



JOINT AUDIT AND STANDARDS COMMITTEE	
DATE:	MONDAY, 16 MAY 2022 10.30 AM
VENUE:	KING EDMUND CHAMBER, ENDEAVOUR HOUSE, 8 RUSSELL ROAD, IPSWICH

Members		
<u>Conservative</u> Melanie Barrett James Caston David Muller BA (Open) MCM RAFA (Councillor) (Co-Chair) VACANCY (CON)	<u>Independent</u> John Nunn <u>Liberal Democrat</u> Bryn Hurren (Co-Chair) Mike Norris	<u>Green Party</u> Austin Davies Rachel Eburne Leigh Jamieson

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MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PRESS AND PUBLIC PRESENT

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1 SUBSTITUTES AND APOLOGIES

Any Member attending as an approved substitute to report giving his/her name and the name of the Member being substituted.

2 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Members to declare any interests as appropriate in respect of items to be considered at this meeting.

3 JAC/21/24 TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 29TH NOVEMBER 2021 3 - 8

4 JAC/21/25 TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 28 MARCH 2022 9 - 14

5 TO RECEIVE NOTIFICATION OF PETITIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COUNCIL'S PETITION SCHEME

6 QUESTIONS BY THE PUBLIC

To consider questions from, and provide answers to, the public in relation to matters which are relevant to the business of the meeting and of which due notice has been given in accordance with the Committee and Sub-Committee Procedure Rules.

7 QUESTIONS BY COUNCILLORS

To consider questions from, and provide answer to, Councillors on any matter in relation to which the Committee has powers or duties and of which due notice has been given in accordance with the Committee and Sub-Committee Procedure Rules.

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| 8 | JAC/21/26 ANNUAL INTERNAL AUDIT REPORT 2021/22 | 15 - 36 |
| | Report from Corporate Manager – Internal Audit | |
| 9 | JAC/21/27 JOINT ANNUAL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT 2021/22 | 37 - 86 |
| | Report from the Corporate Manager – Internal Audit | |
| 10 | JAC/21/28 FORWARD PLAN | 87 - 88 |
| | Report by the Corporate Manager – Democratic Services attached. | |

Note: The date of the next meeting is 25 July 2022 commencing at 10.30am.

Introduction to Public Meetings

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