Audit and Governance Committee



Date of meeting: 22 July 2025

Title of Report: Information Governance Annual Report 24/25

Lead Member: Councillor Sue Dann (Cabinet Member for Customer Experience,

Sport, Leisure and HR and OD)

Lead Strategic Director: Ian Trisk-Grove (Service Director for Finance)

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Key Decision: No

Confidentiality: Part I - Official

Purpose of Report

To provide the annual Information Governance Figures

Recommendations and Reasons

I. The Committee are invited to note the contents of the report. There are no specific recommendations for decision in the report

Alternative options considered and rejected

I. None

Relevance to the Corporate Plan and/or the Plymouth Plan

The items in the report ensure that the Council is democratic by ensuring we meet our requirements for transparency in the provision of information to the public, that the Council is responsible by taking appropriate action when the Data Protection Act is breached.

Implications for the Medium Term Financial Plan and Resource Implications:

Dependant upon further growth of requests

Financial Risks

None identified

Legal Implications

(Provided by Liz Bryant)

The implications of non-compliance with Information Governance legislation are highlighted within the report and the measures in place to address compliance issues have also been explained. The effectiveness of these measures and any resultant improvement in compliance will need to be carefully monitored

Carbon Footprint (Environmental) Implications:

None

Other Implications: e.g. Health and Safety, Risk Management, Child Poverty:

* When considering these proposals members have a responsibility to ensure they give due regard to the Council's duty to promote equality of opportunity, eliminate unlawful discrimination and promote good relations between people who share protected characteristics under the Equalities Act and those who do not.

None

Appendices

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Background papers:

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Originating Senior Leadership Team member: Ian Trisk-Grove

Please confirm the Strategic Director(s) has agreed the report? Yes

Date agreed: 10/07/2025

Cabinet Member approval: Councillor Tudor Evans OBE approved verbally

Date approved: 14/07/2025

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