Explanation of Variances -

Coldwaltham Parish Council

The Practioners' Guide provides guidance on explaining significant variances. Please provide <u>full explanations, incuding numerical values</u>, for the following:

variances of more than 15% between totals for individual boxes (except variances of less than £200) if the total reserves (Box 7) figure is more than twice the annual precept value (Box 2)

Section 2	2019/20 (£)	2020/21 (£)	Variance (£)	Variance (%)	Detail Explanation of Variance (with amounts(£)
Box 2 Precept or Rate and Levies					
Box 3 Total other receipts	7995	1442	6553	-82%	less Funding Grant for Cricket Surface Refurbishment (-£3950) in 2019/20 less AHPF re-payment of over spend (-£2895) in 2019/20
Box 4 Staff costs					
Box 5 Loan interest / capital repayments					
Box 6 All other payments	16872	5576	11296	-67%	Reduction in AHPF Invoices (£7842) Reduction in AHPF monthly payments (£2280) Reduction in VAT payments (£1161)
Box 9 Total fixed assets & long term investments & assets					
Box 10 Total borrowings					
Explanation for 'high' reserves	Box 7 is more than twice the precept of the authority because				