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Statement on significant variations of more than 10% and more than £100 in the items in the Accounting Statement from those of last year.

- 1. Staff Costs. This was £594 higher because the Clerk was paid to maintain the playground. The Clerk's pay was at the lowest pay scale. He has not accepted annual performance increases.
- **2.** Balance carried forward. This was £271 (27%) lower due to higher expenditure on street light repairs and the playground.

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