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GOVERNANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE Thursday, 24th November, 2022

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SUPPLEMENTARY PACK

1. SPRINGING FORWARD WORKFORCE MANAGEMENT

To receive and consider the Audit Wales report – Springing Forward Workforce Management".

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Council Response Form

Council action planned in response to the recommendations issued by Audit Wales

Council: Powys County Council

Report title: Springing Forward - Workforce

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R1	Performance management The Council needs to strengthen the performance management of its workforce by: • highlighting workforce items to Scrutiny Chairs for their consideration in developing agendas; and	To meet with relevant Scrutiny Chairs and Committees to discuss and highlight workforce items which they could add to their workplan	March 2023	Paul Bradshaw Head of Workforce and Organisational Development - Economy Residents and Communities Scrutiny Committee regarding the wider Council workforce. Nina Davies Director of Social Services and Housing - Health and Care Scrutiny Committee regarding the workforce she leads; and

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				Lynette Lovell Director of Education and Children – Learning and Skills Scrutiny Committee regarding the school's workforce.
Page 4	continuing to develop benchmarking activity on workforce with other organisations.	To seek to develop a workforce benchmarking group via WLGA with HR leads across the Welsh local authorities, to develop meaningful workforce benchmarking. Should this not prove possible to explore other avenues for meaningful benchmarking.	To develop a group and plan by March 2023 And to commence benchmarking from 2023/24	Paul Bradshaw Head of Workforce and Organisational Development