Explanation of variances - pro forma

Name of smaller authority:

Kirkburn Parish Council

County area (local councils and parish meetings only)

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 (must include narrative and supporting figures)
1 Balances Brought Forward	3,876	2,331				Explanation of % variance from PY opening balance not required - Balance brought forward agrees	
2 Precept or Rates and Levies	3,945	4,530	585	14.83%	NO		
3 Total Other Receipts	1,045	858	-187	17.89%	YES	Explanation not required, difference less than £200	
4 Staff Costs			0	0.00%	NO		
5 Loan Interest/Capital Repayment			0	0.00%	NO		
6 All Other Payments	6,535	4,959	-1,576	24.12%	YES		Variance is due to provision of new litter bins and two new seats in the parish in 2018/19 as part of WWI centenary
7 Balances Carried Forward	2,331	2,760			NO	VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED	
8 Total Cash and Short Term Investments	2,331	2,760				VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED	
9 Total Fixed Assets plus Other Long Term Investments an	9,869	11,719	1,850	18.75%	YES		Variance is due to installation of an additional new seat in the parish in 2019/20
10 Total Borrowings			0	0.00%	NO		

Rounding errors of up to £2 are tolerable

Variances of £200 or less are tolerable