



## CRANTON PARISH COUNCIL

### GENERAL PURPOSES & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

Minutes of the meeting of the **General Purposes and Environment Committee** held on **10 April 2017** at the Parish Council Office, 7 Hampton Drive, Cranton, commencing at 7.00 pm.

**Present:** Councillors D Rostance (Chair), D Bray, W Cook, S Cooper, J Foran and G McGann

**In attendance:** Vitti Osborne (The Clerk)  
1 members of the public

#### 81. **APOLOGIES**

**It was resolved** that apologies for absence received from Councillors P M Green and G Pentin be accepted.

#### 82. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

It was reported that no declarations of Interest were received.

#### 83. **MINUTES OF LAST MEETINGS**

**It was resolved** to accept the minutes of the General Purposes and Environment Committee meeting held on 27 February 2017 as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

#### 84. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

There were no issues raised by the member of the public.

#### 85. **PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

**APP. NO: 17/00016/TWA**

LOCATION: 1 Brook Close Cranton Knowsley

PROPOSAL: REMEDIAL PRUNING TO 5NO SYCAMORE TREES

**DECISION** Granted

**APP. NO: 17/00059/CLD**

LOCATION: 37 Smithy Lane Cranton WA8 5DF

PROPOSAL: CONSTRUCTION OF LOFT CONVERSION / DORMER ROOM TO REAR OF EXISTING DWELLING

**DECISION** Granted

**It was resolved** that the above planning decisions be noted.

#### 86. **KNOWSLEY COUNCIL – PROPOSED NEW DOG CONTROL MEASURES CONSULTATION**

**It was resolved** that the Council supports the proposed New Dog Control Measures.

#### 87. **VILLAGE AND COMMUNITY ISSUES**

The followings were discussed/reported:

(a) A large number of 'laughing gas' canisters were found left behind on the Pasture over last weekend. This had been reported to the Police.

(b) Knowsley Council will fill in the gaps in the fence at the back of the Pasture.

- (c) Knowsley Council will alter the Pasture side gate to open inwards.
- (d) The drainage project is due to begin.
- (e) Speeding in Smithy Lane remains unresolved. Police will be invited to attend the next meeting to discuss the issue. The Council will contact the Police again regarding the speed gun training for two Councillors.
- (f) Cronton Pathways has applied for grants for three community projects:
- St Anne's Well refurbishment
  - Coronation Gardens and Stocks refurbishment
  - Cast-iron finger post refurbishment
- (g) A meeting will be held on the 24/4/17 with the climbers at Pex Hill, TCV and the Police to discuss the litter problems. Councillor D Rostance will represent the Council.
- (h) A BBQ will be held on the Clean-Up Day in July this year.

**88. CRONTON NEWSLETTER**

The spring newsletter will be ready for distribution by the end of next week.

**The meeting closed at 7.15 pm.**

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date 22 May 2017