

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS

LOCAL AUDIT AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT 2014

ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT REGULATIONS 2015 as amended by

THE ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT (CORONAVIRUS)(AMENDMENT)REGULATIONS 2020

NOTICE is given that Nottinghamshire County Council's Statement of Accounts, Annual Governance Statement and Narrative Report for the year ended 31 March 2020 together with all books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers and receipts relating to them are to be open for public inspection. From 13 July 2020 to 21 August 2020 (30 working days) the accounts and other documents will be available for inspection; application should be made initially via the following e-mail address – corporate.accounting@nottscc.gov.uk

We will endeavour to supply all information electronically but please note that with social distancing requirements due to COVID-19 that there may be delays accessing physical copies of certain documents requested, such as original deeds or contracts.

NOTICE is also given that for a 30 working day statutory period from 13 July 2020 to 21 August 2020, a local elector (that is anyone who has a right to vote in local government elections for the Nottinghamshire County Council) may personally or by a representative ask the Auditor questions about the accounts. A local elector may also in the same 30 working day statutory period, either personally or by a representative, make objections to anything about which the Auditor could take action under section 28 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014. Those sections deal with expenditure made by the County Council which is unlawful, and any matter in respect of which the auditor could make a public interest report under Section 27 of the Act.

A local elector who wishes to make an objection must first make sure that the Auditor has received a written notice setting out the objection and the grounds on which it is to be made and must send a copy of that notice to the County Council for the attention of the County Council's Monitoring Officer.

The name of the Auditor is Mr John Gregory of Grant Thornton UK LLP. Questions and notices of objection should be sent directly to him. The Auditor's own address is John Gregory, Director, Grant Thornton UK LLP, Colmore Plaza, 20 Colmore Circus Queensway, Birmingham, B4 6AT.

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