

## **Statement of Accounts 2023-24**

Notice is given that the unaudited statement of accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024 has been published on the Council's website. The statement of accounts is unaudited and may be subject to change.

### **Rights to inspect the statement of accounts and accounting records**

We are required by the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 to publish a Statement of Accounts for the financial year ended 31 March 2024, setting out the financial position of the council and the transactions that have been made during the year.

Sections 25 and 26 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 provide local government electors with the right to inspect and make copies of the statement of accounts, accounting records and all documents relating to those records. These rights may be exercised from 1 July 2024 to 9 August 2024 between the hours of 10am and 4pm at Hull City Council, The Guildhall, Alfred Gelder Street, Kingston-upon-Hull, HU1 2AA.

### **Rights to question the auditor and to make objections at audit**

Under section 26 of the Act, a local government elector may question the auditor about the accounting records for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 and, under section 27 of the Act, a local government elector may make an objection to the auditor which:

- Concerns a matter in respect of which the auditor could make a public interest report under section 24 of the Act; or
- Concerns an item of account in respect of which the auditor could apply for a declaration that the item is unlawful under section 28 of the Act.

These rights may be exercised from 1 July 2024 to 9 August 2024. Any requests to question the auditor and any objections must be made in writing to the auditor, Mark Kirkham, at the following address:

Forvis Mazars LLP, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 3 Wellington Place, Leeds, LS1 4AP.

A copy of any objection must also be sent to Hull City Council at the following address:

Hull City Council, The Guildhall, Alfred Gelder Street, Kingston-upon-Hull, HU1 2AA.

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