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To: Councillors Peter Mabon (Chair), Sally Cogley (Vice-Chair), Stephen Canning, John McFadzean, Caroline Barton, Jayne Sangster, Jim Todd, Kevin McGregor, William Lennox, June Kyle and Jennifer Hogg.

19 June 2026

Dear Councillor

GOVERNANCE AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE – SPECIAL MEETING – 26 JUNE 2026

You are requested to attend a Special Meeting of the **Governance and Scrutiny Committee** to be held on **FRIDAY 26 JUNE 2026** commencing at **1030 HOURS** in the **COUNCIL CHAMBERS, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, LONDON ROAD, KILMARNOCK/ MICROSOFT TEAMS**, in order to consider the undernoted business.

The meeting of the Governance and Scrutiny Committee will be subject to delayed broadcast and a recording will be available to view on the Council's website. The Council's website will be updated with a hyperlink to the East Ayrshire Council Youtube channel where the video will be hosted. The Council's Youtube channel is managed by the Council's Communications Team.

Yours sincerely

SIGNED BY JULIE MCGARRY
ON BEHALF OF

Craig Young
Acting Chief Governance Officer
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B U S I N E S S

CALL FOR SEDERUNT AND INTIMATE APOLOGIES (page 1)

- 1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (page 2)** - Under this item, Members are asked to declare, if required, any interest in any of the undernoted items of business on the Agenda and provide an explanation of the nature of their interest.

2. **EAST AYRSHIRE PERFORMS – 2025/26 OUTTURN SUMMARY REPORT (pages 3-70)** – Submit report ([copy enclosed](#)) by the Acting Chief Executive (i) to advise Members of a number of important performance measures relative to 2025/26 including the unaudited financial position for the year ended 31 March 2026, expenditure reduction measures, treasury indicators, progress of the capital programme, absence management, complaints, health and safety and risk management; and (ii) to provide Members with details of the projected financial position in respect of the alternative delivery models; East Ayrshire Leisure Trust and Ayrshire Roads Alliance. **(PERFORMANCE)**.
3. **LOUDOUN ACADEMY: HMIE INSPECTION REPORT (pages 71-76)** - Submit report ([copy enclosed](#)) by the Director of Education and Skills and Chief Education Officer to present the findings of a report by Education Scotland: His Majesty's Inspectorate of Education (HMIE) following their inspection of Loudoun Academy. **(PERFORMANCE)**.
4. **DUTY OF CANDOUR - REGISTERED DAY CARE OF CHILDREN'S SERVICES AND HOUSING SUPPORT SERVICES (pages 77-86)** – Submit joint report ([copy enclosed](#)) by the Acting Depute Chief Executive and the Director of Education and Skills and Chief Education Officer to remit to Governance and Scrutiny Committee the annual reports on incidents which meet the duty of candour for housing support services and registered day care of children's services for the period 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2026. **(SCRUTINY)**
5. **CARE INSPECTORATE AND HIS MAJESTY'S INSPECTORATE OF EDUCATION IN SCOTLAND INSPECTIONS OF EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTRES AND FUNDED PROVIDERS DELIVERING EARLY LEARNING AND CHILDCARE (pages 87-111)** - Submit report ([copy enclosed](#)) by the Director of Education and Skills and Chief Education Officer which sets out the findings of published Care Inspectorate (CI) inspection reports for six Early Childhood Centres (ECCs) and two Funded Providers and His Majesty's Inspectorate of Education (HMIE) inspection reports of two standalone Early Childhood Centres and one Funded Provider of early learning and childcare (ELC) during the period 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026. **(PERFORMANCE)**.
6. **FINAL MEASUREMENTS ON CAPITAL WORKS CONTRACTS FOR THE PERIOD 1 OCTOBER 2025 - 31 MARCH 2026 (pages 112-118)** - Submit report dated 3 June 2026 ([copy enclosed](#)) by the Acting Chief Governance Officer to provide, for information, details of final measurements for capital works contracts agreed with the relevant contractors, in respect of the period from 1 October 2025 to 31 March 2026. **(SCRUTINY)**.

Recording - Virtual Meeting

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