# MINUTES: BRANSTON PARISH COUNCIL EXTRA ORDINARY MEETING

**DATE: TUESDAY 28TH APRIL 2020, 6.30 P.M. VENUE: VIRTUAL MEETING (DUE TO COVID 19)**

*Residents were cordially invited to join the meeting hosted by the platform Zoom. Residents who wished to attend must inform the clerk 24 hours before the scheduled meeting please. Thank you for your co operation*

**Present** Cllr M Ackroyd (Chairman) Cllr F Smith (Vice Chairman) Cllr P Ackroyd

Cllr P Palmer Cllr N Gaunt Cllr N Slater

# 297/28-4-20 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies were accepted from Cllr Mrs J Pike

# 298/28-4-20 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATION REQUESTS

None submitted

# 299/28-4-20 COUNCILLOR REPORTS

* It was noted that the Riverside Hotel has closed the car park due to a number of local issues
* Speeding vehicles during the lock down were on an increase. Staffordshire Police were aware.
* 8th May 2020 – Bunting will be displayed around the Pavilion to mark the event and hopefully the flag pole may be installed by that date too.

# 230/28-4-20 GRANT APPLICATION – STAR FOUNDATION

The proposal to support the grant application was defeated.

# 231/28-4-20 APPOINTMENT OF CONSULTANT TO ASSIST WITH GRANT APPLICATION SUBMISSIONS FOR THE PAVILION EXTENSION

**Resolved:** that subject to satisfactory reference submissions, consultant to be appointed. Maximum budget £2250. The budget virement for these works were agreed.

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| For - unanimous | Against | Abstain |

# 232/28-4-20 ZOOM MEETING WITH KATE GRIFFITHS

**Resolved:** that the Chairman would attend the meeting on the 1st May 2020. Some topics to be raised are, flooding, Branston Leas access and the bridge.

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| For - unanimous | Against | Abstain |

# CLLR MIKE ACKROYD

**CHAIRMAN – BRANSTON PARISH COUNCIL**