

**Notes of the Annual Assembly of the Parish Meeting for Farndon held on Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2023 at 6.30pm**

**Present:**        **Councillor M Baker**  
                      **Councillor Mrs H Bayne**  
                      **Councillor Mrs M Bayne**  
                      **Councillor B Boyer**  
                      **Councillor A Chrimes**  
                      **Councillor A Duckmanton**  
                      **Councillor Mrs S Kingston**  
                      **Councillor P J Parker**  
                      **Councillor P Rawlings**

**Also in attendance:**   **Two members of the public**

1.        Notes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2022  
The notes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2022 were received and noted.

2.        Chairman of the Parish Council's Annual Report  
The Chairman, Councillor Baker, presented his report, a copy of which is attached to these minutes as Appendix 1.

At the end of his report, the Chairman advised that the format of the Annual Meeting would be reviewed in 2024 to try and encourage more residents of the village to attend. An invitation could be extended to all village organisations to attend and give an overview of their group.

3.        Newark Municipal General Charities Report  
Councillor Mrs M Bayne was the nominated Trustee, who had been appointed to serve until 2027.

Councillor Mrs Bayne reported that she had only attended a couple of meetings as she was new to the role. However, it had been established that there have been beneficiaries of grants from the Charity in the village.

Four meetings a year are held, with the Clerk being Elizabeth Gamage.

4.        Public Questions  
There were none.

The meeting was closed at 7.36pm.