# BROOKTHORPE-WITH-WHADDON PARISH COUNCIL

#### MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL 3rd MAY 2016

#### 1. PRESENT

Messrs S Betts, G Simpson, Mrs L King, Mrs C Cooke, Mrs A Rigelsford [Parish Clerk] and 4 members of the public.

#### 2. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

It was proposed by Cllr G Simpson and seconded by Cllr L King that Cllr S Betts be elected as Chairman. Cllr Betts was duly elected as Chairman.

# 3. ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRMAN

It was proposed by Cllr L King and seconded by Cllr S Betts that Cllr G Simson be elected as Vice-Chairman. Cllr G Simson was duly elected as Vice-Chairman.

# 4. DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE TO OFFICE

Declarations of acceptance to office were signed by all Councillors

### 5. APOLOGIES

There were no apologies for absence

#### 6. APPROVAL OF STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNTS

The statement of accounts were agreed and signed as a true account of the Council's finances.

# 7. COMPLETION OF THE ANNUAL RETURN INCLUDING THE COUNCIL'S GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

Statements were agreed by the Council and completed by the Chairman and the Responsible Financial Officer.

# 8. QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

There were no questions or comments from the public.