# **BEELEY PARISH COUNCIL**

# **ANNUAL TRANSPARENCY DOCUMENT**

# Contents:

- Audit return for year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2018 including governance statement
- 2017-2018 accounts showing all expenditure and income
- Code of conduct

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# Local Councils, Internal Drainage Boards and other Smaller Authorities in England

# Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2017/18 Part 3

# To be completed by:

- all smaller authorities\* where either the higher of gross income or gross expenditure exceeded £25,000 but did not exceed £6.5 million; and
- · any other smaller authorities that either:
  - · are unable to certify themselves as exempt; or
  - have requested a limited assurance review.

# Guidance notes on completing Part 3 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2017/18

- Every smaller authority in England that either received gross income or incurred gross expenditure exceeding £25,000 must complete Part 3 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return at the end of each financial year in accordance with Proper Practices.
- 2. The Annual Governance and Accountability Return is made up of three parts, pages 3 to 6:
  - . The annual internal audit report is completed by the authority's internal auditor.
  - · Sections 1 and 2 are to be completed and approved by the authority.
  - . Section 3 is completed by the external auditor and will be returned to the authority.
- The authority must approve Section 1, Annual Governance Statement, before approving Section 2, Accounting Statements, and both must be approved before 2 July 2018.
- 4. An authority with either gross income or gross expenditure exceeding £25,000 or an authority with neither income nor expenditure exceeding £25,000, but which is unable to certify itself as exempt, or requesting a limited assurance review, must send to the external auditor:
  - . the Annual Governance and Accountability Return Sections 1, 2 and 3, together with
  - · a bank reconciliation as at 31 March 2018
  - · an explanation of any significant year on year variances in the accounting statements
  - vour notification of the commencement date of the period for the exercise of public rights
  - Annual Internal Audit Report 2017/18

Unless requested, do not send any original records to your external auditor. Your external auditor will ask for any additional documents needed.

Once the external auditor has completed and is able to give an opinion on the limited assurance review, the Annual Governance and Accountability Return including Section 3 – External Auditor Report and Certificate will be returned to the authority.

# **Publication Requirements**

Smaller authorities with either income or expenditure exceeding £25,000 must publish on a public website, under the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015, the Annual Governance and Accountability Return:

- Section 1 Annual Governance Statement 2017/18, page 4
- Section 2 Accounting Statements 2017/18, page 5
- Section 3 The External Auditor Report and Certificate 2017/18, page 6
- Notice of the period for the exercise of public rights and other information required by Regulation 15 (2), Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015.

It is recommended as best practice, to avoid any potential confusion by local electors and interested parties, that you also publish the Annual Internal Audit Report, page 3.

The Annual Governance and Accountability Return constitutes the annual return referred to in the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015. Throughout, the words 'external auditor' have the same meaning as the words 'local auditor' in the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015.

\*for a complete list of bodies that may be smaller authorities refer to schedule 2 to Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014.

# Guidance notes on completing Part 3 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2017/18

- The authority must comply with Proper Practices in completing Sections 1 and 2 of this Annual Governance and Accountability Return. Proper Practices are found in the Practitioners' Guide\* which is updated from time to time and contains everything needed to prepare successfully for the financial year-end and the subsequent work by the external auditor.
- Make sure that the Annual Governance and Accountability Return is complete (i.e. no empty highlighted boxes), and is properly signed and dated. Avoid making amendments to the completed Annual Governance and Accountability Return. Any amendments must be approved by the authority, properly initialled and accompanied by an explanation. If the Annual Governance and Accountability Return contains unapproved or unexplained amendments, it may be returned and additional costs will be incurred.
- The authority should receive and note the annual internal audit report prior to approving the annual governance statement and before approving the accounts.
- Use the checklist provided below to review the Annual Governance and Accountability Return for completeness before sending it to the external auditor.
- Do not send the external auditor any information not specifically requested. However, you must inform your
  external auditor about any change of Clerk, Responsible Finance Officer or Chairman, and provide relevant email
  addresses and telephone numbers.
- Make sure that the copy of the bank reconciliation to be sent to your external auditor with the Annual Governance and Accountability Return covers all the bank accounts. If the authority holds any short-term investments, note their value on the bank reconciliation. The external auditor must be able to agree the bank reconciliation to Box 8 on the accounting statements (Section 2, page 5). An explanation must be provided of any difference between Box 7 and Box 8. More help on bank reconciliation is available in the Practitioners' Guide\*.
- Explain fully significant variances in the accounting statements on page 5. Do not just send a copy of the detailed
  accounting records instead of this explanation. The external auditor wants to know that you understand the reasons
  for all variances. Include complete numerical and narrative analysis to support the explanation.
- If the external auditor has to review unsolicited information, or receives an incomplete bank reconciliation, or variances are not fully explained, additional costs will be incurred.
- Make sure that the accounting statements add up and that the balance carried forward from the previous year (Box 7 of 2017) equals the balance brought forward in the current year (Box 1 of 2018).
- Please enter the authority's name only in Section 3 on Page 6. Do not complete the remainder of that section, which is reserved for the external auditor.
- The Responsible Financial Officer (RFO), on behalf of the authority, must set the commencement date for the
  exercise of public rights. From the commencement date for a single period of 30 consecutive working days, the
  accounts and accounting records can be inspected. Whatever period the RFO sets it must include a common
  inspection period during which the accounts and accounting records of all smaller authorities must be available
  for public inspection of the first ten working days of July.
- The authority must publish the information required by Regulation 15 (2), Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015, including the period for the exercise of public rights and the name and address of the external auditor.

Completion checkl	st – 'No' answers mean you may not have met requirements	Yes	No
All sections	Have all highlighted boxes have been completed?	1	Hillia
	Has all additional information requested, including the dates set for the period for the exercise of public rights, been provided for the external auditor?	1	
Internal Audit Report	Have all highlighted boxes have been completed by the internal auditor and explanations provided?	1	
Section 1	For any statement to which the response is 'no', is an explanation provided?	1	
Section 2	Has the authority's approval of the accounting statements been confirmed by the signature of the Chairman of the approval meeting?	1	
	Has an explanation of significant variations from last year to this year been provided?	1	Total .
	The bank reconciliation as at 31 March 2018 is agreed to Box 8?	1	allow
	Has an explanation of any difference between Box 7 and Box 8 been provided?	1	2000
Sections 1 and 2	Trust funds – have all disclosures been made if the authority is a sole managing trustee? NB: do not send trust accounting statements unless requested or instructed.	1	nair tasir

\*More guidance on completing this annual return is available in *Governance and Accountability for Smaller Authorities* in *England – a Practitioners' Guide to Proper Practices*, which can be downloaded from www.nalc.gov.uk or from www.slcc.co.uk or from www.ada.org.uk

### Annual Internal Audit Report 2017/18

#### Beeley Parish Council

This authority's internal auditor, acting independently and on the basis of an assessment of risk, carried out a selective assessment of compliance with relevant procedures and controls to be in operation during the financial year ended 31 March 2018.

The internal audit for 2017/18 has been carried out in accordance with this authority's needs and planned coverage. On the basis of the findings in the areas examined, the internal audit conclusions are summarised in this table. Set out below are the objectives of internal control and alongside are the internal audit conclusions on whether, in all significant respects, the control objectives were being achieved throughout the financial year to a standard adequate to meet the needs of this authority.

Internal control objective		Agreed? Please one of the follow		
	Yes	No.	Not covered**	
A. Appropriate accounting records have been properly kept throughout the financial year.	1			
<b>B.</b> This authority complied with its financial regulations, payments were supported by invoices, all expenditure was approved and VAT was appropriately accounted for.	<b>1</b>			
C. This authority assessed the significant risks to achieving its objectives and reviewed the adequacy of arrangements to manage these.	1	10000 to	No. with or i	
D. The precept or rates requirement resulted from an adequate budgetary process; progress again the budget was regularly monitored; and reserves were appropriate.	nst 🗸		of checks.	
E. Expected income was fully received, based on correct prices, properly recorded and promptly banked; and VAT was appropriately accounted for.	1		extensive	
F. Petty cash payments were properly supported by receipts, all petty cash expenditure was approved and VAT appropriately accounted for.	1	W.		
G. Salaries to employees and allowances to members were paid in accordance with this authority' approvals, and PAYE and NI requirements were properly applied.	s /		d Summer	
H. Asset and investments registers were complete and accurate and properly maintained.	1		The state of	
I. Periodic and year-end bank account reconciliations were properly carried out.	1			
J. Accounting statements prepared during the year were prepared on the correct accounting basis (receipts and payments or income and expenditure), agreed to the cash book, supported by an adequate audit trail from underlying records and where appropriate debtors and creditors were properly recorded.	,			

K. (For local councils only)

Trust funds (including charitable) - The council met its responsibilities as a trustee.

Yes	No	Not applicable
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For any other risk areas identified by this authority adequate controls existed (list any other risk areas on separate sheets if needed).

Date(s) internal audit undertaken

Name of person who carried out the internal audit

10.05.2018

Brian Wood

Signature of person who carried out the internal audit La wood

Date

10th May 2018

\*If the response is 'no' please state the implications and action being taken to address any weakness in control identified (add separate sheets if needed).

\*\*Note: If the response is 'not covered' please state when the most recent internal audit work was done in this area and when it is next planned, or, if coverage is not required, the annual internal audit report must explain why not (add separate sheets if needed).

#### Section 1 - Annual Governance Statement 2017/18

We acknowledge as the members of:

#### Beeley Parish Council

our responsibility for ensuring that there is a sound system of internal control, including arrangements for the preparation of the Accounting Statements. We confirm, to the best of our knowledge and belief, with respect to the Accounting Statements for the year ended 31 March 2018, that:

Agreed				
Yes	No-	Yes m	eans that this authority	
1	oral ar		ed its accounting statements in accordance e Accounts and Audit Regulations.	
1			proper arrangements and accepted responsibility aguarding the public money and resources in rge.	
		has only done what it has the legal power to do and has complied with Proper Practices in doing so.		
V		during the year gave all persons interested the opportuninspect and ask questions about this authority's account		
1	ed dtill colouii g etun	considered and documented the financial and other risks it faces and dealt with them properly.		
1	9111,21	arranged for a competent person, independent of the finan- controls and procedures, to give an objective view on whet internal controls meet the needs of this smaller authority.		
1	e basq e	responded to matters brought to its attention by internal an external audit.		
		disclosed everything it should have about its business act during the year including events taking place after the year end if relevant.		
Yes	No	N/A	has met all of its responsibilities where it is a sole managing trustee of a local trust or trusts.	
	Yes		Yes No Yes no preparativith the with the made a for safe its chain that on compliant to the compliant of the compliant to the	

<sup>\*</sup>Please provide explanations to the external auditor on a separate sheet for each 'No' response. Describe how the authority will address the weaknesses identified.

This Annual Governance Statement is approved by this authority and recorded as minute reference:

approval is given:

14.05.18 AGHOS

Chairman

dated

14/05/18.

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Signed by the Chairman and Clerk of the meeting where

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Other information required by the Transparency Codes (not part of Annual Governance Statement)
Authority web address

www.beeleyparishcouncil.co.uk

### Section 2 - Accounting Statements 2017/18 for

#### Beeley Parish Council

	Year er	iding	Notes and guidance		
	31 March 2017 £	31 March 2018 £	Please round all figures to nearest £1. Do not leave any boxes blank and report £0 or Nil balances. All figures must agree to underlying financial records.		
Balances brought forward	7276	8807	Total balances and reserves at the beginning of the year as recorded in the financial records. Value must agree to Box 7 of previous year.		
2. (+) Precept or Rates and Levies	4097	4158	Total amount of precept (or for IDBs rates and levies) received or receivable in the year. Exclude any grants received.		
3. (+) Total other receipts	7392	12584	Total income or receipts as recorded in the cashbook less the precept or rates/levies received (line 2). Include any grants received.		
4. (-) Staff costs	1323	1226	Total expenditure or payments made to and on behalf of all employees. Include salaries and wages, PAYE and NI (employees and employers), pension contributions and employment expenses.		
5. (-) Loan interest/capital repayments	0	0	Total expenditure or payments of capital and interest made during the year on the authority's borrowings (if any).		
6. (-) All other payments	8635	2490	Total expenditure or payments as recorded in the cash- book less staff costs (line 4) and loan interest/capital repayments (line 5).		
7. (=) Balances carried forward	8807	21833	Total balances and reserves at the end of the year. Must equal (1+2+3) - (4+5+6).		
8. Total value of cash and short term investments	8807	21833	The sum of all current and deposit bank accounts, cash holdings and short term investments held as at 31 March – To agree with bank reconciliation.		
Total fixed assets plus long term investments and assets	27542	27462	The value of all the property the authority owns – it is made up of all its fixed assets and long term investments as at 31 March.		
10. Total borrowings	0	0	The outstanding capital balance as at 31 March of all loans from third parties (including PWLB).		
11. (For Local Councils Only) E re Trust funds (including cha		Yes No	The Council acts as sole trustee for and is responsible for managing Trust funds or assets.		
		1	N.B. The figures in the accounting statements above do not include any Trust transactions.		

I certify that for the year ended 31 March 2018 the Accounting Statements in this Annual Governance and Accountability Return present fairly the financial position of this authority and its income and expenditure, or properly present receipts and payments, as the case may be.

Signed by Responsible Financial Officer

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Date

14/05/18

I confirm that these Accounting Statements were approved by this authority on this date:

14/05/18

and recorded as minute reference:

14.05.18 AGMOL

Signed by Chairman of the meeting where approval of the Accounting Statements is given

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### Section 3 - External Auditor Report and Certificate 2017/18

In respect of

Beeley Parish Council

### 1 Respective responsibilities of the body and the auditor

This authority is responsible for ensuring that its financial management is adequate and effective and that it has a sound system of internal control. The authority prepares an Annual Governance and Accountability Return in accordance with *Proper Practices* which:

- · summarises the accounting records for the year ended 31 March 2018; and
- confirms and provides assurance on those matters that are relevant to our duties and responsibilities as
  external auditors.

Our responsibility is to review Sections 1 and 2 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return in accordance with guidance issued by the National Audit Office (NAO) on behalf of the Comptroller and Auditor General (see note below). Our work **does not** constitute an audit carried out in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK & Ireland) and **does not** provide the same level of assurance that such an audit would do.

	our review of Sections 1 and 2 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return, in nual Governance and Accountability Return is in accordance with Proper Practices and of for concern that relevant legislation and regulatory requirements have not been met.
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continue on a separate sheet if required)	
Other matters not affecting our opinion which we draw to	the attention of the authority:
continue on a separate sheet if required)	

We certify/do not certify\* that we have completed our review of Sections 1 and 2 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return, and discharged our responsibilities under the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014, for the year ended 31 March 2018.

*We do not certify	y completion because	8		
External Audito	r Name			

External Auditor Signature

Date

\*Note: the NAO issued guidance applicable to external auditors' work on limited assurance reviews for 2017/18 in Auditor Guidance Note AGN/02. The AGN is available from the NAO website (www.nao.org.uk)

# LOCAL COUNCIL NAME

**Beeley Parish Council** 

**COUNTY** 

Derbyshire

#### **BANK RECONCILIATION YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018**

		£
A	Balance on the bank statement at 31 March 2018 (taken from bank statement)	21,833
	Outstanding items	
В	Less unpresented cheques (to agree with attached list)	0
С	Plus uncleared payments into bank (to agree with attached list)	0
D	Petty cash	0
	Plus any petty cash balance held at 31 March 2018	
Е	Balance in the cash book (council's own records) at 31 March 2018 (Calculated as A-B+C+D=E and agrees with Box 8 on the Annual Return )	21,833

#### **Explanations of significant variances**

We require explanations for significant variances (increases or decreases) of more than 15% between 2017 and 2018 in boxes 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 9. Variances of less than 15% or less than £250 need not be explained.

Your explanations must be quantified, i.e. state how much of the variance is covered by each specific explanation. Your explanations must ensure that the variances for each box are explained and quantified to within 15%.

Guidance is available at paragraph 6 on the back of the 2018 Annual Return and in the Practitioners' Guide – available on line at the NALC website.

You can set out your explanations of variances in any way you wish, but they should be clear and complete and easy to follow.

Our suggested method of how to identify variances that require explanation, and suggested layout for providing explanations are set out below.

### Identifying which variances require explanation

Positive and negative variances must be explained

Box on section 1	2017 £	2018 £	Variance Increase (+) or decrease (-) (2018 less 2017) £	% (Variance divided by 2017 figure multiplied by 100)	Explanation required? Less than £250? - NO Less than 15% - NO More than 15% - YES
Box 2 Annual Precept	4,097	4,158	61	104%	No
Box 3 Total other receipts	7,392	12,584	5,192	70%	Yes
Box 4 Staff costs	1,323	1,226	-97	-7.3%	No
Box 5 Loan interest/ capital repayments	0	0	0	0	No
Box 6 All other payments	8,635	2,490	-6,145	-71%	Yes
Box 9 Total fixed assets	27,542	27,462	-80	-0.2%	No

# **Explanations of significant variances - continued**

One sheet to be prepared for each variance that requires explanation.

BOX NO 3	£
Figure in 2017 column	7,392
Figure in 2018 column	12,584
Variance (2017 figure less 2018 figure)	5,192

Reasons (as many as are applicable)	Amount £
Reason 1 – Grant for car park project	11,000
Reason 2 – No bank rebate	-200
Reason 3 – Less interest	-10
Reason 4 – Less car park donations	-231
Reason 5 – Less workman rebate	-3,700
Reason 6 – No Council Tax grant	-1,667
Unexplained	
Confirm unexplained amount is less than 15% of 2017 figure	

BOX NO 6	£
Figure in 2017 column	8,635
Figure in 2018 column	2,490
Variance (2017 figure less 2018 figure)	-6,145

Reasons (as many as are applicable)	Amount £
Reason 1 – No project work	-5,503
Reason 2 – Room hire not invoiced yet	-100
Reason 3 – Reduction in safety inspection charge	-127
Reason 4 – No bench maintenance	-110
Reason 5 – Reduction in admin costs such as audit, printing, etc	-105
Reason 6 – No website development	-200
Unexplained	
Confirm unexplained amount is less than 15% of 2017 figure	

#### Beeley Parish Council Bank Rec. As at 31st March 2017

		Santander	Santander	Petty	Summary	
		Current	Reserve	Cash		
		£	£		£	
Cash Book :	Bal b/fwd current A/C 1st April 2015	30.47	7,244.90	0.00	7,275.37	
	plus : receipts	10,990.82	18.71	480.39	11,489.92	
	less : payments	-9,568.32		-390.00	-9,958.32	
	unpresented items	0.00			0.00	
	transfered from reserve a/c	0.00	0.00		0.00	
		1,452.97	7,263.61	90.39	8,806.97	0.00
	Unpresented chqs	0.00	0.00		0.00	
	Unpresented receipts	0.00	0.00		0.00	
	Balance	1,452.97	7,263.61	90.39	8,806.97	
Bank :	Current A/C - 05/04/17	1,452.97			1,452.97	
	Deposit A/C - 05/04/17	0.00	7,263.61		7,263.61	
					90.39	
		1,452.97	7,263.61	0.00	8,806.97	
	difference	0.00	0.00		0.00	
	Signed by Responsible Finance Officer			Date		
	Signed by Chairman			Date		

RESERVES				
	Current	Reserve	Total	
	£	£	£	
Current Bank Balance as per cashbook and bank statements Start of Year	1,452.97	7,263.61	8,716.58	90.39
Church Car Park		6,000.00		
	0.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	0.00
			-2,716.58	

		Monthly Budget Mo	nitoring		$\top$			$\overline{}$
BEELEY PARISH CO	JUNCIL	Ye	ar to Date at 31/0	03/17	1		Full Year Projection	on
RECEIPTS & PAYMI	ENTS ACCOUNT 2016 - 2017		12		'			$\sqcap$
Date	31st March 2017	Actual £	Budget £	Difference		Actual £	Budget £	Difference
Month	12	To Date	To Date	£	<u> </u>	Projected	For Year	£
			+	+	<del></del> '	<del> </del>	+	<del>                                     </del>
PAYMENTS	Administration	. 222.00	1 272 00		<u> </u>	=====		<u> </u>
	Clerk's salary	1,323.00	1,878.03	555.03	<u></u> '	1,878.03	1,878.03	0.00
	Clurk's expenses	269.41	350.00	80.59	<del></del> '	350.00	350.00	0.00
	Councillor's expenses (travel & sub - £10 / person) Training	0.00	0.00	0.00	+-	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Audit fees	51.80	200.00	148.20	+	200.00	200.00	0.00
	Room hire	190.00	100.00	(90.00)	+_	100.00	100.00	0.00
	Subscription DALC	63.90	65.00	1.10	丁'	65.00	65.00	0.00
	W ebsite maintenance	234.88	200.00	(34.88)	Ι.	200.00	200.00	0.00
	Insurance	471.75	200.00	(271.75)	Ι.	200.00	200.00	0.00
	Stationery, Printing and Adverts	0.00	0.00	0.00	'	0.00	0.00	0.00
		2,604.74	2,993.03	388.29	'	2,993.03	2,993.03	0.00
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	Maintenance	5,503.08	0.00	(5,503.08)	'	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Safety Inspection	127.00	80.00	(47.00)	<u></u> '	80.00	80.00	0.00
	Grass cut	775.00	750.00	(25.00)	<u></u> '	750.00	750.00	0.00
	Rent	72.00	72.00	0.00	<u></u> '	72.00	72.00	0.00
		6,477.08	902.00	(5,575.08)	<u> </u>	902.00	902.00	0.00
	Car Park	222.00	200	:222.00)	<u> </u>			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	Grass Cutting Resurfacing	200.00	1,000.00	(200.00) 1,000.00	+-'	0.00	0.00 1,000.00	1,000.00
	Donations banked	390.00	1,000.00	(340.00)	+-	0.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
	Bollation Sames	590.00	1,050.00	460.00	+_	0.00	1,050.00	1,050.00
	Misc		. 🕇		1_			<u></u>
	Bench - maintenance	110.00	0.00	(110.00)	丁'	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Grit Bins and salt refills	0.00	0.00	0.00	丁.	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Bus Shelter	0.00	0.00	0.00	丁'	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Donations	62.50	0.00	(62.50)	T.	62.50	0.00	(62.50)
	Election Costs	0.00	608.00	608.00	工'	608.00	608.00	0.00
		172.50	608.00	435.50	'	670.50	608.00	(62.50)
	Neighbourhood Watch	200	21.00	-1.00	<u> </u>			, , , , ,
	Neighbourhood Watch	0.00	91.89	91.89	<u> </u>	0.00	91.89	91.89
	2.00	0.00	91.89	91.89	<del></del> '	0.00	91.89	91.89
	S137 Grants	0.00	400.00	400.00		400.00	400.00	100
	S137 grants	0.00	400.00	400.00	+-'	400.00	400.00	0.00
		0.00	400.00	400.00	+-'	400.00	400.00	0.00
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	Total Payments	9,844.32	6,044.92	(3,799.40)	+-'	4,965.53	6,044.92	1,079.39
		111.00	0.00	(444.00)	+-'	20.00	20.00	0.00
	Total Payments after VAT	114.00		(114.00)		30.00	30.00	
<u> </u>	Total Payments after VAT	9,958.32	6,044.92	(3,913.40)	<del></del> '	4,995.53	6,074.92	1,079.39
	-	Actual £	Budget £	Difference	+-'	Actual £	Budget £	Difference
		To Date	To Date	£	+-'	Projected	For Year	£
		102	100000	+ -	+-'	FIOJOULUE	101.00	
	Bank Interest	218.71	1.00	217.71	+	1.00	1.00	0.00
			. †	+	+		, +	1
	Grant	1,667.04	148.00	1,519.04	+	148.00	148.00	0.00
	Chatsworth Grant	500.00	500.00	0.00	+	500.00	500.00	0.00
	DDDC Reimbursements	285.00	285.00	0.00	+_	285.00	285.00	0.00
	Car Park Donations	480.39	50.00	430.39	1	50.00	50.00	0.00
	Car Park Donations banked	390.00	50.00	340.00	1_'	50.00	50.00	0.00
	Misc	3,825.00	50.00	3,775.00		50.00	50.00	0.00
	Vat	26.78	30.00	(3.22)		30.00	30.00	0.00
	Total Receipts before precept	7,392.92	1,114.00	6,278.92	Τ_'	1,114.00	1,114.00	0.00
	-		, 1		+	<u> </u>	1	
RECEIPTS	Precept	4,097.00	4,393.00	(296.00)	+	4,097.00	4,393.00	-296.00
			, <del>†</del>		+_	<u> </u>	<del></del>	
	-	11,489.92	5,507.00	5,982.92	1_'	5,211.00	5,507.00	(296.00)
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#### BEELEY PARISH COUNCIL PAYMENTS 2016 - 2017

								ADMINIST	IRATION						PLAYIN	G FIELD			CAR PARK				MISCELL	LANEUUS			NW	DONATIONS	TOTAL	VAT	TOTAL
		Account	Approval	Clerk's Salary	Clerk's Expenses	Councillor's Expenses	Training	Audit Fees	Room Hire	Subs	Website	Insurance	Stationery, Printing and Adverts	Maintenance	Safety Inspection	Grass cutting	Rent	Grass Cutting	Resurfacing	Donations banked	Bench Maintenance	Grit Bins & Salt	Bus Shelter	Donations	Transfer from R to C	n Election	Neighbourhood Watch	S137	By Category		By Item
			Budget	1,878.03	350.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	100.00	65.00	200.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	80.00	750.00 750.00	72.00 72.00	200.00 150.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	608.00	91.89 0.00	400.00 300.00	6,194.92 4.037.79		l
0/04/2016 22153	Clerk Pay and expenses	27/04/2016	Revised Budget 6 18/04/2016	52.50	300.00		0.00	81.00	100.00	65.00	200.00	187.44	0.00	30.00	74.00	750.00	72.00	150.00	500.00	185.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	93.35	0.00	300.00	252.50		252.50
	Chatsworth - Playing Field rent	26/04/2010		32.30	200.00	,											72.00												72.00		72.00
	Haddon Landscape - Grounds	25/04/2010														175.00	72.00	25.00											200.00		200.00
	Clerk Pay and expenses	02/06/201		199.50												173.00		23.00											199.50		199.50
	Haddon Landscape - Grounds	03/06/2010		133.30												100.00		25.00											125.00		125.00
	Brian Wood - Internal Audit	08/06/2010						51.80								100.00		23.00											51.80		51.80
	Community Lincs - Insurance	21/06/2016										471.75																	471.75		471.75
	Steve Cordingley - Website	13/06/2016									134.88																		134.88	11.98	146.86
	Online Playground - swings	05/07/2016												370.83															370.83	74.17	445.00
	Clerk Pay and expenses	30/06/2016		126.00	16.19	)																							142.19		142.19
	Wall Report - T Wragg	06/07/2010													50.00														50.00		50.00
0/06/2016 22164		05/07/2010	6 20/06/2016												77.00														77.00	15.40	92.40
7/06/2016 22165	Haddon Landscape - Grounds	05/07/2010														150.00		25.00											175.00		175.00
8/07/2016 22166	Clerk Pay and expenses	27/07/2010	6 18/07/2016	84.00																									84.00		84.00
5/09/2016 22167	Haddon Landscape - Grounds	13/09/2010	6 18/07/2016													200.00		50.00											250.00		250.00
9/09/2016 22168	Clerk Pay and expenses	28/09/2010	6 19/09/2016	136.50																									136.50		136.50
9/09/2016 22169	Noticboard repair - D Pathe	26/09/2010	6 19/09/2016																		110.00								110.00		110.00
	Haddon Landscape - Grounds	20/10/2010	6 19/09/2016													150.00		75.00											225.00		225.00
	Playing Field Wall - S Hibbert	27/09/2010	6 19/09/2016											5070.00															5,070.00		5,070.00
	Clerk Pay and expenses	09/11/2010		168.00	46.62	2																							214.62		214.62
	Village Hall Hire	05/12/2010	6 31/10/2016						190.00																				190.00		190.00
	Clerk Pay and expenses	07/12/2010	6 29/11/2016	110.25	6.60	)																							116.85		116.85
9/11/2016 22175	Steve Cordingley - Website	27/01/2017									100.00																		100.00		100.00
	Clerk Pay and expenses	25/01/2017		173.25																									173.25		173.25
1/03/2017 cash	Car Parking banked	25/02/2017	7 20/03/2017	1								1						l		390.00							l		390.00		390.00
	Clerk Pay and expenses	29/03/2017	7 20/03/2017	273.00																									273.00		273.00
	Donation to Village Hall	03/05/2017	7 20/03/2017	1																				62.50					62.50		62.50
	Dalc subs	18/04/2017	7 20/03/2017	1						63.90		1						l									l		63.90		63.90
7/03/2017 22180	Swing matting	05/04/2017	7 20/03/2017											62.25															62.25	12.45	74.70
																													0.00		0.00
				1,323.00	269.41	0.00	0.00	51.80	190.00	63.90	234.88	471.75	0.00	5,503.08	127.00	775.00	72.00	200.00	0.00	390.00	110.00	0.00	0.00	62.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,844.32	114.00	9,958.32

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Date	Received from	Payment	Meeting	Cleared	Precept	Grant	Chatsworth	Current	Reserve	Transfer from	DDC	Car Park	Car Park	Misc	VAT	TOTAL
				account			Grant	Account Interest	Account Interest	R to C	Reimburse	Donation	Donation Banked			
01/04/2016	Peak Park	BACS	18/04/2016	01/04/2016		1,667.04		morest	interest				Danked			1,667.04
08/04/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	18/04/2016	cash								10.87				10.87
26/04/2016	DDDC	BACS	24/05/2016	29/04/2016	4,097.00											4,097.00
16/05/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	24/05/2016	cash								30.52				30.52
29/04/2016	Santander	Santander	24/05/2016	29/04/2016					2.76							2.76
13/05/2016		BACS	24/05/2016	13/05/2016											26.78	26.78
13/06/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	20/06/2016	cash								14.40				14.40
30/05/2016	Santander	Santander	20/06/2016	30/05/2016					2.67							2.67
13/06/2016	Bert Frith (Wall)	Cheque	20/06/2016	15/06/2016										3,700.00		3,700.00
29/06/2016	Santander	Santander	18/07/2016	29/06/2016					2.76							2.76
11/07/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	18/07/2016	cash								31.59				31.59
01/08/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	19/09/2016	cash								11.00				11.00
29/07/2016	Santander	Santander	19/09/2016	29/07/2016					1.88							1.88
01/08/2016	Santander	Santander	19/09/2016	01/08/2016				200.00								200.00
07/09/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	19/09/2016	cash								13.50				13.50
29/08/2016	Santander	Santander	19/09/2016	29/08/2016					1.84							1.84
21/10/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	31/10/2016	cash								18.75				18.75
		Santander		29/09/2016					1.84							1.84
29/09/2016	Santander	0	31/10/2016						4.70							4.70
29/10/2016	Santander	Santander	29/11/2016	29/10/2016					1.78			04.04				1.78
21/11/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	29/11/2016	cash								21.21				21.21
29/11/2016	Santander	Santander	16/01/2017	29/11/2016					0.78							0.78
07/12/2016	Car Park Box	Cash	16/01/2017	cash								18.40				18.40
12/12/2016	DDDC	BACS	16/01/2017	12/12/2016							285.00					285.00
08/01/2017	Car Park Box	Cash	16/01/2017	cash								187.63				187.63
29/12/2016	Santander	Santander	16/01/2017	29/12/2016					0.60							0.60
10/02/2017	Car Park Box	Cash	20/03/2017	cash								95.47				95.47
11/02/2017	Chatsworth catering	Cheque	16/01/2017	11/02/2017										125.00		125.00
31/01/2017	Chatsworth	BACS	20/03/2017	31/01/2017			500.00									500.00
30/01/2017	Santander	Santander	20/03/2017	30/01/2017					0.62							0.62
25/02/2017	Car Park Box	Cash	20/03/2017	11/02/2017									390.00			390.00
01/03/2017	Santander	Santander	20/03/2017	01/03/2017					0.62							0.62
09/03/2017	Car Park Box	Cash	20/03/2017	cash								27.05				27.05
29/03/2017	Santander	Santander	15/05/2017	29/03/2017					0.56							0.56
					4,097.00	1,667.04	500.00	200.00	18.71	0.00	285.00	480.39	390.00	3,825.00	26.78	11,489.92

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#### **BEELEY PARISH COUNCIL**

# **Code of Conduct**

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# May 2016

As a member or co-opted member of Beeley Parish Council, I have a responsibility to represent the community and work constructively with our staff and partner organisations to secure better social, economic and environmental outcomes for all.

In accordance with the Localism Act provisions, when acting in this capacity i.e.

- At formal meetings of the Council, its Committees and Sub-Committees
- When acting as a representative of the authority
- In discharging functions as a Ward Member
- At briefing meetings with officers and at site visits
- When corresponding with the authority, other than in a private capacity

I am committed to behaving in a manner that is consistent with the following principles to achieve best value for our residents and maintain public confidence in this authority.

**SELFLESSNESS:** Holders of public office should act solely in terms of the public interest. They should not do so in order to gain financial or other material benefits for themselves, their family, or their friends.

**INTEGRITY:** Holders of public office should not place themselves under any financial or other obligation to outside individuals or organisations that might seek to influence them in the performance of their official duties.

**OBJECTIVITY:** In carrying out public business, including making public appointments, awarding contracts, or recommending individuals for rewards and benefits, holders of public office should make choices on merit.

**ACCOUNTABILITY:** Holders of public office are accountable for their decisions and actions to the public and must submit themselves to whatever scrutiny is appropriate to their office.

**OPENNESS:** Holders of public office should be as open as possible about all the decisions and actions that they take. They should give reasons for their decisions and restrict information only when the wider public interest clearly demands.

**HONESTY:** Holders of public office have a duty to declare any private interests relating to their public duties and to take steps to resolve any conflicts arising in a way that protects the public interest.

**BULLYING AND HARASSMENT:** Holders of public office must treat others with respect and must not pursue a course of conduct which amounts to bullying or harassment of another.

**LEADERSHIP:** Holders of public office should promote and support these principles by leadership and example.

The Act provides for registration and disclosure of interests and in Beeley Parish Council, this will be done as follows:

#### 1. DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

I will -

- Comply with the statutory requirements to register, disclose and withdraw from participating in respect of any matter in which I have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest as defined in Appendix A.
- Keep my register of interests up to date and notify the Monitoring Officer in writing within 28 days of becoming aware of any change in respect of my interests.
- Make verbal declaration of the existence and nature of any Disclosable Pecuniary Interest at any meeting at which I am present at which an item of business which affects or relates to the subject matter of that interests is under consideration, at or before the consideration of the item of business or as soon as the interest becomes apparent.

#### 2. SENSITIVE INFORMATION

Where I consider that the information relating to any of my interests in 1 above is sensitive information, and the District Council's Monitoring Officer/Parish Council Clerk agrees, I need not include that information when registering that interest, or, as the case may be, a change to that interest under section 1. In this Code "sensitive information" means information whose availability for inspection by the public creates or is likely to create, a serious risk that I or a person who lives with me may be subjected to violence or intimidation.

#### 3. OTHER INTERESTS

In addition to the statutory requirements, I will make verbal declaration of the existence and nature of any other non disclosable pecuniary interest or non pecuniary interest at any meeting at which I am present at which an item of business is under consideration, at or before the consideration of the item, or as soon as the interest becomes apparent where –

- The matter may be particularly regarded as affecting the well-being or financial standing of me, a friend or a member of my family
- It relates to, or is likely to affect, any of the interests listed in Appendix A to this Code, but in respect of my family or friends.

As a Member of Beeley Parish Council, my conduct will in particular address the statutory principles of the Code of Conduct by:

- Championing the needs of residents the whole community and in a special way
  my constituents, including those who did not vote for me and putting their
  interests first.
- Dealing with representations or enquiries from residents, members of our communities and visitors fairly, appropriately and impartially.

- Not allowing other pressures, including the financial interests of myself or others
  connected to me, to deter me from pursuing constituents' casework, the interests
  of the Parish Council or the good governance of the authority in a proper manner.
- Exercising independent judgement and not compromising my position by placing myself under obligations to outside individuals or organisations who might seek to influence the way I perform my duties as a member/co-opted member of this authority.
- Listening to the interests of all parties, including relevant advice from statutory and other professional officers, taking all relevant information into consideration, remaining objective and making decisions on merit.
- Being accountable for my decisions and co-operating when scrutinised internally and externally, including by local residents.
- Contributing to making this authority's decision-making processes as open and transparent as possible to enable residents to understand the reasoning behind those decisions and to be informed when holding me and other members to account but restricting access to information when the wider public interest or the law requires it.
- Respecting the confidentiality of information which I receive as a member in accordance with the District Council's Member/Employee Protocol.
- Behaving in accordance with all our legal obligations, with particular regard to the:
  - Data Protection Act 1998
  - Freedom of Information Act 2000
  - o Bribery Act 2010
  - Equality Act 2010
- Having regard to the principles of the authority's policies, protocols and procedures, including on the use of the Authority's resources.
- Valuing my colleagues and staff and engaging with them in an appropriate manner and one that underpins the mutual respect between us that is essential to good local government.
- Always treating people with respect, including the organisations and public I engage with and those I work alongside.
- Providing leadership through behaving in accordance with these principles when championing the interests of the community with other organisations as well as within this authority.

#### **APPENDIX A**

#### **DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

In accordance with Section 30(3) of the Act a pecuniary interest is a "disclosable pecuniary interest" in relation to a Member, if it is of a description specified below and either

- is an interest of the Member, or
- is an interest of
- the members spouse or civil partner
- a person with whom the member is living as husband and wife, or
- a person with whom the Member is living as if they were civil partners, and the Member is aware that the other person has the interest.

Subject	Prescribed description
Employment, office, trade, profession or vacation	Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain
Sponsorship	Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from the relevant authority) made or provided within the relevant period in respect of any expenses incurred by the member in carrying out duties as a member, or towards the election expenses of the member. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992(a).
Contracts	Any contract which is made between the relevant person (or a body in which the relevant person has a beneficial interest) and the relevant authority –  (a) under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; and  (b) which has not been fully discharged.
Land	Any beneficial interest in land which is within the area of the relevant authority.
Licenses	Any licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the area of the relevant authority for a month or longer
Corporate tenancies	Any tenancy where (to the Member's knowledge) –
	(a) the landlord is the relevant authority; and
	(b) the tenant is a body in which the relevant person has a beneficial interest