

CRONTON PARISH COUNCIL
GENERAL PURPOSES & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE



Minutes of the meeting of the **General Purposes and Environment Committee** held on **2 June 2014** at the Parish Council Office, 7 Hampton Drive, Cranton, commencing at 7.00 pm.

Present: Councillors D Rostance (Chair), D Bray, W Cook, P M Green, G McGann, G Pentin and I Watson

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

1. APOLOGIES

It was resolved that apologies for absence received from Councillor S Cooper be approved.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

It was reported that no declarations of interest had been submitted.

3. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

It was resolved to accept the minutes of the Meeting of the General Purposes and Environment held on 14 April 2014 as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

There were no questions from the public.

5. PLANNING APPLICATION

App No: **14/00110/FUL**
Location: 79 Chapel Lane Cranton
Proposal: Erection of first floor extension to side, 2 storey extension to rear, conversion of garage to living accommodation together with alterations to roof and new dormers to front and rear elevations
Decision: **Granted**

App. No: **14/00175/TEL**
Applicant: Vodafone Ltd
Location: Telecommunications Mast At Town End Farm Hall Lane Cranton
Proposal: Replacement of existing 15 metre telecommunications pole with new 15 metre telecommunications pole and new equipment cabinet
Decision : Prior approval required and granted

App No: **14/00246/AGR**
Location: Welshmans Farm 345 Cranton Road
Proposal: Application for agricultural determination for the erection of a storage building to land at junction of Cranton Road and Lodge Lane
Decision: Prior approval required and granted

6. OLD DIRECTION SIGN

The old cast iron direction post at the junction of Chapel Lane/Cronton Road is part of Cronton's history and an asset to the village. It would enhance the area when it is restored. Directions named on the fingers could have been Widnes/Ditton/Hale/Prescot/Rainhill/Warrington/Farnworth. Knowsley Council has indicated that there is no extra funding available to restore/replace the fingerpost.

It was resolved that Councillor W Cook will make an enquiry about grants for restoring the fingerpost.

7. PERMIT SCHEME FOR ROAD AND STREET ACTIVITIES

It was resolved that no observations be made on the Knowsley Council (Merseyside Authorities) Permit Scheme for Road and Street Activities.

8. REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

It was resolved that Councillor W Cook may contact Councillor D Williams for a reply from the Police Inspector J Arrowsmith regarding traffic arrangements for the Remembrance Day Service this year.

9. HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

A report and support letters had been submitted to the Archdiocese of Liverpool.

10. COMMUNITY CAR SCHEME

Insurance for the scheme has to be clarified.

It was resolved that the scheme be further considered at the next meeting.

11. CRONTON NEWS

The Spring Newsletter was well received. The following contents for the next newsletter were suggested:

- Community Car Scheme
- Gala feedback

A fund raising event for a local resident was proposed by Councillor P M Green.

The meeting closed at 7.29 pm.

Signed _____ Date 14 July 2014