MINUTES OF THE STAWLEY ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD AT APPLEY PAVILION ON TUESDAY 6th June 2023

Parish Councillors present: Paul Musgrove (PM) Chairman

Sarah Jones (SJ) Pat Sweet (PS) Clive Wall (CW)

Others present: District Councillor Dave Mansell (DM)

1 Parishioners

Minutes of the APM on 7th June 2022 had been made available on the website and were referred to by the Chairman at the meeting. They were considered to be correct.

The Chairman's Report – a resume was presented to the meeting and is available on the website at www.stash.org.uk. There were no resultant questions

Accounts 2021/22: The RFO presented the accounts to the meeting. Parishioners can view the accounts on the website, www.stash.org.uk together with the Annual Governance and Accountability Return. The Chairman stated that Council was aware that it had a continued account "buffer" of about £10,000. This was intentional as in the past we may have needed this level of funding for emergency works. It was suggested that a substantial part of this could be placed in an interest bearing account.

Reports from local organisations Reports from various local organisations have been made available through the year through the Parish News (PN) and are made available on the website. Maurice Stanbury stated that the financial standing of the PN was stable although it could not get the level of advertisement income of other local magazines because of the limited circulation.

Donations to Local Groups There have been no applications for grants from local groups.

Any Other Business: None

The meeting was closed at 8.05pm