## Explanation of variances - pro forma

Name of smaller authority:

Flagg Parish Council

County area (local councils and Derbyshire Dales

Insert figures from Section 2 of the AGAR in all Blue highlighted boxes

Next, please provide full explanations, including numerical values, for the following that will be flagged in the green boxes where relevant:

- variances of more than 15% between totals for individual boxes (except variances of less than £200);
- a breakdown of approved reserves on the next tab if the total reserves (Box 7) figure is more than twice the annual precept/rates & levies value (Box 2).

	2017/18 £	2018/19 £	Variance £	Variance %	Explanation Required?		Explanation from smaller authority (must include narrative and supporting figures)
1 Balances Brought Forward	4,535	3,288				Explanation of % variance from PY opening balance not required - Balance brought forward agrees	
2 Precept or Rates and Levies	1,500	1,500	0	0.00%	NO		
3 Total Other Receipts	544	63	-481	88.42%	YES	Grant received from DALC in 2017-18 for £458.	
4 Staff Costs	687	631	-56	8.15%	NO		
5 Loan Interest/Capital Repayment	0	0	0	0.00%	NO		
6 All Other Payments	2,604	983	-1,621	62.25%	YES	Defibrillator purchased last year £1,498.80.	
7 Balances Carried Forward	3,288	3,237			YES	VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED  EXPLANATION REQUIRED ON RESERVES TAB AS TO WHY CARRY FORWARD RESERVES ARE GREATER THAN TWICE INCOME FROM LOCAL TAXATION/LEVIES	
8 Total Cash and Short Term Investments	3,288	3,237				VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED	
9 Total Fixed Assets plus Other Long Term Investments and	0	1,500	1,500	100.00%	YES	Defibrillator and BT Klosk added to Fixed Asset register	
10 Total Borrowings	0	0	0	0.00%	NO		

Rounding errors of up to £2 are tolerable

Variances of £200 or less are tolerable