GRENDON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Zoom Parish Council Meeting held on Tuesday, 17th November 2020 at 7.30pm

Present: D B Cox

M White C Rich-Bate H Horton A Hands

M Hammersley

Also Present: County Councillor A Wright

R Young – Clerk to the Council

1) PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

No matters were raised.

2) <u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</u>

D Cox, A Hands and C Rich-Bate declared an interest in all matters relating to Grendon Community Centre.

3) MINUTES

It was proposed, seconded and agreed that the Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on the 20th October 2020 be approved as a true and correct record.

Resolved: That the Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on the 20th October 2020 be approved as a true and correct record.

4) MATTERS ARISING

a) Highways England

- Andy Wright met Fiona McKenzie from Highways England and reviewed outstanding issues.
- Follow up to meeting with D B Cox in June 2020. D B Cox never received follow-up information.

b) <u>Grendon Newsletter</u>

> Review Newsletter after Christmas including printing costs.

D Cox		
Chairman		

c) Sports Field

A Wright gave an update mentioning the following:-

- NWBC will maintain until approximately May 2021.
- Grass seed applied.
- Dog fouling an issue to be resolved.
- Provision of Dog Waste Bins Need to review.
- Control of access.

d) Housing Site Issues

Chris Rich-Bate mentioned the following:-

- No further updates from Bellway regarding drainage.
- No further complaints regarding Lindon Homes.

e) <u>Dordon Hall Lane</u>

WCC Highways considering improvement projects for 2021 in December 2020.

5) PLANNING

a) Planning Applications

> PAP/2020/0567

148 Watling Street, Grendon

Single storey extension to side, two storey side extension and single storey rear extension. Existing garage building to be demolished.

PAP/2020/0518

81 Boot Hill. Grendon

Single storey extension, part garage extension and pitched roof.

> PAP/2020/0526

1 Chetwynd Drive, Grendon

Change of Use to part of existing detached garage from Residential C3 to use for dog grooming.

> PAP/2020/0543

Field Brook Farm, Spon Lane, Grendon

Removal of Condition 3 of planning permission PAP/1995/3057-PGREXX/0036/95/FAP relating occupancy.

> PAP/2020/0560

Rainbow Cottage, 63A, Boot Hill, Grendon

Works to remove branch from tree protected by a Tree Preservation Order.

> PAP/2020/0576

142 Watling Street, Grendon

Single storey self-contained annexe with pitched roof in rear garden.

D Cox Chairman

6) CORRESPONDENCE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- WALC Subscription request.
- NWBC − Resources Board Meeting − 9th November 2020.
- NWBC Planning and Development Board 2nd November 2020.
- NWBC Safer Communities Sub-Committee 16th November 2020.
- Request from Parishioner regarding provision of litter bin. Informed by NWBC that litter bin cannot be installed until housing development roads are officially adopted.

7) ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- M White reported the Flood Forum Group had finished. M White to check with interested parties.
- D Cox commented external work on the new Co-operative Store had been completed. Bus Shelter re-sited by Highways England.

8) FINANCE

a) Cheque Payments

It was proposed, seconded and agreed to issue the following cheques:-

Date	Details	£
24/10/2020	M Healey	222.00
28/10/2020	C Brown	37.50
17/11/2020	WALC Subscription	603.00
17/11/2020	Khoo Systems	15.76
17/11/2020	R Young (Paid Khoo Systems)	15.76 15.76

Total: £894.02

Resolved: To issue the above cheque.

b) Other Finance Matters

- > The Clerk confirmed the Parish Council Bank Balance.
- A Hands said the Parish Council could consider providing Grit Bins, Benches and Litter Bins.
- M Hammersley commented the Parish Council should consider future expenditure very carefully and identify a purpose.
- The Clerk to enquire with the Bank regarding the additional signatories for the bank account.
- Remembrance Wreath laid by the Parish Council.

D Cox Chairman

9) <u>DATE OF NEXT MEETING</u>

Tuesday, 12th January 2021.

The meeting closed at 8.26pm.

D B Cox Chairman
