Little Wilbraham & Six Mile Bottom Parish Council

**MINUTES of the Parish Council Meeting**

**held by video conference at 7.30pm on Thursday 30th April 2020**

**Present:** Cllr Carter, Cllr Lane, Cllr McCubbin, Cllr Humphrey (chair), Cllr Gill (minutes), Cllr Cody,

District Councillor Claire Daunton

**11/20-21: Open Forum**

Claire Daunton noted that the application made to East Cambridgeshire District Council for a new driveway entrance for Blandford Lodge in Six Mile Bottom had been withdrawn. The application made to ECDC concerning the retirement village in Bottisham had been due for consideration in May but is deferred until June; Claire Daunton will attend as an observer. She also drew to the Council’s attention the decision of South Cambridgeshire District Council to reinstate the emptying of green bins from 4th May; in the absence of a full timetable, the advice is to put out green bins on the same day as blue bins, even if collections might only be made monthly.

Cllr Cody advised that Wilbraham Environmental Group sought a statement of support in principle from the Council. It was agreed that the matter should be considered at the next meeting as an agenda item.

**12/20-21: Apologies for Absence**- Hayley Livermore (clerk)

**13/20-21: Declarations of Interest**- None

**14/20-21: Covid19 Village Support**

Cllr Carter reported that he had held a video meeting with the local contacts at the end of the previous week. Not many requests for help had been made by residents of Little Wilbraham or Six Mile Bottom, but some approaches had been made by people in real need of assistance, perhaps fewer than in Great Wilbraham. Numerous contacts reported being able to support their neighbours in practical ways. Delivery of prescriptions by the surgery in Bottisham has been a great advantage, led by one of the volunteers (Richard Davies); both regular and urgent prescriptions can be covered. It was also reported that delivery slots form supermarkets were becoming more available and that the delivery of vegetable boxes is working well. Claire Daunton noted the appreciation of South Cambridgeshire District Council for the voluntary work being done.

It was noted that *The Warbler* will not be printed and delivered in hard copy. Efforts are being made to amalgamate so far as possible the various email lists of residents so that an electronic version can be distributed with information on deliveries and take-aways. Cllr Cody is conferring with Cllr Humphrey on technical issues.

**15/20-21: DATE OF NEXT MEETING:** The next meeting will be held on Thursday 14th May 2020 at 7:15pm (note revised time) via video conference.

The meeting closed at 07:58PM.

**Signed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Chair)**

**Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ LITTLE WILBRAHAM & SIX MILE BOTTOM PARISH COUNCIL**