

## **Stroud District Council**

### **Audit of Accounts 2024/25**

#### **Notice of Completion - Audit of the Financial Statements**

As required by Regulation 16(1) of the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015, the Council gives notice that the audit of the accounts for 2024/25 was completed on 19 December 2025.

The rights conferred on local government electors by section 25 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 are to inspect and make copies of:

- the statement of accounts prepared by the authority,
- the local auditor's opinion on the statement of accounts,
- any public interest report relating to the authority or an entity connected with it, and
- any recommendation relating to the authority or an entity connected with it.

The accounts are published on the Council's website at:

<https://www.stroud.gov.uk/council-and-democracy/transparency-and-open-data/transparency-data/statement-of-accounts/>

The statement of accounts will also be available for inspection at Stroud District Council, Ebley Mill, Ebley Wharf, Stroud, GL5 4UB. Please telephone 01453 766321 to make an appointment. A reasonable charge will be made for copies.

The local auditors cannot conclude the audit and issue the certificate of completion until receiving confirmation from the National Audit Office that no additional work (beyond submission of the Assurance Statement) will be required in respect of the Whole of Government Accounts exercise.

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Section 151 Officer