

Agenda Item No: 5

# Internal Audit Report

То:	Audit and Governance Committee
Meeting Date:	17 <sup>th</sup> December 2021
From:	Jon Alsop, Head of Finance and S73 Officer
Key decision:	Not a key decision
Forward Plan ref:	n/a
Recommendations:	The Audit and Governance Committee is recommended to:
	a) Receive and note the internal audit progress report for 2021/22 as provided by the Combined Authority's internal auditors, RSM Risk Assurance Services LLP (RSM).

Voting arrangements: Note only item, no vote required.

## 1. Purpose

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is for the Audit and Governance Committee to:
  - (a) Receive and note progress being made against the internal audit plan for 2021/22.

### 2. Background

#### Internal Audit Plan 2021/22

- 2.1. RSM presented the internal audit plan for 2021/22 to the Audit and Governance Committee in April 2021.
- 2.2. The attached report provides an update to the Audit and Governance Committee against the internal audit plan for the year to date.
- 3. Financial Implications
- 3.1. Internal audit fees are within those agreed as part of the internal audit service contract.
- 4. Legal Implications
- 4.1. No legal implications have been identified.
- 5. Other Significant Implications
- 5.1. No other significant implications have been identified.

### 6. Appendices

Appendix 1 – Internal Audit update report 2021/22 (RSM)

# 7. Background Papers

Internal Audit Plan – A&G Committee April 2021

Internal Audit Plan A&GC April 2021