

Audit and Governance Committee Action Log

Date of meeting	Action	Minute ref.	Deadline	Progress
19 January 2023	Benchmarking data on Whistleblowing incidences at other Councils to be included in future reporting.	29/22	February meeting	No significant Whistleblowing disclosures within the Council. Therefore, update deferred to February 2024 meeting.
02 February 2023	Formal aspirational timeline target to achieve the 90% completion of Internal Audit recommendations to be considered in 23/24 IA Service Plan.	33/22	November meeting	Included in Internal Update Report on November Agenda.
02 February 2023	Previously shared dashboard style reporting illustrating the movement of risks to be brought to Committee.	34/22	By next report	Updated Risk Management software being launched 19/10/23. This will enable dashboard reporting to be included in next risk report.
02 March 2023	Prioritisation of recommendations to be included in future opening the books reporting and action tracker.	40/22	March meeting	Prioritisation to undertaken and included in next report.
02 March 2023	Covid funding including Sales, fees and charges grants reconciliation to be completed.	40/22	November meeting	Report on November Agenda.
02 March 2023	Committee to receive quarterly MTFS tracker to monitor budget variances.	41/22	Quarterly	Link to future Financial Performance Reports to be included in the Committee Action Log. 23-24 Period 5 Financial Performance Reports
02 March 2023	Development of process to involve the Cabinet Member for Finance in resolving recurrent internal audit actions whilst ensuring visibility to the Committee.	42/22	Ongoing	Amending audit protocol to include escalation to KK for lack of responses to reports and to later be expanded to include

				follow ups. Once in place further escalations are being considered.
20 April 2023	Report on 15% Council Tax VFM increase to External Auditor	49/22	June 2024	Draft to Committee to confirm format, expected at February 2024 Committee meeting.
20 April 2023	Interim Auditors Reports Recommendations AGS reporting to include a breakdown of target setting and progress.	52/22	February meeting	To be included in next AGS update in February 2024.
20 April 2023	Risk Management Reporting to include risk movement and time spent as red. Ensure future control dates are not in the past.	53/22	By next report	Updated Risk Management software launched 19/10/23. This will enable dashboard reporting to be included in next risk report (April 2024).
20 July 2023	Future Energy Recharges reporting to include monetary values.	7/22	March meeting	
21 September 2023	Update on Cultural Transformation Programme: The Committee requested future reporting on implementation of the action plan, governance and benchmarking of the people and workforce.	17/22	March meeting	Included in Committee Work Programme for March 2024 meeting.
19 October 2023	AGS: The Committee requested for the Information Management actions to be updated in the 22/23 Action Plan and for any past dated deadlines to be updated.	27/22	February meeting	
19 October 2023	AGS: Work to identify overlap between the AGS Action Plan and the IAP Exit Strategy actions would be undertaken. IAP Exit Strategy actions will be included in future AGS Action Plan update reports.	27/22	February meeting	
19 October 2023	Risk Reporting: Next risk report to have all control measure targets updated to future dates.	28/22	April meeting	

19 October 2023	Risk deep dive report due at November 2023 meeting to focus on procurement and gas safe contract mobilisation risks.	28/22	November meeting	Included on November Committee Agenda.
19 October 2023	Oracle Improvement Programme: Future reporting to include user and cultural adoption issues and any licensing costs and/or risk implications.	29/22	March meeting	Added to work programme to coincide with Cabinet report.
19 October 2023	Oracle Improvement Programme: The Committee requested a review of implementation of all other software systems within the council, to provide assurance on the Value for Money and effective use all major software systems utilised to deliver internal and external services.	29/22	Ongoing	Plan for review of software systems added to February agenda. First system review on March agenda.
19 October 2023	Anti-Fraud Update: The Committee requested updates on Anti-Fraud engagement with Registered Social Landlords.	30/22	April meeting	