

**TONBRIDGE & MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**AUDIT COMMITTEE**

**17 June 2013**

**Report of the Director of Finance and Transformation**

**Part 1- Public**

**Matters for Information**

**1 GRANT THORNTON – AUDIT PLAN**

**Summary**

**This report introduces the annual plan from the External Auditor**

**1.1 Introduction**

1.1.1 Grant Thornton has been appointed as the Council's external auditors and this report gives Members details of the External Audit Plan as attached at **[Annex1]**.

1.1.2 The Engagement Lead and /or Manager will be present at this meeting and will answer any questions that Members may have regarding the plan.

**1.2 Legal Implications**

1.2.1 There are no legal implications that have been identified in relation to this report.

**1.3 Financial and Value for Money Considerations**

1.3.1 This does not raise any financial or value for money considerations at this stage.

**1.4 Risk Assessment**

1.4.1 The report informs Members of emerging issues that will require future consideration.

Background papers:

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Nil

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