

	Ernst & Young: 2013/14 Audit Fee Letter		
Date of Meeting:	16 April 2013		
Report of:	Ernst & Young		
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Ward(s) affected:	All		

1. SUMMARY AND POLICY CONTEXT:

1.1 The attached fee letter sets out the audit work that we propose to undertake for the 2013/14 financial year at Brighton & Hove City Council. The fee reflects the risk-based approach to audit planning set out in the Code of Audit Practice and the work mandated by the Audit Commission for 2013/14. The audit fee covers the:

- Audit of the financial statements;
- Value for money conclusion; and
- Whole of Government accounts.

1.2 Our fee has been set by the Audit Commission as part of the recent 5 year procurement exercise and consequently is not liable to increase in that period without a change in scope.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS:

2.1 To note the 2013/14 audit fee letter.

