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## **Biography**

## **Keith Abbott – Director, Education Planning and Access (KCC)**

Keith Abbott took up his current post as Director, Education Planning and Access in June 2015. He is CIPFA qualified having been a graduate trainee with KCC, qualifying in 1987. Keith became Head of Finance for Education in 1998 and then moved to the post of Director of Resources within Education in 2004. Following the KCC restructure in 2011/12 he took up the post of Director, School Resources. Keith was the Deputy s151 officer for KCC between 2005 and 2015, relinquishing that role when he took up his current post.