



NOAC HOSTS A WORKSHOP FOR KEY PLAYERS IN THE OVERSIGHT OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT SECTOR

The National Oversight and Audit Commission hosted a workshop to bring together representatives of the local authority audit committees, the Local Government Audit Service and Internal Audit, today, 4th October 2023.

The National Oversight and Audit Commission (NOAC) gathered the Chairs of the Audit Committees from across local authorities, representatives of Internal Audit and the Local Government Audit Service in Portlaoise for a workshop at which an overview of the work of NOAC was provided. It also considered issues pertaining to internal audit and a general discussion on the challenges facing audit committees in local government.

Presentations on the day included updates on the recently published NOAC Local Authority Performance Indicator Report 2022 (29th September 2023), the Public Spending Code Report 2022 (20th September 2023) and the upcoming NOAC Good Practice in Local Government Seminar (26th October 2023). Discussions were also planned on NOAC's work in relation to a Review of the Implementation of Corporate Plans and Service Level Agreements.

Furthermore, NOAC presented its provisional findings of its local authority Internal Audit Survey and an overview was given of the experience of internal audit and internal audit networks by Longford County Council.

For further information regarding the workshop, please do not hesitate to contact noac@housing.gov.ie and further details can be provided.

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