

# **Annual Parish Meeting Of Groby Parish Council**

**Minutes of the Meeting of Groby Parish Council held at 7.00pm on  
Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2005 at the Parish Council Chamber, Leicester Road, Groby.**

## **Cou/458/04-05 Present.**

Members: Cllr Hagan (Chairman), Cllrs. Batty, Beck, Coates, Dickson, Emmerson, Hodges, Jones, Kennard, Lock, Purves, Yarwood and York.

Clerk Mr J H Flower. County Councillor Fraser (Part). Borough Councillor Collins (Part). PC Kelley (Part). Mr M Cartwright, Chairman Parish Plan Steering Group. Members of the Public.

## **Cou/459/04-05 Apologies for Absence.**

Cllrs. Allison, Hollick and Marvin.

## **Cou/460/04-05 Minutes 28<sup>th</sup> May 2004.**

**Resolved that the Minutes of the Meeting held on the 24<sup>th</sup> May 2004, copies of which had been previously circulated to members, be agreed as a true record:**

## **Cou/461/04-05 Chairman's Address.**

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting, and recapped the previous years achievements by the Council.

## **Recent Achievements:**

- The implementation of the Dog Warden Service to reduce incidents of dog fouling and make the village a safer place for children and adults alike.
- New play equipment for Marina/Castell Park.
- New Bus Shelter on Leicester Road/Pymm Ley Lane.
- New flowerbeds on Ratby Road and boxes at Field Head.
- Provision of lamppost hanging baskets.
- Thanks to a fantastic and concerted effort by all involved Groby achieved 'runner up' in the Small Town Category of the East Midlands in Bloom competition.

## **Planned Improvements:**

- Ongoing Protection of Parish Council owned land.
- CCTV for the Village Centre and wider if possible.
- Footpaths upgrading Marina/Castell Park.
- New play equipment planned for Field Head.
- New or upgraded Parish Council Notice Boards.

## **Other issues:**

- Groby Parish Council is striving towards 'Quality Parish Council' status.
- Substantial increase in precept was planned for and agreed for the improvement of services, which the Council strives to offer.
- Parish Plan in progress.
- A constructive Joint Meeting has been held with the local youths and the Police, where the Chairman was impressed with the level of wiliness and involvement shown



Signed .....

Date .....

Chairman

