Rational for Proposed Joint Statement

<u>Proposed Joint Statement from Charney Hall & Field Trust & Charney Bassett Parish</u> Council.

The attached discussion document (draft 2) has been prepared by the three CHAFT representatives on the Joint Liaison Group (JLG) and the Treasurer in response to a request for CHAFT to produce a draft 'Memorandum of Understanding' which reflects the respective role of the two organisations.

The document was forwarded to the Parish Council on the 4th May 2023 under the preferred title 'Joint Statement'

The Parish Clerk has circulated the report to Councillors but they have yet to consider the content in detail. The Parish Clerk has suggested that once the CHAFT Management Committee has given consideration to the document, it could be discussed at the next meeting of the Joint Liaison Group. He has asked why the title 'Joint Statement' is now being used in preference to 'Memorandum of Understanding' and background information on this proposed change will be provided for Trustees at the meeting .

The Management Committee is recommended to consider and agree the proposed joint statement prior to further discussions with the Parish Council.