

GREAT AYTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the additional Parish Council meeting held at The Parish Centre, High Green on Friday 27th June 2025 at 9:30am.

Present: Cllr Greer, Cllr Healy-Dufosse Belton, Cllr Kirk (Chair) and Cllr Mason. **In Attendance**: Angela Livingstone (Clerk)

25.69 Apologies for absence

25.69.1 Apologies for absence had been sent from Cllr Baylin, Cllr Blackmore, Cllr Greenwell and NYC Councillor Moorhouse. The reasons for absence were accepted by the Parish Council.

25.70 To accept and sign off end of year accounts March 31st 2025 before sending for external audit

- 25.70.1 The Clerk presented the Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2024-2025 which had been for internal audit.
- 25.70.2 RESOLVED that Annual Internal Audit Report for 2024-2025 included at page 3 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2024-2025 and the Internal auditors report be noted. To be displayed on website.
- 25.70.3 RESOLVED that Great Ayton Parish Council approve Section 1 Annual Governance Statement 2024-2025 on page 4 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2024-2025. To be displayed on website.
- 25.70.4 RESOLVED that Great Ayton Parish Council approve Section 2 Accounting Statements 2024-2025 on page 5 of the Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2024-2025. To be displayed on website.
- 25.70.5 RESOLVED that, in accordance with the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015, Great Ayton Parish Council will publish the additional documents on a public website: Notice of the period for the exercise of public rights, Annual Internal Audit Report 23/24 and other information required by Regulation 15 (2), Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015. Notice of Period of Public Rights confirmed to be set 30th June 2025 to Friday 8th August 2025.
- 25.70.6 RESOLVED that Parish Councillors had been through documentation and completed a review of risk management arrangements for 2024-2025.
- 25.71 To approve appointing Chipchase Manners Chartered Accountants as internal auditors for the year

Councillors APPROVED the use of Chipchase Manners for the Parish Council internal audit, and the Chair signed engagement papers.

Signature

Date

Clerk: Mrs Angela Livingstone – <u>clerk@great-ayton.org.uk</u>