Minutes of Monyash Parish Council AGM 9<sup>th</sup> May 2022

## Attendees

Councillors: - J Scoggins (chair), P Riley, S Mudford, A Woolley, J White.

Acting clerk: - L Fitton

Village representation: - 4 villagers plus one apology

An overview of the year was given by the chair and of the financial status by the clerk. Attached.

The following questions and comments were raised.

Q Why was the precept increased? The council advised it was raised to cover upcoming increases in costs expected in 2022/3 i.e., salaries, contract work, fuel etc. Whilst our balance is healthy, we have been advised to keep a balance of at least 1 years precept plus we are trying to gain enough capital to repair car parking area on Chapel Street.

Q What is money raised from the filming around the Mere to be used for? The PC agreed it would be good to use this money to benefit the Mere and suggestions put forward such as creating an additional mere for the Newts that have been destroyed by the goldfish will be discussed at June PC meeting.

Q It was noted that the Air Ambulance bin is full. PC to call them to get emptied.

Q From attendees in the room there was broad support for the toilets at Lathkill Dale being kept open.

The meeting closed at 19 29.