<u>Kegworth Annual Parish Meeting 2024 – Cllr Andrew Priestley, Chairman of</u> Kegworth Parish Council

What Has The Parish Council Been Doing?

Some of the projects and works which have taken place during the year and are ongoing are listed below:

- Review existing/developing new policies to meet legal and other obligations of the Parish council and ensuring proper governance and accountability.
- Continuing to work with the District and County Council to complete the Public Realm Project, started in 2019 - works now underway in Market Place and on London Road.
- Repair of the church wall on Nottingham Road.
- Maintenance of the village parks, allotment sites, and other assets.
- Upgrade of CCTV cameras for better coverage and to improve low light vision is in progress for Sideley park in response to incidents.
- Review of the village grass cutting contract and putting a new 3-year contract in place.
- Renovation and cleaning of the memorial stone for the air disaster in Kegworth cemetery.
- Memorial (grave) stone safety inspection and testing in the cemetery and churchyard.
- Repainting of the cemetery gates.
- Responding to requests for flood gel bags during the recent storms.
- Replacing defective cabling to the floodlights in St Andrew's churchyard.
- Repair of some of the surfacing at the Village Hall car park.
- Renewing the white lines showing the car parking spaces in the Village Hall car park.
- Work is in progress for new signage at KGV playing fields.
- Grants and Support for village organisations (Plan Group, Heritage Centre, Bowls Club, One Kegworth).
- Working with village organisations to secure UKSPF community funding.
- Review of the Parish Council's contracts for gas and electricity.

What Is Coming Up?

- Considering preparation of a tender for a driveway to access the cemetery extension land, which might be needed in the near future.
- Considering restoring the front steps in St Andrew's churchyard, which are uneven.
- Highlighting to the County Council highway safety and parking matters in Kegworth.
- Developing and updating the ongoing Parish Council action plan.
- Responding to numerous consultations on diverse subjects.
- Seeking to address planning issues and responded to consultations on key planning matters, such as the NWLDC new Local Plan.