

PARWICH PARISH COUNCIL ANNUAL MEETING 2022.

Chair's report.

This is just a brief report from this year's Parish Council Chairman, having taken over from Michael Edge half way through the year.

Firstly, I wanted to thank my fellow Councillors who freely give up their time to serve this village and community by attending to all the Parish Council matters. We are very fortunate to have two born and bred Councillors on our Council, and we benefit greatly from their sense of history about the village and area.

Secondly, we are greatly indebted to our Parish Clerk, Andrew Martin, who works tirelessly to keep the Council running smoothly, and to make sure that we adhere to all the correct policies and procedures. He always goes the extra mile and is very thorough and attentive to all the requests from our parishioners.

Often the Council has to deal with mundane and essentially boring matters, but for me, the highlight of our work this year was the beginning of our Housing Needs survey through Derbyshire Dales. Hopefully this lengthy process will result in some more affordable housing being built in Parwich to allow especially those younger people to be able to live in this village, as house prices continue to rise exponentially in this area.

Martin Compton (Chair)