

# **SOUTHAM TOWN COUNCIL**

## **NOTICE OF CONCLUSION OF AUDIT**

Accounts year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017

The Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015(S1 2015 No.234)  
The Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014

Date of Notice **4<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

The Audit of the Council's Accounts for the above year has been concluded on 30<sup>th</sup> August 2017 by Grant Thornton UK LLP

### **Publication of Accounts**

The Annual governance statement, Accounting statements and the External auditor certificate and report (the Annual Return) have been published at [www.southamcouncil-warks.gov.uk](http://www.southamcouncil-warks.gov.uk)

Copies of documents are available for purchase by any person. Payment to be made in accordance with STC's publication scheme schedule of charges. Documents will remain available for public access for a period of not less than 5 years from the date of this notice.

**Section 25 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 provides for the exercise of public rights to inspect the statement of accounts:**

**Local Government Electors and their representatives have rights to make copies of**

- **the accounting statements**
- **the external auditor's opinion and certificate of completion**
- **any public interest report relating to the authority**
- **any recommendation relating to the authority**

**For the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017 these documents will be available on reasonable notice on application to The Town Clerk**

**Monday to Friday 9am to 1pm**

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For more detailed guidance on electors' rights and the special powers of auditors, copies the publication Council Accounts – A Guide to Your Rights are available from National Audit Office website <https://www.nao.org.uk/code-audit-practice/wp-content/uploads/sites/29/2015/03/Councilaccounts-a-guide-to-your-rights.pdf>