Explanation of variances - pro forma

Name of smaller authority:

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);
- New from 2020/21 onwards: variances of £100,000 or more require explanation regardless of the % variation year on year;

| | 2023/24 £ | 2024/25 £ | Variance £ | Variance % | | Automatic responses trigger below based on figures input, DO NOT OVERWRITE THESE BOXES Exp | planation from smaller authority (must include narrative and supporting figures) |
|--|------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|-----|---|--|
| 1 Balances Brought Forward | 19,339 | 16,904 | | | | Explanation of % variance from PY opening balance not required - Balance brought forward agrees | |
| 2 Precept or Rates and Levies | 11,420 | 15,209 | 3,789 | 33.18% | YES | Alck of other income due to pavilion being out of order and rising costs | |
| 3 Total Other Receipts | 1,602 | 1,221 | -381 | 23.78% | YES | £350 donation received 2023/24 | |
| 4 Staff Costs | 6,358 | 6,267 | -91 | 1.43% | NO | | |
| 5 Loan Interest/Capital Repayment | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00% | NO | | |
| 6 All Other Payments | 9,099 | 8,126 | -973 | 10.69% | NO | | |
| 7 Balances Carried Forward | 16,904 | 18,941 | | | | VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED | |
| 8 Total Cash and Short Term Investments | 16,904 | 18,941 | | | | VARIANCE EXPLANATION NOT REQUIRED | |
| 9 Total Fixed Assets plus Other Long Term Investments ar | od 55,867 | 56,397 | 530 | 0.95% | NO | | |
| 10 Total Borrowings | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00% | NO | | |

Rounding errors of up to £2 are tolerable

Variances of £200 or less are tolerable