## **Explanation of variances for Odstock Parish Council - 2018-19 Annual Return**

## Variance explanations (explained and quantified):

| BOX NO. 3.                              | £     |
|---|-------|
| Figure in 2018 column                   | 2113  |
| Figure in 2019 column                   | 182   |
| Variance (2018 figure less 2019 figure) | -1931 |

Reasons (as many as are applicable)

- 1. No grants received by OPC during 2018/19 compared to grants of £1805.30 during 2017/18.
- 2. Donations were less (£120) than during 2017/18 (£200).
- 3. Interest on reserves (Money Market account) were greater (£61.64) than during 2017/18 (£7.88)

| BOX NO. 6.                              | £     |
|---|-------|
| Figure in 2018 column                   | 9500  |
| Figure in 2019 column                   | 5726  |
| Variance (2018 figure less 2019 figure) | -3774 |

Reasons (as many as are applicable)

- 1. New Windows & Doors fitted to the Nunton Recreation Field Pavilion for £2,755.
- 2. £1,000 towards Traffic Calming on the village approach roads by Wiltshire Council.
- 3. New Nunton Recreation Field Entrance Gates for £294.83p
- 4. Unexplained maintenance: £102.17p (less than 15%)

## **Analysis of Earmarked Reserves for Odstock PC - 2018-19 Annual Return**

| Purpose and Nature of reserve                 | Classed as:                  | Amount at 31-Mar-2019 |
|---|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Funds set aside for repairs to Play Equipment | Short-Term                   | £6,950                |
| Funds set aside for repairs to the Pavilion   | Short-Term                   | £3,875                |
| Funds set aside for Nunton Field Maintenance  | Short-Term                   | £2,975                |
|   | 2019 Reserves Total: £13,800 |                       |
|   | 2018 Reserves                | Total: £10.825        |

2018 Reserves Total: £10,825 Increased Reserves = £2,975 (27%)

**BOX NO. 2.** Total = £12,060 (precept)

**BOX NO. 7.** Total = £18,549 (Balances c/f inc Transparency Fund Grant remainder of £957)

## 2018-19 Balances less total Earmarked Reserves and Grant

Amount of Balances less total earmarked reserves at 31 March 2018 = £2,761

Amount of Balances less total earmarked reserves at 31 March 2019 = £3,792

Increased Balance = £1,031 (37% of 2017 balance)