

Minutes of Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday 10th September 2020.

This meeting was held by Zoom.

Present: Cllr. Rainbow (Chair), Humphreys, Daw and Preece.

Apologies: Cllr. Straw & March. Cllr. S Bailey (RBC) & Cllr. F. Purdue-Horan (NCC)

Declaration of interest: None.

Matters Arising: Cllr. Purdue – Horan had confirmed that he had put our name forward to be considered for wildflowers to be sown on the verges between Granby & Sutton.

Correspondence:

Community tree scheme 2020/21 – To apply for one Maple to be planted on the verge by Sutton cross roads.

Town & Parish Forum Oct 2nd – Cllrs. Rainbow & Daw to attend by zoom.

Winter highways requirements – Clerk to order the 5 free bags of salt.

Parish Council War Memorial wreath – clerk to request one is ordered and send a donation of £25.

Playground – Crown lifting of tree overshadowing playground – Cllrs. agreed to write for permission and get quote for crown lifting before talking to the residents.

Cemetery – Cllr. Preece requested that we obtained quotes for cutting the hedge in this area and tiding the fruit trees. Clerk to get quotes from WRS and Hempsteads.

Planning:

For Consideration 20/01756/FUL OS Field Granby OBJECT

Decisions: 20/01488/FUL Hedgerows Granby GRANTED

 20/01375/FUL Saddlery, Granby GRANTED

Wild Life Policy: Cllr. Humphreys suggested that we wrote a Policy on this. Cllr. Humphreys to present more details at the next meeting.

Greater Nottingham Strategic Plan – Cllrs. discussed the proposals and agreed the response to be submitted.

Solar Farm Barkestone update: Cllr. Rainbow reported on the Zoom meeting he and Cllr Daw had with Savilles representative and Barkestone PC. It would mean an increase in traffic through Granby for about 1 month whilst the panels were being sited.

Finance: Current account balance: £23506.27 Reserve Account: £10391.43

Accounts for payment: Excl VAT

A Coy (Salary clerk)	£641.41 (3 months)
A Coy (Exps)	£ 93.16 (windows. b/band, stationary)
HMRC	£159.80
Hempsteads	£837.75 (2 months)
Alpha Clocks	£825.00
P Straw	£ 13.32 (playground)
RBL poppy appeal	£ 25.00
Octopus Energy	£ 24.99 (2months)
Streetwise	£ 47.19
M Wilkinson	£ 25.00
Water Plus	£ 13.66 (Cemetery)

Councillors' report:

Cllr. Humphrey reported that she had attended the open meeting in Orston re the proposed Garden Village. She would circulate a draft letter to be sent to Cllrs. Bailey and Purdue-Horan with the P C's comments.

Meeting closed at 20.15 pm.

Date & Time of next meeting: 8th October 2020.