

## AGAR Publication statement

Due to circumstances beyond the Council's control, the period set for the exercise of public rights does not include the mandatory period of the first 10 working days of July 2018 as required by Section 15 of the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015.

I can confirm the amended dates for exercise of public rights are as follows :

Commencing on 1<sup>st</sup> August 2018

and ending on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018

The Statement of Accounts for 2017/18 will not be audited externally, on account of the Council's self-certified statement as exempt, unless either a request for an opportunity to question the auditor about the Council's accounting records under Section 26(2) or an objection under Section 27(1) of the local Audit and Accountability 2014 ('the Act'), results in the appointment of a local auditor. In either of these circumstances the audit will be limited to that required by Section 20 of the Act as modified by the Local Audit (Smaller Authorities) Regulations 2015. Any such request or objection should be submitted in writing to the Clerk of the Council by 14<sup>th</sup> August 2018

Signed

Martyn Long Parish Clerk and Responsible Officer

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Date 31<sup>st</sup> July 2018