

#### **Committee and Date**

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**Audit Committee** 

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# **Draft Internal Audit Annual Plan 2024/25**

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## 1. Synopsis

The risk based Internal Audit Plan, 2024/25 is presented to Audit Committee for approval. It will evaluate the effectiveness of the Council's risk management, internal control and governance processes across all Directorates.

# 2. Executive Summary

2.1. This report provides Members with the proposed risk based Internal Audit Plan for 2024/25. The annual plan will provide coverage across the high risk areas of the Council and delivers internal audit services to a range of external organisations. It takes account of issues identified by the clients' risk management frameworks, including the risk appetite levels set by management for the different activities or parts of the organisations audited. The proposed plan considers the requirement to produce an annual internal audit opinion and assurance framework. The plan is usually presented at the February Audit Committee meeting, however, it was agreed to delay the finalisation of the 2024/25 plan due to the ongoing recruitment process at that time.

2.2. Given the need to respond flexibly to both the Council's demands and the available resources in the team at different times throughout the year, the plan is designed to ensure that all external contracts are completed and for Shropshire Council, must do areas of work are delivered alongside an element of high risk audits. In previous years an element of the plan was reserved as an unplanned contingency to be allocated as resources became available. This has been reduced for 2024/25, however, if there is further recruitment within the year allocations will be made on risk priority matched to auditor skill sets from high risk areas within the Council not covered in the planned element. The Internal Audit plan is set out in **Appendix A** and the call off list of high risk areas for unallocated work, **Appendix B**. Delivery outcomes will continue to be reported to Audit Committee through the standard performance reports.

#### 3. Recommendations

3.1. The Committee is asked to consider and endorse, with appropriate comment, the approach taken to create the proposed Internal Audit Plan for 2024/25 and approve its adoption.

# Report

## 4. Risk Assessment and Opportunities Appraisal

- 4.1. Under the Audit Committee's terms of reference, reviewing the risk-based audit plan, including internal audit resource requirements, the approach to using other sources of assurance and any other work upon which reliance is placed, is an important responsibility. In considering this plan Members should be assured that it is linked to the Council's key risks and provides enough coverage to ensure a reasonable opportunity to identify any weaknesses in the internal control environment. Risks identified as being critical to the Council's operations will be reported and rectified where possible and viable.
- 4.2. Areas to be audited within the plan have been considered using risk register information both operational and strategic.
- 4.3. The recommendations contained in this report are compatible with the provisions of the Human Rights Act 1998. There are no direct environmental, equalities, consultation or climate change consequences of this proposal.
- 4.4. The Internal Audit Annual Plan satisfies both the Public Sector Internal Audit Standards (PSIAS) and the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 part 2. The latter sets out the requirements on all relevant authorities in relation to internal control, including requirements in respect of accounting records, internal audit and review of the system of internal control. Specifically:
  - 'A relevant authority must undertake an effective internal audit to evaluate the effectiveness of its risk management, control and governance processes, taking into account public sector internal auditing standards or guidance.'

#### 5. Financial Implications

5.1. The Internal Audit plan is delivered within approved budgets. The work of Internal Audit contributes to improving the efficiency, effectiveness and economic management of the wider Council and its associated budgets.

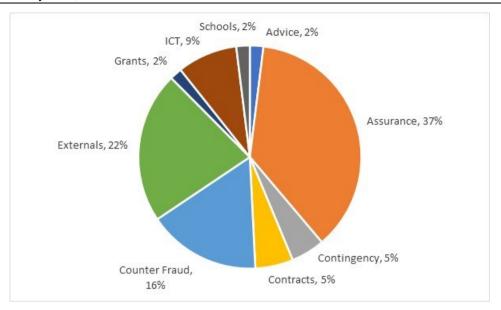
## 6. Climate Change Appraisal

6.1. This report does not directly make decisions on energy and fuel consumption; renewable energy generation; carbon offsetting or mitigation; or on climate change adaption. However, the work of the Audit Team will look at these aspects relevant to the governance, risk management and control environment of the Council. The majority of audit work will continue to be carried out remotely thereby reducing fuel consumption.

## 7. Background

- 7.1. The provision of a risk based Internal Audit Plan consistent with the Council's goals is an essential part of ensuring probity and soundness of the Council's internal controls, risk exposure and governance framework. The plan has been devised to ensure that it delivers against the PSIAS and the requirement to produce an annual Head of Internal Audit opinion and assurance framework. In so doing it can be confirmed that the plan covers the following activities:
  - Governance processes
  - Ethics
  - Information technology governance
  - Risk management and
  - Fraud management.
- 7.2. The 2024/25 Internal Audit year will continue to see pressures on services due to the impact of inflation, recruitment challenges in some areas, the impact of the voluntary redundancy programme, consultation on service closures and amendments, the £62m budgetary reductions and the work of the strategic partner (PwC). It is anticipated that the Shropshire Plan will require additional assurance work from Internal Audit, however, the impact and pace of change is unknown at this time. Therefore, the approach to agreeing the plan with so many unknowns needs to be agile to respond to the changing risk environment the organisation faces.
- 7.3. The audit risk assessment is reviewed annually with the Chief Executive, Executive Directors including the s151 Officer and Assistant Directors to ensure that it remains robust and relevant to the needs and risk profile of the Council. The process also recognises that the Council is embarking on a significant period of changes through transformation and service redesign, continuing to seek service improvements using innovative approaches in providing services, all against a background of reducing resources and the need to identify further savings.
- 7.4. When considering the risks affecting audit areas, account has been taken of:
  - changes to and the introduction of new services;

- the target operating model which is yet to be formally adopted and proposed transformation programmes, refined principles and business plans of the Council:
- the Shropshire Plan
- · budget pressures and saving commitments;
- · previous audit findings;
- opening and closure of establishments;
- comments from the external auditors on scope and coverage to ensure the work of Internal Audit does not duplicate that of the external auditor;
- Audit Committee terms of reference;
- increased partnership working or different delivery models for future service delivery;
- risks identified by the risk management process;
- · school budget deficits and self-assessments;
- · large contracts likely to be undertaken; and
- assurances from services, internal governance and external parties.
- 7.5. Top risks facing councils include continuing pressures on finance and therefore financial resilience including setting a balanced budget; income collection and problem debt; commercialism; supply chains and third party risks; increasing demand on services; safeguarding children; growth and complexity demands on social care functions; environmental, social and governance issues; cyber security and digital services; attraction of and retention of staff with enough experience, knowledge and capacity to manage risks and reduce the potential for waste, losses or inefficiencies. All of which have been considered when formulating the plan.
- 7.6. The impact of the 2024 voluntary redundancy programme is yet to be felt within the Council and is therefore not yet reflected in the internal control environment. There are a significant number of lower assurance levels and fundamental recommendations made. Follow up of these areas is a must do in respect of unsatisfactory audits, with only a proportion of limited assurance audits being revisited within current resources.
- 7.7. **Appendix A** provides the summarised Internal Audit plan and identifies a planned day requirement of 796 days for Shropshire Council audit work and 224 days of work for external clients, broken down by type in the chart:



#### Resources

- 7.8. The team has provision for posts for just short of 12 full time equivalents with a mix of skills in finance, information technology, contract management, governance, establishments, systems, counter fraud, investigations and project management. There has been a number of changes to the team during 2023/24 and some posts remain vacant. Skills continue to be developed across the wider team and funding for external contractors from any vacancy monies will be considered if recruitment is unsuccessful. As at June 2024, a recruitment process is currently underway.
- 7.9. The Audit Plan for 2024/25 has been prepared in line with the approach taken for the 2023/24 plan to ensure maximum benefit to the Council with available resources. Based on a risk analysis approximately 3,527 days are required to review all high-risk areas. With current resources it would take almost 3 and a half years to cover all high risk areas. Review areas attracting a lower risk have not been considered in this year's planning process and are noted in **Appendix C**. Resources available after deducting allowances for non-chargeable time (leave, management meetings, administration, etc.); and chargeable time (attendance at corporate officer and member meetings, responding to legislation, s151 officer work requests, training etc.) amount to 1,020 days, of which 224 are to be used on providing services to customers other than Shropshire Council leaving a balance of 796 days.
- 7.10. In previous years an element of the plan was reserved as an unplanned contingency to be allocated as resources became available. This has been reduced for 2024/25, however, if there is further recruitment within the year allocations will be made on risk priority matched to auditor skill sets from high risk areas within the Council not covered in the planned element. The call off list of audit areas is prioritised based on risk and will ensure high risks are focused on; it removes the need to spend time replanning as new resources become available and work can be assigned almost immediately by any Principal Auditor. **Appendix A** provides details of the areas that Audit will review during 2024/25

and **Appendix B**, the call off list for currently unplanned work that will be prioritised.

- 7.11. Members are reminded that where Audit cannot provide independent assurance, they can at any time, request Managers for any of the areas identified to provide assurances directly to them; this should be considered by Members especially for items listed in **Appendix B** that are not guaranteed an audit in the next twelve months.
- 7.12. Contingencies for fraud and advice, if not required in full this year, can be reallocated and higher priority reviews brought back into the plan.
- 7.13. In considering the plan for 2024/25 the key items to note are:
  - Included in the plan are several key partnerships and fundamental systems which are of a high material value to the Council's operations and requires regular review.
  - A separate risk-based analysis of the IT audit areas has been conducted and assessments of applications, projects, developmental changes, new technology, changes to guidance and follow ups in areas requiring improvements are planned. IT continues to form a significant part of the internal audit plan reflecting the Council's reliance on technology and digital transformation requirements as services are redesigned and the threat of cyber risks expands. This work underpins the Council's principle to make digital the preferred way to work and transact.
  - The counter fraud contingency has been raised to 150 days to accommodate the current level of investigation work in progress.
  - Internal Audit will continue to request schools to complete a self-assessment process on a three-year basis. The Headteachers will be asked to share the self-assessment with both the Chair of Finance and Governors and seek their sign off to it. This approach will enable provision of a more rounded assessment of processes to support the s151 Officer's wider assurance of the school environment.
  - Procurement, commissioning and contract management continue to be priority areas and, as such, there are planned initiatives in these areas and additional work will be prioritised from the call off list. Work is planned on financial evaluations of companies tendering for work.
  - Consultation with the Chief Executive and Executive Directors have identified a few areas where they would like assurances, most of these are high risk and as such included in the plan.
  - The plan provides continual professional development and training for auditors during the year. This helps to retain staff, future proof the skills of team members and build skills in areas where updated knowledge is required for the benefit of the Council, external clients and the auditors. To reflect the number of Auditors new to the Council and in some cases Audit, the plan

continues to allow for inclusion of review areas to support professional training courses that based on risk alone would not be covered in the plan.

- Decisions based on current data and intelligence is another of the Council's principles and the increased use of data analytics within Audit will support both testing and focus, as well as providing information on where controls can be improved alongside quality of the systems used. This will build on the work already in place which has been used to add value to finance and payroll work practices to date.
- Resources are allocated to provide internal audit services to external clients and various honorary, voluntary and grant funds. In addition, audit time is allocated to review areas of significant risk which are being considered for transfer to other delivery models.
- 7.14. A copy of the draft plan for Shropshire Council and those of our external clients will be forwarded to the appropriate external auditors inviting their comments on coverage and to maximise any shared learning from each other's work.
- 7.15. Every effort has been made to include all key audit areas required in the plan. If other items are identified from discussions with colleagues from External Audit, or as knowledge becomes available from other sources, these will be agreed with the Section 151 Officer and reported to a future Audit Committee

#### 8. Conclusions

8.1. The plan is designed to allow for appropriate coverage aligned to the PSIAS and to be flexible enough to respond to the changing risk environment of the Council.

List of Background Papers (This MUST be completed for all reports, but does not include items containing exempt or confidential information)

Audit universe and resources analysis

Public Sector Internal Audit Standards

CIPFA Audit Committees, Practical Guidance for Local Authorities and Police, 2022 edition

Accounts and Audit Regulations

Risk in Focus – Hot topics for Internal Auditors ECIIA 2024

Local Member: N/A

**Appendices** 

**Appendix A**: Summary of Draft Internal Audit Plan by Service,

**Appendix B**: Unplanned Call Off List: Audit areas of high priority for which no dedicated provision is made in this year's Internal Audit plan.

**Appendix C**: De Minimis Audit areas: Where managers will be able to provide any necessary assurance.

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# APPENDIX A

## 2024/25 SUMMARY OF DRAFT INTERNAL AUDIT PLAN BY SERVICE

|  | Days      |
|--|-----------|
| CHIEF EXECUTIVE Communications                                       | 0         |
| Governance   | 8<br>19   |
| OCE  | 25        |
| Total Chief Executive  | 52        |
| Total Offici Exceutive   |           |
| RESOURCES  |           |
| Finance and Technology   | 175       |
| Legal and Governance   | 51        |
| Workforce and Improvement  | 61        |
| Total Resources  | 287       |
|  |           |
| HEALTH AND WELLBEING   |           |
| Environmental Protection   | 4         |
| Public Health  | 30        |
| Total Health and Wellbeing   | 34        |
| DEAD! 5  |           |
| PEOPLE   | 00        |
| Children's Social Care and Safeguarding                              | 23        |
| Early Help, Partnerships and Commissioning Education and Achievement | 8         |
|  | 20<br>25  |
| Joint Commissioning  | <b>76</b> |
| People   |           |
| PLACE  |           |
| Business Enterprise and Commercial Services                          | 23        |
| Economy and Place  | 21        |
| Homes and Communities  | 49        |
| Infrastructure   | 34        |
| Total Place  | 127       |
|  |           |
| CONTINGENCIES  |           |
| Advisory Contingency   | 20        |
| Fraud Contingency  | 150       |
| Unplanned Audit Contingency  | 50        |
| Other non-audit chargeable work                                      | 116       |
| Total Contingencies  | 336       |
|  |           |
| Total Shropshire Council   | 912       |
| External Clients   | 224       |
| Total Audit Plan   | 1,136     |
|  |           |

#### Appendix B

| 2 For U Education Places for 2 Year Olds | Electoral Registration System          | Partner Agency Response                  |
|--|--|--|
| Adaptations                              | Enable                                 | Partnership with Severnside & Shropshire |
| Adoption Process including allowances    | Energy Efficiency                      | Council                                  |
| Adult Social Care Budget Management      | Energy Grants                          | Partnerships                             |
| Adult Social Care Caseload Management    | External Catering Contracts            | Passenger Transport Compliance           |
| Amazon Web Services Platform (AWS)       | External Legal Support                 | Arrangements                             |
| Anti-Money Laundering Arrangements       | Facilities Management & Security       | Passenger Transport Procurement          |
| Application Development Management       | Financial Rules                        | Arrangements                             |
| Arrangements                             | Firewall Management                    | Payroll - verification to establishment  |
| Aquamira                                 | Flexiroute Project/Application         | Payroll System                           |
| ARIS                                     | Flood Risk Management Arrangements     | PC Replacement Programme                 |
| Assessments and looked after children    | Food Safety                            | PCI Compliance                           |
| Assistive Technologies including BOTS    | Forecasting (Budgets)                  | Performance Plus Online Register         |
| Asylum Seekers Accommodation             | Foster care                            | Personal Budgets - Deferred Payments     |
| Bacstel-IP                               | Four Rivers Nursing Home               | Personal Budgets / Direct Payments       |
| Bank Contract                            | Four Rivers Nursing Home Comforts Fund | Finance Team- Adults                     |
| Bankline                                 | Funding & Programmes                   | PFI                                      |
| Benefit Options Team                     | Galaxy - Libraries System              | Plans & Deeds- Security                  |

Unplanned Call Off List: Audit areas of high priority for which no dedicated provision is made in this year's Internal Audit plan.

Broadband Contract / Grant Brokerage

**BT Contract Monitoring** 

**Building Control** 

**Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery** 

- non IT

Business Parks - Investment and

**Bereavement Services Contract** 

BluPrint - Print Unit Operations

Bring Your Own Device (BYOD)

BIG Town Plan / Riverside Development

Infrastructure

Greenacres Rural Unit Hardware Inventories

Hardware Replacement Programme

Health and Wellbeing Board Health Visiting Services Helena Lane Day Centre

**Highways Development Control** 

**Highways Land Search** 

Highways Maintenance - In house Highways Maintenance - Term

Maintenance -Kier

**Highways Specialist Contracts** 

Post 16 Transition Prevent duties

**Private Sector Housing** Privileged User Security

**Property Maintenance Select Lists** Property Repair and Maintenance

**Property Services** 

Provider Services - Group Homes Contract

PSG Portal (SFG20) **Public Health Contracts** 

Public Health Funding /cross over &

supporting processes

Unplanned Call Off List: Audit areas of high priority for which no dedicated provision is made in this year's Internal Audit plan.

**CALM** 

Capital Strategy

Carbon Emissions (NI 185) & Trading

Cardholder Management System for Blue

Badges (CMS)

Care Bill / Better Care Fund / Public Health

**Plans** 

Care Leaver Allowances

Case Management IKEN court bundling

Cash Offices - Regularity Audits

**CASPAR** 

**Central Customer Services** 

CHARMS Adoption Service (IT)

Children's Improvement Board

Children's Residential Care Contract

Management

Children's Residential Homes

Children's Social Care case management

Children's social care workers - recruitment,

retention and agency

Chipside Parking System Application

Review

Code of Conduct - Gifts & Hospitality

Community Mental Health Team

Community Outreach Team

**CONFIRM-Highways Management System** 

Constitution

Contact Centre IT System (EICC)

Continuing Health Care Funding

Coroners and Mortuary Service

Corporate Data Lake

Corporate Networking - Active Directory

Highways Transfer of Maintenance Contracts to Town and Parishes

Home and Lone Working Arrangements

Home to School Transport

Host Operator Processing System (HOPS)

Housing & Planning Delivery Grant

**Housing Capital Client** 

Housing Client ALMO / STAR

Housing Options / Homelessness

Housing Revenue Account Housing Services IT System

HR Casework / Investigations / Probation

Reviews / Advice

**HR Policies** 

Human Resources - JD's, PS's and Contracts, Leavers Guidance for PT

Workers

ICT Project Financing and Recharges IDOX Planning, Building Control &

Gazetteer Management System Idsall Sports Centre - Joint Use Imprest Administration System

Information Governance Arrangements

Insurance of IT Facilities Intranet and Website

IT Business Partnering Model

IT Code of Practice

IT Registration & Deregistration

Procedures
Job Evaluation

Joint Use Leisure Facilities

Key Supply Contracts

Public Health Risk Awareness Self

**Assessment Tool** 

Public Transport - Concession Fares

Pump House

**Purchasing & Contract Arrangements** 

**Quarry Swimming Pool** 

Recharges - Internal Market

**Records Management** 

Recruitment / Retention / Redeployment

arrangements

Registrars Booking System Zipporah

Application

Remote Access, Citrix & VPN

Remote Support Respite Care

Safeguarding Support

Safeguarding Board Partnership

Salary Sacrifice Schemes (Childcare, AL

etc)

Scheduled Penetration Testing

Section 17 Payments Children

SEN Hubs eg Kettlemere Centre

SEND Assessments

SEND Commissioning

SEND Early Intervention

Shire Services Purchasing & Procurement

Shrewsbury Museums General (including

regimental)

Shropshire Youth - Central Administration

SIMS - Schools Use & Control

Arrangements

Sixth Form Schools Calculation

Unplanned Call Off List: Audit areas of high priority for which no dedicated provision is made in this year's Internal Audit plan.

Corporate Performance Reporting /

**Dashboards** 

Corporate Project Management Office

Counter Fraud Work Housing Tenancy

Covenants

COVID Business Grants - Follow Up Review

**COVID Grants - Bus subsidies** 

Customer First Points

Cyber Response Plan

**Cyber Security Contract Management** 

(Normcyber)
Data Quality

Database Access / Admin / Management

**DBS** 

**Decommission Shirehall Data Centre** 

Project

**Dedicated Schools Grant (Including High** 

Needs Block) Design Team

**DFT Asset Funding** 

Digital Customer Services
Direct Payments Children

Disability Facility Grants / Major Adaption

Grants

**Diversity Arrangements** 

Domiciliary & Respite Services

**Drugs and Alcohol** 

Early Education (Nursery)
Education Access Service
Education Admission Policy

**Education Management System** 

**Education Psychologist** 

Land Charges Leaving Care

Leisure Centres / Facilities and Swimming

**Pools** 

Libraries Establishment Audits

Licensing

**Local Digital Cyber** 

Local Government Pension Pool (LGPS)

Mail Room - Manual

Management & Control of CCTV

**Operations** 

Marches Forward Partnership

Matrix Booking System Meole Brace Golf Course Microsoft Azure (Office 365)

Microsoft Dynamics CRM Application

Microsoft Mobile Applications

MiPermit App

Mobile Device Management - Intune

Modern.Gov

Monitoring of Schools Deficit/Surplus

Budgets

Multi Agency Teams Museum on the Move

**Network Perimeter Defences** 

**Network Routing** 

NRSWA - Road Openings & S278

Old Market Hall, Shrewsbury

On-line payments

Out of County Education / Placements
Out of County IT Equipment Delivery

PAMs Assessments

Social Care Establishment Reviews

Social Enterprises Social Prescribing

Software Inventories / Licensing Solar Winds Network Monitoring

Special Transport Contract Arrangements Special Transport/ Routing Arrangements

Speech and Language Impairment

**START** 

Street Scene

Supported Board and Lodgings

Supported Living - Perthyn Contract

Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STP)

Telecommunications - Contracts.

Procurement and Monitoring Temporary Accommodation

Third Party Audits for Hosted Systems Third Party Contractor Access Controls

TOG (Transport Operations Group)

TOMS-ITU

Transforming Care Partnerships (TCP)

University UNIX VAT

ViceVersa Pro (Backup for Digital Images)

Virtual School

Waste - Veolia Contract

Web Self Serve CRM Application

Winter Maintenance

Youth Activities / Community Hubs and

Commissioning

|                                   | Unplanned Call Off List: Audit areas of high priority for which no dedicated provision is made in this year's Internal Audit plan. |  |  |  |  |
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| J - Enforcement and issue of NPOs |  |  |  |  |  |
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## Appendix C

De Minimis Audit areas: Where managers will be able to provide any necessary assurance.

**Abbots Wood Day Opportunities** Land Drainage

**Academy Exit Process Leasing Arrangements** 

**Accountable Bodies** Legacy Infrastructure and Systems

Adobe Sign Legionella

Adult Placements / Care Assessments Liquid Logic Application (Adults & Childrens) / Controcc

Adult Services Management Controls (Safeguarding) Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP)

Adult Social Care - Financial Assessments Local Transport Plan (LTP)

Albert Road Day Opportunities Ludlow Museum & Resource Centre

Man-8Man (Permissions Reporting) Animal Health & Welfare

**Antivirus Controls** Management of Log Files

Medium Term Financial Strategy AONB (Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty) - Craven Arms

Appointeships/Court of Protection and Deputyships Members Allowances

Apprenticeship Levy Microsoft Applications - Deployment and Control **Arcview GIS Application** Microsoft Endpoint Manager

Asbestos

Mobile Devices - Phones and Tablets Including Billing

**Asset Management Strategy** North Shropshire Countryside Rangers **Avalon Comforts Fund** 

Northgate - Revenues & Benefits Application

**Avalon Court Day Opportunities** Nursery Grants 3 to 5 years **Nutanix Data Centre Solution Benefits Administration Grant** 

**Bio Digester** 

Occupational Health Budget Management and Control - Corporate Occupational Therapy

Budget Management and Control - Shire Services One App Online Planning Portal Application

**Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery** Parking - Income Collection

Business Rates / NDR Parks & Countryside Sites Establishment Reviews

Capital - Management and Monitoring Patch Management

Capital Accounting System Personal Allowances

Cleaning Services Review Personal Budgets / Direct Payments Support Services (POhWER Comfort Fund Reviews

replacement) **Planning** Commercial Strategy and Plans

PLUMS - Planning Policy Control Communications

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Community Car Scheme

Community Infrastructure Levy

**Community Safety** 

Construction Industry Tax Deduction Scheme

Contaminated Land

Contracts and Tendering - Corporate

Contracts and Tendering - Property

Corporate Landlord (Estate Management)

COVID PPE procurement and allocation

Culture & Leisure Grants

**Debt Recovery** 

Digital Delivery Unit (DDU)

Digital Mailroom Project

Disposal of IT Equipment

**DOLS Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards** 

**Domestic Abuse** 

**Economic Growth Projects** 

EDRM SharePoint Emergency Planning

Employee Authentication Service

Encryption

**End User Computing** 

**Enterprise and Business Grants** 

Environmental Enforcement & Byelaws

**Environmental Maintenance Grants** 

**Environmental Service** 

Equitrac Application

**ERDF Grant Claims** 

Fishing and Sporting Rights

Flexi/ Annualised Time System

Free Bus Entitlement Process

Free School Meals

**Power Apps** 

**Primary School Income Collection** 

**Procurement Arrangements** 

Procurement Cards

Project Management

**Project Management Adequacy of Arrangements** 

Property Sales and Acquisitions PSN (public sector network)

Public access mapping server/e-planning

Purchasing Domiciliary, Residential and Nursing Care: Adults,

ALD, Mental Health

Recruitment & Management of Volunteers

Register of Electors

Registrars Service (Income)

Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act (RIPA)

Remote Servers

Rent of Council Owned Property Resourcelink- HR Application Review

Revenues - Document Management System Application

Road Safety

Roman Road Sports Centre - Joint Use

Sales Ledger

Sales Ledger-Periodic Income

School Census

**Schools Business Support Services** 

Schools Library service

Secondary School Income Collection

Section 106 Agreements Section 11 Arrangements

Security Management and Cyber Response

Service Desk Procedures and Business Administration

Severn Valley Park

#### De Minimis Audit areas: Where managers will be able to provide any necessary assurance.

Gladstone - Leisure Centre system

**Grey Fleet** 

Health & Safety

Health Partnership Governance including budgets / approvals

Health and Wellbeing Board Governance

Helena Lane / Friars Walk Day Centre Comforts Fund

Highways Maintenance - Bridges

**Highways Permits** 

Historic Environment & Listed Buildings Home and Flexible Working Arrangements

Homepoint Contract Housing Benefits

Housing Provision - Development Cornovii

**Housing Strategy** 

ICT Governance Process / Approvals

**Income Collection** 

Insurance

Integration Hub

Internet

Inventories Management IT Business Administration

IT Change Management

IT Security Policy

IT Service Delivery Management IT Strategy / Digital Strategy

Ivanti Service Desk

**Shropshire Archives** 

Shropshire Children's Trust Shropshire Music Service

Shropshire Partners in Care (SPIC) Sickness Monitoring and Other Leave

SLA's & Invoicing Arrangements

**Smallholdings Estate** 

SMR - Sites & Monuments Record

Social Care & Health Training

Strategic Transformation Partner PWC

Street Lighting

Street Scene - Dog Wardens Teachers Pension Scheme Technology Forge Application

Tell Us Once Processes

Theatre Severn
Trading Standards
Traffic Schemes

Treasury Management Voluntary Car Scheme

Waste - Non Veolia Contracts

Waste - Policy & Management Arrangements

Wayfarers Comforts Fund Wayfarers Day Opportunities

Wide area network Wireless Networking