

## Correspondence

The Governance and Audit Committee and each of the Council’s Scrutiny Committees have established an arrangement to share and inform each other of their work programmes, enquiries and outcomes, in accordance with the partnership working steps agreed at the Scrutiny Chairs’ Liaison Forum on 6 December 2021.

As part of this process the Chair of the Governance and Audit Committee and the Audit Manager have been copied into the following Scrutiny Committee letters.

Each of the letters have been reviewed by the Audit Manager who has provided comments to the Committee Chairperson.

The information contained within the letters published is useful for Governance and Audit Committee Member awareness of the activities and lines of enquiry of the Council’s Scrutiny Committees.

**In considering the terms of reference of the Governance and Audit Committee and the correspondence received, is not considered that any updates to the Committee work programme are required.**

**NB** – Members will note that an update on Mid-Year Performance 2021/22 has already been included on the Committee’s work programme through item 9.1 – Mid-Year Self-Assessment Report Update.

For the information of the wider Committee, the published letters circulated to the Chair of the Governance and Audit Committee and the Audit Manager over the reporting period were as follows.

**Chris Pyke**

**Audit Manager**

**18 January 2022**

### Environmental Scrutiny Committee – Wednesday 7 December 2021

Agenda Item No.	Item Background Papers	Correspondence Following Committee Meeting
Item 4	<a href="#">Member Briefing Report - Draft Recycling Strategy 2021-25</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (Pages 1 – 13)

### Community and Adult Services Scrutiny Committee – Wednesday 8 December 2021

Agenda Item No.	Item Background Papers	Correspondence Following Committee Meeting
Item 4	<a href="#">Ageing Well Strategy</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (Pages 1 – 4)
Item 5	<a href="#">Empty Homes Policy 2021-24</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (Pages 5 – 8)

### Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee – Thursday 9 December 2021

Agenda Item No.	Item Background Papers	Correspondence Following Committee Meeting
Item 4	<a href="#">Valleys, Vale &amp; Cardiff Adoption Collaborative Annual Report 2020-21</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (Pages 3 - 5)
Item 5	<a href="#">Youth Justice Service Update</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (Pages 7 – 13)
Item 6	<a href="#">Children's Service - Quarter 2 Performance</a>	

### Economy and Culture Scrutiny Committee – Monday 13 December 2021

Agenda Item No.	Item Background Papers	Correspondence Following Committee Meeting
Item 4	<a href="#">Western Gateway Update</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (pages 9-10)
Item 5	<a href="#">GLL Contract Monitoring</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (pages 5-8)
Item 6	<a href="#">Audit Wales Review of Leisure - Update</a>	
Item 7	<a href="#">Adult Community Learning Review and Into Work Funding</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (pages 1-3)

### Policy Review and Performance Scrutiny Committee - Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> December 2021

Agenda Item No.	Item Background Papers	Correspondence Following Committee Meeting
Item 4	<a href="#">Sickness Absence</a>	<a href="#">Link to Correspondence</a> (pages 5-10)
Item 5	<a href="#">Corporate Property Strategy 2021/26</a>	Link to Correspondence (Restricted - Not Published)
Item 6	<a href="#">Mid-Year Performance 2021/22</a>	<a href="#">Link to correspondence</a> <a href="#">Correspondence attachment - inc. response</a>