



### **Notice of Delay to Publication of the Unaudited Draft Statement of Accounts 2023/24 and Public Inspection Period**

The Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 require the Council to publish the unaudited Statement of Accounts for the financial year ending 31 March 2024 by 31 May 2024.

There will be a delay in producing the 2023/24 unaudited Statement of Accounts due to:

- Delays in the Council's external auditors (Grant Thornton) completing their work on the previous year's statements.
- Updated valuations of the Council's Land and Property as of 31 March 2024 not being available until June 2024.

The associated inspection period for the 2023/24 financial statements cannot happen until the unaudited accounts are published.

The unaudited 2023/24 accounts and the notice of public inspection will be published as soon as practically possible. Further notifications will be placed on the website once the 2023-24 Draft Statement of Accounts is available for public inspection.