## Parochial Church Council of the Parish of Portslade & Mile Oak Independent Examiners Report

I report on the accounts of the Parish of Portslade and Mile Oak for the year ending 31st December 2023, which are set out on pages 1-3.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiners.

The PCC are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The PCC consider that an audit is not required for this year and that an independent examination is needed.

It is my responsibility to:

- Examine the accounts as required by the constitution
- To state whether particular matters have come to my attention

Basis of independent examiners report

An examination includes a review of the accounting records, kept by the Parish of Portslade and Mile Oak and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and the seeking of explanations from you as PCC members concerning any such matters. The procedures do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and, consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a "true and fair view" and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiners statement.

In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention which gives me reasonable cause to believe that, in any material respect, the requirements:

- (a) To keep proper accounting records in accordance with the rules and regulations of the society; and
- (b) To prepare accounts which accord with the general accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice have not been met.

To which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed Jo Goras

Date. 21011214