Appendix A](#) – Audit Plan 2015/16

[Appendix B](#) – Audit Fee for 2016/17

Background Papers: None

Reference Papers: None

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