

Report of Head of Governance Services

Report to Scrutiny Board (Strategy and Resources)

Date: 24 October 2016

Subject: Agency Staff Spending

Are specific electoral Wards affected? If relevant, name(s) of Ward(s):	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are there implications for equality and diversity and cohesion and integration?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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1 Purpose of this report

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to provide members of the Scrutiny Board with details of spend on agency staff across the Council.

2 Main issues

- 2.1 As part of the recent inquiry into ICT Resourcing, the Scrutiny Board considered the use of agency staff and associated spending on delivering aspects of ICT services. Previously, the use of agency staff and associated spending across the Council was considered by the Scrutiny Board in 2013/14..
- 2.2 Attached at Appendix 1, for consideration by the Scrutiny Board, are details of spending on agency staff over recent years.

3. Recommendations

- 3.1 Members are asked to consider the details provided and identify any specific areas that may require further scrutiny input/ activity.

4. Background papers¹

- 4.1 None used

¹ The background documents listed in this section are available to download from the Council's website, unless they contain confidential or exempt information. The list of background documents does not include published works.