PERIOD FOR THE EXERCISE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023.

Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 (SI 2015/234)

Stanley Town Council's Annual Return needs to be reviewed by an external auditor appointed by Public Sector Audit Appointments Ltd. Any person interested has the right to inspect the accounting records for the financial year to which the audit relates and all books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers and receipts and other documents relating to those records or documents.

These documents for **Stanley Town Council** are to be made available on reasonable notice by application between the hours of **9.30am and 4.00pm on Mondays to Fridays** (excluding public holidays) commencing on Tuesday 6 June 2023 and ending on Monday 17 July 2023

If you wish to view them then, please contact Stanley Town Council's representative:

Mrs. A Barry, Responsible Finance Officer. Civic Hall Front Street, Stanley Co Durham, DL9 0NA Tel: (01207) 299109

Local Electors and their representatives have rights to question the auditor about the accounts and object to the accounts or any item in them. Written notice of an objection must first be given to the auditor and a copy sent to the Town Council. The auditor can be contacted at the address below for this purpose during the inspection period which commences on 6 June 2023 and ends on 17 July 2023.

The Council's annual return is subject to review by the appointed auditor under the provisions of the local Audit and Accountability Act 2014, the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 and the NAO's Code of Audit Practice.

The appointed auditor of **Stanley Town Council** is: Mazars, The Corner, Bank Chambers, 26 Mosley Street, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 1DF (0191) 383 6300.

This announcement is made by Ann Barry, Responsible Finance Officer. 5 June 2023