PERSON SPECIFICATION

CLERK/RFO TO APPLETON WISKE PARISH COUNCIL

Attribute	Description	Essential	Desirable
Experience	Experience of working in local government including committee administration.		X
	Experience of monitoring budgets and preparing financial statements and final accounts		X
Skills	Ability to communicate effectively, both orally,and in writing or electronically and to present views positively.	X	
	Possesses a high degree of literacy and numeracy.	X	
	Possesses excellent organisational skills.	X	
	Ability to use MS Word / Excel.	X	
	Ability to develop relationships with people at all levels in the organisation.	X	
	 Ability to work efficiently and effectively to deadlines and on own initiative. 	X	
	Ability to manage other employees.		
	Experience in dealing with the public		X
Knowledge / Qualification	Knowledge of all tiers of local government and their inter-relationship.		X
	Either holds ILCA, or CiLCA or is willing to work towards obtaining CiLCA.		X
	Willing to undertake any additional required training	X	
Equal Opportunities	A knowledge, awareness and commitment to equal opportunities policies.		X
Other Requirements	Availability to attend evening meetings, at least monthly.	X	
	 Availability to attend meetings elsewhere in the village during the day and to have a 'presence' in the village on a regular basis. 	X	
	Ability to maintain confidentiality.	X	
	Good project management skills.		
	Have facility to use PC provided laptop including computer With own internet capability, telephone etc.	X	
	Computer literate in relevant software packages.	X	