

Warwickshire Joint Audit and Standards Committee Report Summary

Meeting Date: 23rd January 2020

Subject: Warwickshire Joint Audit and Standards Committee work plan

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Purpose of the Report:

The Warwickshire JASC will meet at least four times a year, roughly on a quarterly basis, with the possibility of extra meetings being arranged as and when required. Their role is to provide scrutiny, assurance and resilience to the governance arrangements in place across the PCC and force. The ongoing review and development of the workplan seeks to ensure the committee is effective in fulfilling this requirement.

The attached draft workplan has been prepared to outline some of the upcoming reports and agenda items that are envisaged over the next 12 months and is included for further consideration. The committee are asked to comment, amend and adjust the suggested workplan as they see fit and establish any other priorities that they feel may be appropriate for the committee over this period as Warwickshire continues to exit from the Strategic Alliance with West Mercia.

Some basic overview and induction training has already taken place for new members to the Committee, and further training sessions will be developed in conjunction with the requirements set out by members. The training requirements are comprehensive and as such sessions will be ongoing over a period of time.

Recommendation:

That the Joint Audit and Standards Committee note and comment on the draft workplan, and suggest any changes or additions to the work of the Committee over the next 12 months. The workplan will be updated continually in conjunction with the committee and included for consideration at each JASC meeting.