

REPORT FOR DECISION

Agenda Item

MEETING: AUDIT COMMITTEE

DATE: 20 February 2007

SUBJECT: RECONCILIATIONS UP-DATE

REPORT FROM: Director of Finance and E-Government

CONTACT OFFICER: M Owen – Director of Finance and E-Government

TYPE OF DECISION: Non-Key

REPORT STATUS: FOR PUBLICATION

PURPOSE/SUMMARY:

To up-date the Committee on progress with the bank and feeder system reconciliations.

The report shows that reconciliations are up-to-date and that there are no major problems.

OPTIONS AND RECOMMENDED OPTION (with reasons):

The Committee is asked to note the contents of the report.

IMPLICATIONS -

Financial Implications and Risk Considerations

There are no direct resource implications

arsing from the report.

Corporate Aims/Policy Framework:

Do the proposals accord with the Policy Framework? Yes

Are there any legal implications? No

Considered by the Monitoring

Officer?

Yes. No specific comments

Statement by Director of Finance

and E-Government:

Reconciliations are on track and no major

problems have been identified.

Staffing/ICT/Property: None specifically

Wards Affected: All

Scrutiny Interest: None.

TRACKING/PROCESS DIRECTOR: Mike Owen

Chief Executive/ Management Board	Executive Member/ Chair	Ward Members	Partners
Scrutiny Panel	Executive	Committee	Council

1.0 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 At the Committee's meeting on 12 December 2006 an up-date of the position in respect of various reconciliations was provided and Committee were promised that they would be kept informed of progress during the remainder of the year.
- 1.2 The latest position is as follows:
 - Accounts payable complete to the end of January 2007; all reconciling adjustments resolved
 - Accounts receivable complete to the end of January 2007; all reconciling adjustments resolved
 - Trent (payroll) to Agresso complete to the end of January 2007; all reconciling adjustments resolved
 - Cash receipts to Agresso complete up to end of January 2007, all reconciling adjustments resolved. Being done daily on an ongoing basis
 - Payments Bank Reconciliation: this is up-to-date and being done regularly on an ongoing basis.
 - Income Bank Reconciliation completed to the end of October, resources re-directed to assist in catching up but no issues anticipated. The system changes needed to allow automation of this process within Agresso have now been implemented and are awaiting testing.

- All outstanding issues relating to the brought-forward of balances from 2005/06 appear to have been resolved
- Reconciliation of the bank figure within the Trial Balance against the bank statement will be complete by the end of February
- 1.3 This matter continues to receive the highest possible attention and the authority is keeping KPMG informed as matter progress, and consulting with them on the shape of the new reconciliation processes. A further up-date will be brought to the Committee's next meeting.

Mike Owen
Director of Finance and E-Government

Background documents:

Various working papers available from the Director of Finance and E-Government

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