Audit and Assurance Committee



Date: 13 July 2017

Item: Cyber Security Update

This paper will be considered in public

1 Summary

- 1.1 This paper provides an update status to our cyber security programme.
- 1.2 A paper is included on Part 2 of the agenda which contains exempt supplemental information and documentation. Subject to the decision of the Committee, this paper is exempt and is therefore not for publication to the public or press by virtue of paragraph 7 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 in that it contains information relating to action which might be taken in relation to prevention, investigation or prosecution of a crime.

2 Recommendation

2.1 The Committee is asked to note the paper.

3 Background

- 3.1 Like many other businesses we were also subject to the Wannacry attack. Our defence against this particular malware held up and there was no impact from it. Nevertheless, we are learning lessons to ensure our systems remain as resilient to attack as we can make them.
- 3.2 Details of the attack and our defence are set out in the paper on Part 2 of the agenda.
- 3.3 It is proposed that the Committee receive six monthly updates, or reporting by exception.

List of appendices to this paper:

Supplementary information is included in Part 2 of the agenda.

List of Background Papers:

None

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