

AUDIT AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

18 MARCH 2016

COUNTER FRAUD REPORT 2015/16

Recommendation

- 1. The Chief Financial Officer recommends that the Counter Fraud Report 2015/16 (attached as an appendix) be noted.**

Background

2. Members will recall that at its meeting on 22 November 2013 it was agreed that the Council's approach to preventing fraud be reported on an annual basis (Minute no. 286 refers).
3. The attached report summarises the Council's compliance with best practice and demonstrates its continued commitment to strong counter fraud measures. It is important that the Council maintains its counter fraud response as changes to service delivery continue to evolve.

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Supporting Information

- Appendix – Counter Fraud Report 2015/16

Background Papers

In the opinion of the proper officer (in this case the Chief Financial Officer) the following are the background papers relating to this report:

Agenda papers and minutes of the meeting of the Audit and Governance Committee on 22 November 2013.