

CROYDON COUNCIL

INSPECTION OF ACCOUNTS YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2026 NOTICE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS

Notice is hereby given under Regulation 15(2)(b) of the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 as amended that the unaudited statement of accounts for the year ended 31 March 2026 has been published on the Council's website. The statement of accounts is unaudited and may be subject to change.

The draft accounts are available online at the following link:

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Notice is given that from **23 September to 4 November 2026** between 9:30am – 4:00pm on weekdays any person may inspect, and make copies of the accounts and all books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers, receipts and other related documents of the Council for the year ended 31st March 2026. These documents will be made available for inspection at Bernard Wetherill House, 8 Mint Walk, Croydon, CR0 1EA by prior arrangement. Applications should be made initially by e-mail to ian.geary2@croydon.gov.uk (Chief Accountant) to make an appointment.

During this period, a local government elector for any area to which the accounts relate, or their representative, may question the auditor about the accounts, or make an objection to the accounts as set out in sections 26 and 27 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014.

Any objection, and the grounds on which it is made, must be sent to the auditor in writing, at the contact points given below. Any objection must state the grounds on which the objection is being made and particulars of:

- i) any item of account which is alleged to be contrary to law; and
- ii) any matter in respect of which it is proposed that the auditor could make a public interest report under section 24 of, and paragraph 1 of Schedule 7 to, the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014.

Objections should be addressed to the auditor, Grant Thornton UK LLP, with the overseeing partner being Paul Dossett, at:

Email: paul.dossett@uk.gt.com

Address: 8 Finsbury Circus, London, EC2M 7EA

A guide to your rights can be found at <https://www.nao.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Council-accounts-a-guide-to-your-rights.pdf>

For clarity, a second public inspection period is necessary to enable the inspection of the Council's Annual Governance Statement, which was not available during the first public inspection period, which ran from 1st July to 11th August 2026.

Date: 22 September 2026

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