## **ESSENTIAL REFERENCE PAPER 'A'**

## IMPLICATIONS/CONSULTATIONS:

Contribution to the Council's Corporate Priorities/	Priority 1 – Improve the health and wellbeing of our communities Priority 2 – Enhance the quality of people's lives
Objectives (delete as appropriate):	Priority 3 – Enable a flourishing local economy
	The report summarises the governance of the Council in 2015/16 and contributes to all the Corporate Priorities.
Consultation:	Consultation documents were sent to the Leader and Executive Members, Chairmen of Committees, Leadership Team, the Shared Internal Audit Service and EY.
Legal:	No specific implications arise from this report.
Financial:	There are no direct financial implications arising from the report.
Human Resource:	No specific implications arise from this report
Risk Management:	This report documents significant matters related to the ongoing governance of the council.
Health and wellbeing – issues and impacts:	No specific implications arise from this report.