Ashmanhaugh Parish Council

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS AND PUBLICATION OF ANNUAL GOVERNANCE & ACCOUNTABILITY RETURN (EXEMPT AUTHORITY)

ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 Sections 25, 26 and 27 The Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 (SI 2015/234)

NOTICE **NOTES** 1. Date of announcement 9th June 2023 (a) (a) Insert date of placing of the notice which must be not less than 1 day before the date in (c) below 2. Each year the smaller authority prepares an Annual Governance and Accountability Return (AGAR). The AGAR has been published with this notice. It will not be reviewed by the appointed auditor, since the smaller authority has certified itself as exempt from the appointed auditor's review. Any person interested has the right to inspect and make copies of the AGAR, the accounting records for the financial year to which it relates and all books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers, receipts and other documents relating to those records must be made available for inspection by any person interested. For the year ended 31 March 2023, these documents will be available on reasonable notice by application to: Insert name, position and (b) Mrs Sarah Martin - Parish Clerk address/telephone number/ email 18a Honing Row, address, as appropriate, of the Chair or Worstead, other person to which any person may Norfolk. apply to inspect the accounts **NR28 9RH** Email: ashmanhaughparishcouncil@gmail.com Tel: 01692 535775 (c) Insert date, which must be at least 1 Monday 12th June 2023 commencing on (c) day after the date of announcement in (a) above and at least 30 working days and ending on (d) Monday 21st July 2023 before the date appointed in (d) below (d) The inspection period between (c) 3. Local government electors and their representatives also have: and (d) must be 30 working days inclusive and must include the first 10 The opportunity to question the appointed auditor about the accounting working days of July. records; and The right to make an objection which concerns a matter in respect of which the appointed auditor could either make a public interest report or apply to the court for a declaration that an item of account is unlawful. Written notice of an objection must first be given to the auditor and a copy sent to the smaller authority. The appointed auditor can be contacted at the address in paragraph 4 below for this purpose between the above dates only. 4. The smaller authority's AGAR is only subject to review by the appointed auditor if questions or objections raised under the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 lead to the involvement of the auditor. The appointed auditor is: PKF Littlejohn LLP (Ref: SBA Team) 15 Westferry Circus **Canary Wharf** London E14 4HD (sba@pkf-l.com) (e) Insert name and position of person 5. This announcement is made by (e) Mrs Sarah Martin - Clerk & RFO placing the notice - this person must be

the Chair of the parish meeting