

WEST YORKSHIRE COMBINED AUTHORITY

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF THE 2023/24 AUDIT

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS

Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 (Section 25)
The Accounts and Audit England Regulations 2015 (Regulation 16)

In accordance with the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 and the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015, notice is hereby given that the audit of the financial statements for the West Yorkshire Combined Authority and its West Yorkshire Pension Fund for the year ended 31st March 2024 has concluded.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN under Section 25 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014, that the statements of accounts for the above-named Authority for the year ended 31st March 2024 are available for inspection by local government electors between the hours of 9:30am and 4:30pm weekdays, upon an application request to:

The Director of Finance & Commercial Services. Wellington House | 40-50 Wellington Street | Leeds | LS1 2DE.

Section 25 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 provides such rights as follows:

- a) Inspect and make copies of the statement of accounts prepared by the Authority;
- b) Inspect and make copies of the auditor's certificate that the audit of the Authority's accounts including that statement has been completed;
- c) Inspect and make copies of the auditor's opinion on the statement of accounts.

The Statement of Accounts 2023-24 and auditors' reports are available to view on the Combined Authority's website or by clicking the links below directly:

- Statement of Accounts 2023-24
- Auditors Annual Report 2023-24

Kate Taylor
Director of Finance & Commercial Services

Dated: 1st September 2025

Audit Completion Certificate issued to the members of West Yorkshire Combined Authority for the year ended 31 March 2024

In our auditor's report dated 26 February 2025, we explained that the audit could not be formally concluded until we had completed the work necessary in respect of the Authority's Whole of Government Accounts consolidation pack.

This work has now been completed.

Certificate

We certify that we have completed the audit of West Yorkshire Combined Authority for the year ended 31 March 2024 in accordance with the requirements of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 and the Code of Audit Practice issued by the National Audit Office.

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20 August 2025