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MEETING	JOINT PLANNING POLICY COMMITTEE
DATE	24 JUNE 2016
TITLE	ANNUAL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT FOR THE JOINT PLANNING POLICY COMMITEE
PURPOSE	TO ACCEPT AND APPROVE THE ANNUAL GOVERNANCE STATEMENT
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1. BACKGROUND

- 1.1 The Accounts and Audit (Wales) 2014 Regulations sets fixed requirements on public bodies that operate partnership management arrangements through formal joint committees.
- 1.2 Section 5 requires the Joint Committee to review and approve annually a statement of internal control. To comply with this requirement the Annual Governance Statement has been prepared. The document has been produced to offer a framework to the Joint Committee's operation, following consideration of different contracts between Gwynedd Council and the Isle of Anglesey County Council.
- 1.3 The Joint Planning Policy Committee is asked to accept and approve the Annual Governance Statement.