REPORT FOR THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING AS SUBMITTED

BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE PARISH COUNCIL

FOR THE MAY 2017 MEETING

On behalf of the Parish Council, Mr Clive Arthey, the Chairman, thanked all for attending the Annual Parish Meeting and confirmed that this year there had been no changes to the line-up on the Council.

He confirmed that the Parish Council held six bi-monthly meetings - held in May, July, September, November, January and March as well as the Annual Parish Meeting which in fact was a meeting for the electorate and not the Parish Council. In addition, meetings were called to discuss planning matters which, due to the timing of the parish council meetings, required a more urgent response.

He thanked the County Councillor, James Finch and District Councillor, Bryn Hurren for their attendance and written reports, often both! Whilst the Parish Council did not expect them to dominate its proceedings, it very much appreciated their involvement and for keeping it informed of how resident's Council Tax was being spent.

Thanks were also given to all of the Parish Councillors for giving their time and commitment to supporting and enhancing the local community, and to the Clerk, Vicky, who ensures our Parish Council is fully compliant and functions properly and smoothly.

All were reminded of the Parish Council's website and the newly formed Village Newsletter, both of which welcomed contributions from members of the public.