### Gareth Owens LL.B Barrister/Bargyfreithiwr

Chief Officer (Governance)
Prif Swyddog (Llywodraethu)



To: Cllr Tim Newhouse (Chairman)

CS/ST

Councillors: Glyn Banks, Haydn Bateman, Alan Diskin, Alison Halford, Ian Roberts and

21 January 2015

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Dear Sir / Madam

A meeting of the <u>AUDIT COMMITTEE</u> will be held in the <u>CLWYD COMMITTEE</u> <u>ROOM, COUNTY HALL, MOLD CH7 6NA</u> on <u>WEDNESDAY, 28TH JANUARY, 2015</u> at <u>10.00 AM</u> to consider the following items.

Yours faithfully

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Democracy & Governance Manager

#### AGENDA

- 1 APOLOGIES
- 2 <u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (INCLUDING WHIPPING</u> DECLARATIONS)
- 3 **MINUTES** (Pages 1 6)

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 10 December 2014 (copy enclosed).

4 <u>AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 2013/14 - ISSUES RAISED</u> (Pages 7 - 12)

Report of Corporate Finance Manager enclosed.

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## 5 **ANNUAL AUDIT LETTER** (Pages 13 - 18)

Report of Corporate Finance Manager enclosed.

# 6 TREASURY MANAGEMENT STRATEGY 2015/16 AND TREASURY MANAGEMENT UPDATE 2014/15 (Pages 19 - 50)

Report of Corporate Finance Manager enclosed.

## 7 **COUNCIL BANKING ARRANGEMENTS** (Pages 51 - 54)

Report of Corporate Finance Manager enclosed.

# 8 ANTI-FRAUD AND CORRUPTION STRATEGY AND FRAUD RESPONSE PLAN (Pages 55 - 80)

Report of Chief Officer (Governance) enclosed.

## 9 **EXTERNAL REGULATORS AND INSPECTIONS REPORTS** (Pages 81 - 90)

Report of Chief Officer (Governance) enclosed.

## 10 **ACTION TRACKING** (Pages 91 - 96)

Report of Internal Audit Manager enclosed.

## 11 **FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME** (Pages 97 - 100)

Report of Internal Audit Manager enclosed.