Explanation of variances – pro forma

Name of smaller authority:

FINHAM PARISH COUNCIL

County area (local councils and COVENTRY

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).

	2018/19 £	2019/20 £	Variance £	Variance %		Automatic responses trigger below based on figures input, DO NOT OVERWRITE THESE BOXES	Explanation from smaller authority <u>(r</u> narrative and supporting figures)
1 Balances Brought Forward	21,503	30,932				Explanation of % variance from PY opening balance not required - Balance brought forward agrees	
2 Precept or Rates and Levies	20,930	21,360	430	2.06%	NO		
3 Total Other Receipts	3,693	3,167	-526	14.25%	NO		
4 Staff Costs	9,007	10,582	1,574	17.48%	YES		Impact from hourly rate rise
							FLAG project/Overtime
							TOTAL
5 Loan Interest/Capital Repayment	0	0	0	0.00%	NO		
6 All Other Payments	6,187	16,345	10,158	164.17%	YES		Office Shelving
							Parish Enhancements signage
							Noticeboard purchased
							Audit challenge on 2018-19 Accnts
							Advertising VE Day printing costs
							Office Equipment
							TOTAL
7 Balances Carried Forward	30,932	28,532			NO	VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED	
8 Total Cash and Short Term Investments	30,932	28,532				VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED	
9 Total Fixed Assets plus Other Long Term Investments a	and 876	7,595	6,719	766.97%	YES		Office shelving

Noticeboard	
Laminator	
Shredder	
Total	

10 Total Borrowings

0 0 0.00% NO

Rounding errors of up to £2 are tolerable Variances of £200 or less are tolerable