planation of variances - pro forma

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Please provide full explanations, including numerical values for the following

• variances of more than 15% between totals for individual boxes (except variances of less than £200);

• a breakdown of approved reserves if the total reserves (Box 7) figure is more than twice the annual

precept/rates & levies value (Box 2)

Section 2"	2021/2022	2022/2023	Variance £	Variance %	Detailed explanation of variance (with amounts £)
Box 2 Precept or Rates & Levies	14,000	14,000			Explanation not required <15%
Box 3 Total other Receipts	2,082	22	-2,060	-98%	2022/23 Bank interest totalled £22 No grant awards in year. VAT refund – payment delayed. 2021/2022 Higher Receipts received were: VAT refund of £128.64; WBC Grant for fencing £452.57; Local History Grant received £1500
Box 6 Other Payments	7,085	5,914	-1,171	-16%	2022/2023 Lower activity in year following Covid. Basic admin costs covered and grass maintenance costs. 2021/2022 Includes payment of part History Grant to the local group (£1110) and payment for renewal of Defibrillator pads (£43).
Box 9 Total fixed Assets	16,613	16,942	+329	+2%	Explanation not required <15% Purchase of line marker +£329 fixed assets