

Report of the Vice-Chair of Committee

# Central Midlands Audit Partnership Board

## SUMMARY

1.1 This report provides the Committee with an update on Board activity.

#### RECOMMENDATION

2.1 To request that the Vice-Chair provides a briefing note on the key issues discussed at the Board meeting to Committee members.

## REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

3.1 The Vice-Chair is the Committee's representative on the CMAP Board.

#### SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 4.1 The next meeting of the Central Midlands Audit Partnership Board is on 10 December 2014.
- 4.2 The Board will receive reports on the following:
  - County Wide Shared Services The Board are being asked for views on a report by Baker Tilly that was commissioned by the Derbyshire Finance Officers Association to look at the potential for a countywide internal audit service.
  - CMAP Internal Audit Plan Progress
     This report on provides the Board with an overview of CMAP's work across the
     partner organisations and clients.
  - CMAP Performance Report This report gives the Board an updated position on CMAP's performance dashboard and demonstrates the effectiveness of the Partnership.
  - Audit Charter & QAIP Improvement Plan This report seeks the Board's approval for revisions to the Charter and to update the Board on progress to date with the Improvement Plan
  - Training & Development The Head of the Partnership will update the Board on progress to date with professional training/development approvals made at the May meeting.

- CMAP Marketing Board members will be asked to review/discuss potential partnering and contracting opportunities.
- CMAP Expenditure
   A discussion is planned to discuss future expenditure plans and the impact on
   the CMAP of the Host Authority's spending restrictions
- 4.3 I am keen to reflect the views of the Committee at the Board meeting, particularly in respect of the report on the proposal for a Countywide Internal Audit service. I plan to verbally outline the key findings of this report to you at this Committee meeting.

## **OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

5.1 N/A

This report has been approved by the following officers:

Legal officer	n/a
Financial officer	n/a
Human Resources officer	n/a
Estates/Property officer	n/a
Service Director(s)	n/a
Other(s)	n/a

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Background papers:	None
List of appendices:	Appendix 1 – Implications

# IMPLICATIONS

#### **Financial and Value for Money**

1.1 None directly arising.

## Legal

2.1 None directly arising

## Personnel

3.1 None directly arising

# IT

4.1 None directly arising

## **Equalities Impact**

5.1 None directly arising

## Health and Safety

6.1 None directly arising

## **Environmental Sustainability**

7.1 None directly arising

# **Property and Asset Management**

8.1 None directly arising

#### **Risk Management**

9.1 None directly arising

# Corporate objectives and priorities for change

10.1 None directly arising