

HYNDBURN BOROUGH COUNCIL

Statement of Accounts 2015/16 – Public Inspection Notice

Notice of the Start of the Period for the Exercise of Public Rights

The Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 The Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015

The period for the exercise of public rights starts 9:00am on June 28th and concludes at 4:00pm on August 8th.

The following documents will be available at Scaitcliffe House, Ormerod Street, Accrington BB5 0PF:

- The Statement of Accounts
- The Annual Governance Statement
- The Narrative Report

Information which contains personal details or is commercially sensitive will not be open to inspection.

From 9:00am on June 28th to 4:00pm on August 8th any person may inspect the accounting records of the Council for the financial year to 31st March 2016 and certain related documents (books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers and receipts) at the address above. They may also make copies of the accounts and documents.

From 9:00am on June 28th to 4:00pm on August 8th at the request of a local government elector, the local auditor must give to the elector, or any representative of the elector, an opportunity to question the auditor about the accounting records of the Council.

From June 28th until August 8th a local government elector for the area of the Council or his/her representative may object to the Council's accounts asking that the auditor issues a report in the public interest or apply for a declaration that an item of account is unlawful under section 28 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014.

Written notice of the proposed objection, raised under sections 26 and 27 of the 2014 Act above, and the grounds on which it is made should be addressed to the auditor, Karen Murray, Grant Thornton, 4 Hardman Street, Spinningfields, Manchester, M3 3EB.

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