**GREAT CRANSLEY PARISH COUNCIL**

Notes from Parish Council meeting **March 2020 to April 9th** which would have been the date of the Annual Parish Meeting and a normal Parish Council meeting which were cancelled due to the coronavirus pandemic. Therefore no agenda was made.

Councillors were emailed, phoned or given a hard copy of various documents received by the Clerk. All payments were agreed by Councillors by the same method.

The Parish Council is looking into setting up virtual meetings for Parish Council Meetings

CORRESPONDANCE- update

The Clerk thanked KBC for the repair of the fence outside the play area.

Emails forwarded to Cllrs for information re :-

Bell ringing in St Andrews Church cancelled. Northants. Fire officers report.

NALC mini update 13.03.2020 Intergrated works

Dedicated web page. CPRE planning Road Shows

2020 ACRE Village awards- postponed until possibly July/August.

Info. re Northants Carers

NCALC mini update 20.03.2020 response to the pandemic. Each Wednesday will send an update re coronavirus. KBC meetings

PC May elections cancelled.

Groundwork UK for community groups only re help to support safeguarding re pandemic – not relevant for GCPC.

KBC Meetings 24.03.2020 Re Church maintenance

PKF Littlejohn external auditor on 24.03,2020 awaiting guidance on timing for this year.

NCALC weekly briefing 25.03.2020. NCALC mini update 27.03.2020

Internal audit –re remote audit service

Kierwsp weekly works programme – amended worksheet. KBC re Covid 19 update

Gigaclear re safety while working in the community. NCALC weekly briefing.

Kierwsp Weekly schemes work programme for Cllrs. 06.04.2020

NCALC Update 04.04.2020

MHCLG (Ministry of Housing Communities & Local Government) re Coronavirus Act 2020

KBC D Pope Regs. On meetings and spoof emails.

**Results decided after feedback from Councillors**

**Steve Shaw re electricity supply**. GCPC decided not to participate in this scheme

**ACRE re Good Neighbours Scheme**. GCPC said for a small village, the help scheme run by Krisz Payne with details of help printed in the Chronicle and delivered to every house was sufficient.

**Active Holiday clubs for children :-** awaiting more relies from Cllrs

**NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN**

Ordnance survey email forwarded to Cllr Burton.

End of grant NPG-1079 from Groundwork UK- report emailed to Cllrs

**FINANCE**

**Treasurers Account opening Balance** £3443.17

Payments

Midlands Rural Housing (Neighbourhood Plan) 31.03.20 £2041.20

**Closing Balance £1401.97**

**Lloyds BIA Project Account opening balance** £2581.42

Interest 09.03.20 £ 0.10 Closing Balance £ 2581.52

**Lloyds BIA Account opening balance** £1969.23

Interest 09.03.20 £ 0.08

Closing Balance £1969.31

**PLANNING**

**Weekly Planning applications** noted 09.03to 23.03

**Application KET.2019.0089** re Cransley Eco Park was withdrawn 7th May 2019. The Welfare Cabin remains in situ and GCPC asked KBC on 18.03.2020 that enforcement powers are put in place for its removal. KBC replied saying it will be investigated

**HIGHWAYS**

Re Minutes March 12th para 19.192.12 request for a rubbish bin at the junction of Eagle Lane and Northfield Rd. After several emails from Brendon Coleman KBC the clerk has advice that KBC has seen the site and will install a bin there. The contractor is in isolation at the moment but the work will be done when he is back.