# ROCHFORD DISTRICT COUNCIL



# Finance & Procedures Overview & Scrutiny Committee

## agenda

Chairman's callover – 6.30pm in the Chairman's Briefing Room

Date

28 October 2003

Time

7.30pm

Place

Committee Room 4 Civic Suite Rayleigh

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Liberal Democrat Group Cllr R A Oatham

#### **Terms of Reference**

To consider the following in accordance with the Overview and Scrutiny Procedures Rules: The Council's budget, the management of its budget, capital and revenue borrowing, assets and audit arrangements, Policies and Strategies of the Council and other bodies which affect the economic, social and political resources available to the District including best value, the community plan, corporate plan, local democracy and the achievement of objective transparent and accountable decision making by the Council.

#### **Corporate Objectives**

To provide quality cost effective services To work towards a safer and more caring community To promote a green and sustainable environment To encourage a thriving local economy To improve the quality of life for people in our District To maintain and enhance our local heritage and culture

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- 1 Apologies for Absence
- 2 Substitutes
- 3 Non-Members attending
- 4 Minutes of the Meeting held on 14 October 2003
- 5 To Receive Declarations of Interest

#### 6 Internal Audit Progress Report

To consider the report of the Chief Executive on progress achieved during the first six months of the 2003/04 Audit Plan, the charter for internal audit and the anti-fraud and corruption strategy.

#### 7 Audit and Inspection Report

To consider the report of the Chief Executive on the recommendations of the external auditors, including the Best Value Performance Plan.

#### 8 Exclusion of the Press and Public

To agree that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the remaining business on the grounds that exempt information as defined in paragraph 14 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 would be disclosed.

### 9 Audit Report

To consider the exempt report of the Chief Executive which details completed audit investigations and provides an update of audit recommendations.



Paul Warren Chief Executive 9.1