



30TH JUNE 2015

AUDIT COMMITTEE

AGENDA ITEM (12)

GRANT THORNTON UPDATE

Accountable Member	Audit Committee
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Purpose of Report	For Members to receive and discuss an update report from the Council's external auditors (Grant Thornton).
Recommendation	That the Committee discusses and notes the update report from Grant Thornton.
Reason(s) for Recommendation	To keep Members updated on progress on the external auditor's work programme and to provide an opportunity to discuss emerging issues and developments.

Ward(s) Affected	None
Key Decision	No
Recommendation to Council	No

Financial Implications	None
Legal and Human Rights Implications	None
Environmental and Sustainability Implications	None
Human Resource Implications	None
Key Risks	None
Equalities Impact Assessment	Not Required

Related Decisions	None
Background Documents	None

Appendices	Appendix A - Grant Thornton publication - "Audit Committee Update Cotswold District Council"
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Performance Management Follow Up	None
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Background <p>1. The Council's external auditor (Grant Thornton) has provided an update report for Members to consider (see Appendix A). The report includes an update of progress on the work plan for 2014/15 and highlights emerging issues and developments.</p> <p>2. Representatives from Grant Thornton have been invited to the meeting and will be available to answer any questions on the report.</p>

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