

**CRONTON PARISH COUNCIL**  
**GENERAL PURPOSES & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE**



Minutes of the meeting of the **General Purposes and Environment Committee** held on **10 December 2018** 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, G McGann, and D Thomas

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

**36. APOLOGIES**

**It was resolved that** apologies for absence received from Councillor G Pentin be accepted.

**37. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

It was reported that no declarations of Interest were received.

**38. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING**

**It was resolved** to accept the minutes of the General Purposes and Environment Committee meeting held on 29 October 2018 as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

**39. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

The member of the public commented that there should be Police presence in the village this time of the year.

**40. PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

**APP. NO: 18/00246/FUL**  
**LOCATION:** Castle View Cronton Road Cronton  
**PROPOSAL:** RETENTION OF USE OF DWELLING AS HOLIDAY HOME FOR RENT  
**DECISION** **Granted**

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

**41. KNOWSLEY COUNCIL CONSULTATION**

**It was resolved** that the Consultation on the Draft Earlsfield Park Public Open Space Masterplan – Lord Derby Memorial Playing Fields and Oak Plantation be noted.

**42. ECUMENICAL CAROL SERVICE**

Arrangements for the Carol Service on Tuesday 18/12/18 had been finalised and details were given in the Checklist.

**43. REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE AND BEACONING LIGHTING CEREMONY (11/11/18)**

The Remembrance Day Service and the Beaconing Lighting Ceremony were both a great success. In spite of the inclement weather the evening turnout was outstanding. Both events would be covered in the next village newsletter.

The Clerk undertook to check if the press release had been published in the Challenge.

**44. VILLAGE AND COMMUNITY ISSUES**

In response to the remark given by the member of the public, it was suggested inviting the Police to come and discuss Police presence, speed watch in Cronton and having regular meetings with the Parish Council.

It was reported that the cast-iron planter at the end of the shops had been moved seemingly by a large vehicle when going to the back alley. Knowsley Council had to be informed to put it back in its original place.

By and large it was peaceful in the village with the exception of some night activities in the Pasture. Nearby residents had to remain vigilant.

**45. CRONTON NEWSLETTER**

Proposed topics for the next newsletter.

- Remembrance Day Service – Councillor S Cooper
- The Beaconing Lighting Ceremony – Councillor S Cooper
- Railing refurbishment on Cronton Road – Councillor J Foran
- Senior Citizens Christmas Party – B Seddon
- Information boards at Coronation Gardens and St Anne’s Well – Councillor D Rostane/B Smith
- Ecumenical Carol Service – The Clerk

**The meeting closed at 7.30 pm**

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date 21 January 2019