## Allotments for the Labouring poor

## Annual Report for the year ending 5th April 2024

Allotments continue to be well supported by parishioners.

The accounts show a steady income of £514 against expenses of £542.15.

We had two exceptional expenses in the year, namely a cost of £162 to repair a window for a property neighbouring the Gedding Road plot brought about by flying stones incurred during allotment maintenance and the maintenance of a returned plot on Rattlesden Road at a cost of £131.

Retained cash surplus is £1,585.

We had two vacant plots at the year end.

Richard Edmondson resigned as Chair and as a trustee in the Summer 2023. I would like to express my gratitude to Richard for his contribution over the years. Daphne Youngs joined as a Trustee during the period and allotment holders voted for Michael Lambert to replace Richard as Chairman.

The current responsibilities are:

Michael Lambert Chair and Gedding Road allotment holder

Daphne Youngs Rattlesden Road allotment holder

Alice Robinson Representative from Drinkstone Parish Council

Michael Lambert Chairman 5<sup>th</sup> April 2024