

## **AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF ACCOUNTS 2022/23**

### **Notice for the commencement of the Period for the Exercise of Public Rights**

#### **Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 The Accounts and Audit (Amendment) Regulations 2022**

Notice is hereby given that the statement of accounts for Elmbridge Borough Council for the year ended 31 March 2023 will be published on the Council's website on the 31 May 2023 and will be available for public inspection in accordance with Sections 26 and 27 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 as detailed below:

1. From Thursday 1 June to Wednesday 12 July 2023 inclusive any person, on application to the Strategic Director & Deputy Chief Executive, Civic Centre, High Street, Esher, Surrey, KT10 9SD (Tel. 01372 474474, email [finance@elmbridge.gov.uk](mailto:finance@elmbridge.gov.uk)) may inspect and make copies of the accounts of the above named Council for the year ended 31 March 2023, and all the accounting records and documents.
2. From Thursday 1 June to Wednesday 12 July 2023 any Local Government elector for the Borough of Elmbridge, or their representative, may ask the auditor questions about the accounts.
3. From Thursday 1 June to Wednesday 12 July 2023 any such elector or their representative may make objections to the Council's accounts asking that the auditor issues a report in the public interest and/or apply for a declaration that an item in the accounts is unlawful under Section 28 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014.

No objection may be made unless the Auditor has previously received written notice of the proposed objection and the grounds on which it is to be made, and a copy of that notice must at the same time be sent to the Council at the address below.

The Council's external auditor is Grant Thornton UK LLP, 30 Finsbury Square, London, EC2A 1AG, to whom any questions and notices of objections should be addressed. These can be emailed to [Paul.Cuttle@uk.gt.com](mailto:Paul.Cuttle@uk.gt.com).

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