						Automatic responses trigger below based on figures input, DO NOT OVERWRITE THESE BOXES	Explanation from smaller authority (must include narrative and supporting figures)
	2023/24						
	£	£	£	%			
Balances Brought Forward	15,649	18,890				Explanation of % variance from PY opening balance not required - Balance brought forward agrees	
Precept or Rates and Levies	18,580	19,400	820	4.41%	NO NO		
3 Total Other Receipts	1,683	6,444	4,761	1 282.89%	YES		The Parish Council received a grant of £2000 from The Lost Village Festival. The Parish Council received a grant of £2025 from The North Kesteven Rural England Prosperity Fund. The Parish Council received a payment of £250 from our insurance company for the refund of excess on an insurance claim. The Parish Council opened a savings account in 2024/25 which made £497.99 in interest.
Staff Costs	3,785	4,511	726	6 19.18%	YES		The Parish Clerks salary has been regraded and increased from £14.13 per hour to £16.65 per hour. The Clerk works 24 hours per calendar month. £2.52 increase x 24 hours x 12 months = £725.76.
5 Loan Interest/Capital Repayment	0	0	(0.00%	NO NO		
6 All Other Payments	13,236	20,853	7,617	7 57.55%	YES		The Parish Council spent £5856.96 to repair the flooring in the Clock Tower. The Parish Council paid £2280 on a structural survey of the Clock Tower.
7 Balances Carried Forward	18,890	19,370				VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED	
3 Total Cash and Short Term Investments						VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED	
Total Fixed Assets plus Other Long Term Investments	0 an	0		0.00%	, NO		
	19,506	19,699					
0 Total Borrowings				0.00%	NO NO		
Rounding errors of up to £2 ar	e tolerable	0)				
Variances of £200 or less are t	olerable						
BOX 10 VARIANCE EXPLANA	IION NOT REC	UIRED IF C	HANGE C	AN BE EXF	LAINED BY E	OX 5 (CAPITAL PLUS INTEREST PAYMENT)	
1 18890	4 4511	7 19370		0)		
2 19400	5 0						