ISLE OF WIGHT COUNCIL

AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS 2022/23 NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF THE AUDIT

Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015

NOTICE is given that:

- 1. The audit of accounts of the Isle of Wight Council and Isle of Wight Council Pension Fund for the financial year ended 31 March 2023 has been formally concluded.
- 2. The statement of accounts for the financial year ended 31 March 2023 is available for inspection by local government electors.
- 3. The rights conferred on local government electors by section 25 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 are to:
 - inspect and make copies of the statement of accounts prepared by the authority.
 - inspect and make copies of the local auditor's certificate that the audit of the authority's accounts including that statement has been completed.
 - inspect and make copies of the local auditor's opinion on the statement of accounts.
 - inspect and make copies of any public interest report relating to the authority or an entity connected with it.
 - inspect and make copies of any recommendation relating to the authority or an entity connected with it.
 - require copies of any such statement or report to be supplied on the payment of a reasonable sum for each copy.

A document which a person is entitled to inspect under this section may be inspected at the address given below at all reasonable times (Monday to Thursday between 9.00 am and 5.00 pm and Friday between 9.00 am and 4.30 pm) and without payment. Contact should be made by email to <u>corporate.finance@iow.gov.uk</u>

The Statement of Accounts can also be viewed on the council's website: <u>www.iow.gov.uk</u> and is located in the Our Accounts section.

https://www.iow.gov.uk/council-and-councillors/transparency-our-data/ourfinances/our-accounts/

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