

Annual Governance Statement 23/24 explanation

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4. We have provided proper opportunity during the year for the exercise of elector's rights in accordance with the requirements of the Accounts and Audit Regulations.

The Council has answered no as although minutes confirm that the period was set correctly, there is no record of the advertisement of that period on the Council website. The Council has had no officer support for a substantial period of the financial year but now has a temporary RFO in place to administer its finances and ensure it meets its obligations within the Accounts & Audit Regulations and proper practices.