## LONDON BOROUGH OF SUTTON

## **AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020**

## LOCAL AUDIT AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT 2014 SECTION 25 ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT REGULATIONS 2015 REGULATION 16

The Council's appointed auditor has completed the audit of the accounts ending 31 March 2020, and an unqualified opinion on the financial statements was issued by the auditor on 27 January 2021.

However, the certificate of completion of the audit cannot yet be formally issued by the auditor until two items of work are completed:

- to issue the Whole of Government Accounts Component Assurance Statement;
- to review actions taken by the Council in response to their audit findings report addendum presented to Audit and Governance Committee on 21 January 2021

Any local government elector for the area to which the accounts relate may inspect and make copies of the Statement of Accounts.

The accounts will be available for inspection on application to the Head of Financial, Reporting and Control at Civic Offices, St Nicholas Way, Sutton, Surrey, SM1 1EA, during normal office hours.

However, due to the current Health Protection Regulations in force, please contact <u>fca@sutton.gov.uk</u> for a faster response, as the Council's offices are currently closed to the majority of staff and public.

The Statement of Accounts are also available on the Council's website at <a href="https://www.sutton.gov.uk/downloads/download/559/annual\_accounts">https://www.sutton.gov.uk/downloads/download/559/annual\_accounts</a>