

FIRSBY GROUP PARISH COUNCIL

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS AND PUBLICATION OF UNAUDITED ANNUAL GOVERNANCE & ACCOUNTABILITY RETURN

ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 Sections 26 and 27
The Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 (SI 2015/234)

NOTICE	NOTES
<p>1. Date of announcement : Thursday 6 June 2024 (a)</p> <p>2. Each year the smaller authority's Annual Governance and Accountability Return (AGAR) needs to be reviewed by an external auditor appointed by Smaller Authorities' Audit Appointments Ltd. The unaudited AGAR has been published with this notice. As it has yet to be reviewed by the appointed auditor, it is subject to change as a result of that review.</p> <p>Any person interested has the right to inspect and make copies of the accounting records for the financial year to which the audit relates and all books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers, receipts and other documents relating to those records must be made available for inspection by any person interested. For the year ended 31 March 2024, these documents will be available on reasonable notice by application to:</p> <p>(b) Mrs Linda Kidd (Clerk) Crosslands, Wainfleet Road, Irby in the Marsh, Lincs PE24 5AY Tel: 01754 811544 Mobile: 07515 879029 Email: firsby.clerk1@btinternet.com</p> <p>commencing on (c) Friday 7 June 2024</p> <p>and ending on (d) Thursday 18 July 2024</p> <p>3. Local government electors and their representatives also have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The opportunity to question the appointed auditor about the accounting records; and• The right to make an objection which concerns a matter in respect of which the appointed auditor could either make a public interest report or apply to the court for a declaration that an item of account is unlawful. Written notice of an objection must first be given to the auditor and a copy sent to the smaller authority. <p>The appointed auditor can be contacted at the address in paragraph 4 below for this purpose between the above dates only.</p> <p>4. The smaller authority's AGAR is subject to review by the appointed auditor under the provisions of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014, the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 and the NAO's Code of Audit Practice 2015. The appointed auditor is:</p> <p>PKF Littlejohn LLP (Ref: SBA Team) 15 Westferry Circus Canary Wharf London E14 4HD (sba@pkf-l.com)</p> <p>5. This announcement is made by (e) __Mrs Linda Kidd (Clerk)</p>	<p>(a) Insert date of placing of the which must be not less than before the date in (c) below</p> <p>(b) Insert name, position address/telephone number/ address, as appropriate, of the C other person to which any persc apply to inspect the accounts</p> <p>(c) Insert date, which must be at day after the date of announcen (a) above and at least 30 workin before the date appointed in (d) be</p> <p>(d) The inspection period betwe and (d) must be 30 working inclusive and must include the 1 working days of July.</p> <p>(e) Insert name and position of placing the notice – this person r the responsible financial officer smaller authority</p>