Pwyllgor Archwilio 14 Gorffenaf 2017

Cyfriflen 2016-2017

Yr Argymhellion / Penderfyniadau Allweddol Sydd Eu Hangen:

- I dderbyn Datganiad Cyfrifon 2016/17 (Cyngor Sir Caerfyrddin a Chronfa Bensiwn Dyfed)
- 2) I gymeradwyo'n adolygol y symudiadau o ac i'r Cronfeydd Wrth Gefn. Yn benodol y trosglwyddiadau i'r: Gronfa Datblygiadau Mawr Gronfa Rheoli'r Fflyd Arian Cyfalaf y Rhaglen Moderneiddio Addysg

Y Rhesymau:

Cydymffurfio â Rheolau Cyfrifon ac Archwilio (Cymru) 2014

Ymgynghorwyd â'r pwyllgor craffu perthnasol NADDO

Angen i'r Bwrdd Gweithredol wneud penderfyniad NAC OES Angen i'r Cyngor wneud penderfyniad NAC OES

YR AELOD O'R BWRDD GWEITHREDOL SY'N GYFRIFOL AM Y PORTFFOLIO:-Cyng. David Jenkins

Y Gyfarwyddiaeth: Swyddi:

Gwasanaethau Corfforaethol

Pennaeth Gwasanaethau

Enw Pennaeth y Gwasanaeth : Owen Bowen

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY Audit Committee 14th July 2016

Statement of Account 2016-2017

The Statement of Accounts for 2016/17, which also includes the Dyfed Pension Fund accounts, is attached.

This Statement brings together all the financial transactions of the Authority and the Pension Fund for the year, and also details the Authority's and its Pension Fund assets and liabilities as at the 31st March 2017

The Authority has maintained the overall Council Fund net expenditure within budget during 2016/17, and you will note the following results are reported in the Movement in Reserves Statement:

Council Fund (Generally available for new expenditure). Transfer to balance £525k Balances held by schools under local management schemes. Transfer from balances £1967k. Housing Revenue Account. Increase in balance £4,890k

Whilst a number of service areas across the authority experienced demand led pressures during the year, these have been offset by under-spends in other service areas; specifically on capital financing costs which include a saving of £2.9m from the change in the repayment method of the Council's borrowing from a 4% reducing balance basis to a 'straight line' repayment basis of 2.5% (approved by County Council on 26th April 2017), and a higher than estimated collection level on Council Tax.

The resultant outturn has meant that the Authority transferred £525k to its general reserves, against a budgeted transfer of £65k from the reserves.

In the preparation of these accounts there have been movements to and from earmarked reserves. In particular transfers to:

The Major Development Fund. Transfer of £3.9m to support major developments in the future.

Fleet management: Transfer of £1.33m to meet fleet replacement costs

MEP Capital Funding: £3.685m set aside in the 2016-2017 budget to meet the cost of prudential borrowing to finance the Modernising Education Provision programme. This will now be utilised in 2017-2018.

Members are therefore asked to retrospectively approve these movements

DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED?	YES



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IMPLICATIONS

I confirm that other than those implications which have been agreed with the appropriate Directors / Heads of Service and are referred to in detail below, there are no other implications associated with this report :

Signed: Owen Bowen Head of Financial Services

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities	Legal	Finance	ICT	Risk Management Issues	Staffing Implications	Physical Assets
NONE	YES	YES	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE

1. Legal

Compliance with the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2014

2. Finance:

Overall the Authority's Council Fund net expenditure for the year was below the original budget, resulting in a transfer of £279k to balances on the Council Fund as opposed to a budgeted transfer £138k from Council Fund Balances, and a transfer of £1,542k from the Housing Revenue Account balance.

At the balance sheet date the Council Fund General Balances stood at £8.779, the Housing Revenue Account £9.120m and the balances held by schools under LMS £3.677m

The reserves created and included within the Statement of Accounts have been set up to meet future liabilities.





CONSULTATIONS

I confirm that the appropriate consultations have taken in place and the outcomes are as detailed below

Signed: Owen Bowen Interim Head of Financial Services

- **1.Scrutiny Committee Not applicable**
- 2.Local Member(s) Not applicable
- 3. Community / Town Council Not applicable
- **4.Relevant Partners Not applicable**
- 5.Staff Side Representatives and other Organisations Not applicable

Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report: THESE ARE DETAILED BELOW					
Title of Document	File Ref No.	Locations that the papers are available for public inspection			
Accounts and Audit (Wales) Regulations 2014		Corporate Services Department, County Hall, Carmarthen			
Code of Practice on Local Authority Accounting 2016		Corporate Services Department, County Hall, Carmarthen			

