

**Minutes of meeting of Eaton Parish Council to approve and sign the accounts of the Council for the year end 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 – held at the home of the Chair of the Council, Cllrs. Evans**

**Present: Cllrs Evans, Waltho, Weedenburg, Goodwin – Clerk and RFO Mrs. D. Waite**

**Apologies: Cllrs. Lyne and Cohen. Cllr. Cannon has now left the area and resides in Shropshire**

**Accounts – 1872**

**The clerk provided each member with accounts covering receipts, payments, bank reconciliation, summary, supporting notes, breakdown of admin costs, asset register and variations. These were inspected and considered by the council members, were approved and signed by the Chair.**

**The audit documents were also presented, approved and signed – including the AGAR.**

**Copies of the accounts for absent members were taken to be delivered to them and the Clerk will post a copy to Cllr.Cannon.**

**OTHER MATTERS**

**In the light of some urgent matters discussed at the last full meeting of the council, an update on the flooding situation was on the agenda. We are now waiting for further news from Cheshire East and United Utilities on the actions to be taken following their surveys.**

**An annual report is being prepared and will be distributed when ready**

**The clerk drew attention to the account from Chalc and the large rise last year in the subscription. It appears that this is based on the number of electors and in the year 2020/21 seven areas of new development on the edge of the parish were included in the parish of Eaton giving a total of 539. Following CGR, these are now in Congleton and our number of electors is reduced accordingly. The Clerk will contact Chalc and ask them to request a copy of the current Electoral Register which officially lists our electors as 309 and provide us with an amended account for subscription.**

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