



**WATFORD
BOROUGH
COUNCIL**

AUDIT COMMITTEE

14 September 2023

7.00 pm

Town Hall Annexe, Watford

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Committee Membership

Councillor M Hofman (Chair)

Councillor K Clarke-Taylor (Vice-Chair)

Councillors L Nembhard, A Khan and C Newstead

Agenda

Part A - Open to the Public

1. **Apologies for Absence/Committee Membership**

2. **Disclosure of Interests (if any)**

3. **Minutes**

The [minutes](#) of the meeting held on 26 July 2023 to be submitted and signed.

4. **Ombudsman's Annual Letter 2023 (Pages 3 - 14)**

5. **RIPA Update (Pages 15 - 43)**

6. **Shared Internal Audit Service Progress report (Pages 44 - 80)**

7. **Introduction of External Auditors for 2023/24 onwards**

8. **Updated Draft Audit Results Report 2020/21 (Pages 81 - 131)**

9. **Statement of Accounts Update**

A verbal update