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Dear Mr Watson

**To the Chairman and Members of Briercliffe with Extwistle Parish Council  
Internal Audit of Accounts for the Financial Year ending 31 March 2019**

I am pleased to inform you that the internal audit has been completed. Appropriate tests and checks were carried out on the accounts and internal controls to confirm that the systems of financial and other controls over the council's activities and operating procedures are effective. No matters arose from this work to give cause for concern and I can confirm that internal controls are operating as expected. Various minor matters were discussed with the clerk and action agreed where necessary. There are no matters to bring to the attention of the Council. The Annual Internal Auditors Report contained within the Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2018/19 has been completed as required.

I would like to thank the clerk for his assistance during the audit.

Yours sincerely



JL Bennett  
3/ July 2019

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