## Minutes of Meeting of Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh Parish Council held on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2020 at Via Zoom at 7.30pm

Prior to the start of this meeting a short time will be allocated, subject to the sole discretion Chairman of the meeting, for statements or questions from members of the public (1 member of the public was in attendance)

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Attendance: Cllr John Austin, Cllr James Good, Cllr Delia Burton, Cllr James Cripps, Cllr Alun Jones, Cllr David Williams and Julie Bunker (Clerk)

### 1. Apologies

*To receive and accept any apologies for absence* None received

2. Declaration of interest in any item on this agenda by a member None were declared

#### 3. Minutes

*To agree and sign the minutes of the Parish Council meeting of 12<sup>th</sup> August 2020* The minutes were agreed and will be signed by the Chairman when signing cheques (see item 4)

## 4. To approve payments for September 2020

Payments were reviewed and unanimously approved. The Clerk will arrange for cheques to be signed by Cllr Austin and Burton adhering to safe social distancing practices

1272	Julie Bunker Šep-20	£458.33
1273	Julie Bunker Expenses	£45.36
1274	Playspace Installation of bakset ball hoop et	tc £1,050.00
1275	Richard Billyard Grass Cutting July/Aug	£1,491.60
1276	Richard Billyard Churchyard Cutting July/Aug	£290.00
	Total	£3,335.29

#### 5. Planning Applications and appeals

To review and confirm the responses made to Wycombe District Council by the planning committee. (Updated list sent prior to meeting)

Applications were reviewed and comments agreed where necessary.

#### 6. Neighbourhood Plan: Report from Cllr James Good

The referendum in still in abeyance until May 2021 A member of the public questioned the Council about the what he felt was a misleading comment to Mr Hoggar, the plans examiner. After lengthy discussion it was realised that we were talking at cross purposes. The member of the Public said he would investigate further and get back to the Parish Council.

#### 7. Kimble Stewart Hall: Report from Cllr Delia Burton

Accounts Audited and all ok

The Committee are hoping to meet face to face in October.

#### 8. Kimble Stewart Hall Frontage project – Update – Cllr David Williams

UCL have sent tenders to 4 companies and have had 2 responses so far, Rob will chase the other 2 one more time and if no joy he will recommend to the KSH Committee his favoured contractor and the KSH Committee who will turn recommend to the Parish Council

## 9. Buckinghamshire Community Board – Report from Cllr James Cripps

James reported that the Committee have high aspirations but everything is still in it's infancy. Grant awards applications are opening soon so we need to keep a look out for the start date.

10. HS2 – Update from meetings held with Steven Cunningham of Eiffage Kier Ferrovial BAM -Cllrs Alun Jones and Cllr David Williams

The meetings have been very positive and there seems to be a keenness to please. There will be a teams call with Steven Cunningham, Kim Birtwistle and the team at 6pm on October 14<sup>th</sup> (prior to our PC meeting) so they can update the Parish Council on progress of the following:

1.Noise mitigation from HS2 track, and in particular from the repositioning of the Stoke Mandeville bypass road;

2.A safe road crossing in Great Kimble by The Swan and the large green children's playground;

3. Tree planting now to mitigate the sound and visual impact of HS2 on our rural homes and farms in years to come.

## 11. Corona Virus – General discussion and information exchange.

The Parish Council are still monitoring the local and national situation and are ready to support the Community when required

## 12. Correspondence, reports and Issues (for information only)

- Clerks Report nothing further to report
- Reports/Issues from Councillors
  - o Cllr Jones enquired about Remembrance Wreaths; the Clerk will investigate.
  - Cllr Good noted the patching activity that has taken place by TfB
  - Cllr Cripps apologised for being late for the meeting.
  - Cllr Burton reported that the removal of the Shelter at the Playground had left a lip of concrete that is a trip hazard and will need to be addressed urgently. It was agreed for her go ahead and get the work carried out. Maximum cost of £2000
- Correspondence Received
  - All Email correspondence has been circulated to Councillors and, where necessary, added to the agenda for discussion

# 13. To receive items for inclusion on the agenda for the next meeting to be held on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2020 (via Zoom unless regulations change)

None put forward

Chairman.....

Date: 14<sup>th</sup> October 2020