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Audit and Standards Committee
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REPORT AUTHOR: CHIEF FIRE OFFICER

SUBJECT: EXTERNAL AUDIT PLAN 2018/19

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Background Papers: None

Implications (tick ✓):

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| LEGAL | | | FINANCIAL | ✓ |
| HUMAN RESOURCES | | | EQUALITY IMPACT | |
| ENVIRONMENTAL | | | POLICY | |
| CORPORATE RISK | Known | ✓ | OTHER (please specify) | |
| | New | | CORE BRIEF | |

Any implications affecting this report are noted at the end of the report.

PURPOSE:

To receive and consider the 2018/19 External Audit Plan provided by Ernst & Young, the Fire and Rescue Authority's external auditor.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the submitted report be received.

1. Introduction

- 1.1 The 2018/19 external Audit plan provided by Ernst & Young for the Fire and Rescue Authority is appended for Members' consideration.

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