**Poor’s Piece & Clockland Charity**

**Report for the North Marston Parish Council AGM May 2024**

This is the report for Poors Piece & Clocklands Charity for activities in 2023

Since the turbulent year of 2022/3, the Charity has moved forward.

* A leaflet with a brief history and purpose of the Charity has been produced, printed and distributed to each household in the village, to raise awareness among residents
* The grant making literature has been formulated and is now available on the PC website, in Doctors surgeries, at NM School and with the Church representatives, along with an application form for grants to be filled in

During the year grants have been made totalling the sum of £653.94

Payment to ECC for the year 2022 of £1266.70 has been made

Going forward, Michael Morton indicated that he wished to step down as a Trustee.

The post of a new Trustee has been advertised, applicants were invited to send their details to the Chairman, Rev Petra Elsmore for discussion at our next meeting this month

The leaflet concludes with the following sentence:

‘*We are here for our community, ready to offer help and support to those who face difficult situations’*