AUDIT OF ACCOUNT 2021-2022

NOTICE OF CONCLUSION

In accordance with Regulation 16 of the Accounts and Audit (England) Regulations 2015 notice is given that the audit of the Statement of Accounts for Southend on Sea City Council 2021/22 has been concluded. An unqualified audit opinion was issued on 19 December 2023.

The rights conferred on local government electors by section 25 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 are to:

- inspect and make copies of the statement of accounts
- inspect and make copies of any other report, other than an immediate report, made to the Authority from the auditor
- require copies of any such statement or report to be delivered on payment of a reasonable sum for each copy

These rights can be exercised, on application to the Council's Finance Team by emailing <u>accountancyreturns@southend.gov.uk</u>.

The accounts, the auditor's ISA 260 report and the auditor's annual report are published on the Council's website at:

https://www.southend.gov.uk/downloads/download/377/our_budget_and_financial_pr ocesses

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