The Council’s accounts are subject to external audit by Paul King, Audit Director of Ernst & Young LLP, Apex Plaza, Forbury Road, Reading, RG1 1YE. Members of the public and local government electors have certain rights in the audit process:

1. From 14th July 2014 to 8th August 2014 between 10.00 a.m. and 3.30 p.m., excluding Saturdays, Sundays and bank holidays, any person may inspect the accounts of the Council for the year ended 31\textsuperscript{st} March 2014 and all related documents (comprising books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers and receipts) at the address given below. They may also make copies of the accounts and documents.

2. From 10.00 a.m. on 22\textsuperscript{nd} August 2014 until the conclusion of the audit process, a local government elector for the area of the Council, or his/her representative, may ask the auditor questions about the accounts. Please contact the auditor at the address given above to make arrangements to ask any questions.

3. From 10.00 a.m. on 22\textsuperscript{nd} August 2014 until the conclusion of the audit process, a local government elector for the area of the Council, or his/her representative, may object to the Council’s accounts asking that the auditor issue a report in the public interest (under section 8 of the Audit Commission Act 1998) and/or apply to the court for a declaration that an item in the accounts is contrary to law (under section 17 of the Audit Commission Act 1998). Written notice of a proposed objection and the grounds on which it is made must be sent to the auditor at the address given above and copied to me at the address given below.

Dated: 19 June 2014

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