

Sunderland City Council

Notice of Conclusion of Audit

Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 – Regulation 16

NOTICE is hereby given that the External Auditor has concluded the audit of the Statement of Accounts for Sunderland City Council for the year ended 31st March 2016.

The External Auditor has issued an unqualified opinion on the Council's accounts, an 'except for' qualification on the Value for Money conclusion (in relation to Ofsted's assessment of children's safeguarding services) and an audit certificate closing the audit.

In accordance with the regulations, the Statement of Accounts is available for inspection, free of charge, by any Local Government Elector for the area to which the accounts relate during normal office hours (10.00a.m. – 4.00p.m. Mondays to Fridays inclusive) after the date of the publication of this Notice at the Office of the Chief Executive, Civic Centre, Sunderland, and any such Elector may make copies of the Statement of Accounts on the payment of fifteen pounds for each copy.

An electronic version of the Statement of Accounts can also be found on the Council's website at:

<http://www.sunderland.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=10346>

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