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LOCAL COUNCIL AWARD SCHEME — FOUNDATION AWARD ACHIEVEMENT August 2024

Dear Elaine

As chair of the National Association of Local Councils (NALC), it is with great pleasure that I confirm that **Heighington Parish Council** has achieved the Foundation Award.

Receiving the Foundation Award is an excellent achievement showing that your local (parish and town) council achieves good practices in governance, community engagement and council improvement. Furthermore, this award shows that your council has gone above and beyond the legal obligations; you lead your community and continuously seek opportunities to improve and develop even further. Therefore, the council is to be congratulated immensely.

I want to express my sincere thanks to you **Elaine Atkin**, for your hard work submitting the Foundation Award application and the additional work throughout the assessment process.

My expression of thanks is also given to **Heighington Parish Council**. Your service to your community and supporting your Local Council Award Scheme application are recognised and reflected in your achievement.

As your council has shown its commitment to continuous improvement and development, I very much look forward to **Heighington Parish Council** applying for the Quality Award and celebrating more achievements.

Yours sincerely,

NALC Chair