ANTI-FRAUD, BRIBERY AND CORRUPTION STRATEGY

At their last meeting in September 2020, Cabinet considered and agreed a recommendation from Audit Committee on amendments to the above Strategy and recommended it to Council for approval.

Unfortunately, two amendments suggested by the Audit Committee had not been incorporated in the revised Strategy. An updated version of the Strategy is attached. The blue highlighted text shows the original proposed changes. The amendments suggested by the Audit Committee are shown as tracked changes:

- Paragraph 3 was amended to provide more clarity on the role of the external auditors in relation to this issue
- Paragraph 7 was amended to say it was the duty of members and staff to report any concerns, instead of the Council encouraged members and staff to report any concerns.

Cabinet are asked to recommend the Strategy as amended, and attached as Appendix 1, to Council for approval at their December meeting.