

# Report

Report to:	<b>Risk and Audit Scrutiny Committee</b>
Date of Meeting:	<b>15 September 2021</b>
Report by:	<b>Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources)</b>

Subject:	<b>Forward Programme for Future Meetings</b>
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## 1. Purpose of Report

1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-

- ◆ advise members of the forward programme for the meetings of the Risk and Audit Scrutiny Committee to January 2022
- ◆ invite members to suggest topics for inclusion in the Committee's forward programme

## 2. Recommendation(s)

2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-

- (1) that the report and the outline forward programme for the meetings of the Risk and Audit Scrutiny Committee to January 2022, attached as an Appendix to the report, be noted.

## 3. Background

3.1 As part of a range of improvement measures introduced as a result of Audit Scotland's report on the Audit of Best Value and Community Planning (2009), an Action Plan was prepared. One of the actions was to include, as a standard agenda item, a list of items proposed for consideration at subsequent meetings of this Committee to provide an opportunity for members to inform future agendas. The outline forward programme to January 2022 is attached, for members' information, as an Appendix to the report.

## 4. Employee Implications

4.1. There are no employee implications.

## 5. Financial Implications

5.1. There are no financial implications.

## 6. Climate Change, Sustainability and Environmental Implications

6.1. There are no Climate Change, Sustainability or Environmental implications in terms of the information contained within this report

## 7. Other Implications

7.1. There are no risk implications in terms of the information contained within this report.

## **8. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements**

- 8.1. The report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a change to an existing policy, function or strategy and, therefore, no impact assessment is required.
- 8.2. There was no requirement to undertake any consultation in terms of the information contained in this report.

**Paul Manning**

**Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources)**

21 July 2021

### **Link(s) to Council Values/Objectives/Ambitions**

Value – Accountable, Effective, Efficient and Transparent

### **Previous References**

Executive Committee 8 July 2009

### **List of Background Papers**

Audit Scotland Audit of Best Value and Community Planning

### **Contact for Further Information**

If you would like to inspect the background papers or want further information, please contact:-

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## APPENDIX – RASC OUTLINE FORWARD PROGRAMME TO JANUARY 2022

Meeting Date	Item	Responsibility
17 November 2021	1. Audited Annual Accounts 2020/2021	Head of Finance (Strategy)
	2. External Auditor's Annual Report to South Lanarkshire Council	External Audit
	3. Internal Audit Activity Report	Audit and Compliance Manager
	4. 2021/2022 Internal Audit Plan – 6 months to 31 March 2022	Audit and Compliance Manager
	5. Good Governance Q2 Report 2021/2022/Local Code of Corporate Governance Review 2021/2022	Head of Administration and Legal Services
26 January 2022	1. Internal Audit Activity Report	Audit and Compliance Manager
	2. Internal Six Monthly Fraud Statistics 2021/2022 report	Audit and Compliance Manager
	3. Actuarial Review of Insurance Fund	Head of Finance (Transactions)
	4. Performance and Review Scrutiny Forum Annual Update	Head of Corporate Communications

N.B:-. Audit Scotland national studies and reviews will appear as a recurring item but the frequency and subject matter will vary according to their programme.