

# AUDIT, GOVERNANCE AND STANDARDS COMMITTEE MEETING

Date: Monday 17 January 2022  
Time: 6.30 p.m.  
Venue: Town Hall, High Street, Maidstone

## Membership:

Councillors Bartlett (Vice-Chairman), Brindle, Coulling (Parish Representative), Cuming, Daley, Fissenden, Perry (Chairman), J Sams, Titchener (Parish Representative), Trzebinski and de Wiggondene-Sheppard

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**Alison Broom, Chief Executive**

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