## SURREY ASSOCIATION OF LOCAL COUNCILS (SALC) ANNUAL REPORT 2023-2024

SALC continues to provide valuable advice and training to Council Clerks, Officers and Councillors from Parish and Town Councils across the region, along with the National Association of Local Councils (NALC). SALC Website: <a href="https://www.surreyalc.org.uk">www.surreyalc.org.uk</a>

SALC host numbers of events around the year providing opportunities to meet other councils, discuss issues and how they can be overcome. In addition to this SALC is a body whom you can refer to for advice, the true value of SALC would most likely not be realised unless Ash Parish Council no longer subscribed to its services.

SALC host an annual AGM which invites many different speakers to talk about plans and initiatives for Surrey.

SALC continues to run Surrey Local Council Forum meetings, Chair and Clerk's briefings and networking events. I believe Ash Parish Council continue to see value for money from the annual cost of subscription.

Councillor Carl Cookson