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	<p>letter received from Norfolk County Council expanding on the consultation document by suggesting various street scene activities that the Parish Council may wish take over from the County Council on either a paid or voluntary basis. The Parish Council decided not to express interest in any of the suggested activities and to make no comments on the consultation document.</p> <p><b>The Parish Council</b> also considered the revised Core Strategy and Minerals and Waste Development Management Policies Development Plan Document that had also been circulated in the Passround. As there is nothing in the Document that directly affects the Parish, it was agreed that no comments should be submitted.</p>	
7.	<p><b><u>Grounds Maintenance 2011</u></b></p> <p><b>The Clerk</b> reported that he had received two quotations for cutting the grass on The Green: one from Secret Gardens and Prestige Properties and the other from Norse Commercial Services Limited, whose quotation does not include cutting and strimming the perimeters of The Green and the surrounding smaller greens. The Cricket Club have not submitted a quotation. <b>The Parish Council</b> decided to award the contract for 2011 to Secret Gardens and Prestige Properties for the inclusive sum of £1,016.00, the same as for 2010. The Clerk was asked to obtain a quotation for additional scarifying/aerating.</p>	Clerk
8.	<p><b><u>Replacement of Play Areas</u></b></p> <p><b>HT for SP</b> reported that discussions have been taking place with Playdale Playgrounds Limited, the Parish Council's preferred supplier, about the changes required to the original proposals for the Play Areas following the reduction in the amount of the Grant originally awarded to the Parish Council. A grant of £27,500.00 will now be available, including a contingency of £2,500.00 of which £500.00 will be used for signage. <b>HT</b> described the changes that will be made to the proposal previously approved by the Parish Council as no revised plan is yet available. Further consultation will take place once the revised plan is available. The Parish Council endorsed the action that has been taken and the revisions made. <b>The Clerk</b> reported on an offer that has been made by Mr Baron Tremain for removing the existing equipment free of charge to the Parish Council. <b>HT</b> agreed to check with Mr Tremain whether he could clear the equipment before 1<sup>st</sup> February 2011, the date when it is anticipated that the preferred supplier would commence work. There is to be a further meeting with Norfolk County Council on 9<sup>th</sup> December 2010, which will be attended by <b>SP</b>.</p> <p><b>The Parish Council</b> decided to authorise the sealing on behalf of the Parish Council of the appropriate Grant documentation with the County Council and the contract with the preferred supplier and that these documents should be signed by <b>JP</b> and <b>SP</b>.</p>	HT, SP
9.	<p><b><u>Reports by Parish Councillors on their Responsibilities</u></b></p> <p><b>JH – Footpaths</b> – They are now “rock solid”.</p> <p><b>TB – Village Care</b> – Nothing to report.</p> <p><b>TB – Community Centre</b> – The improvements to the toilet accommodation are unlikely to be completed by 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2010.</p> <p><b>ME – Health and Safety</b> – Nothing to report. However, his proposal to try to prevent vehicles parking on The Green by using some white plastic piping was accepted by the Parish Council. He also drew attention to the empty Grit Bins. The Clerk has already reported the need for further supplies of grit to Norfolk County Council.</p> <p><b>HT – Recycling Banks</b> – The Bottle and Textile Banks have both been emptied.</p> <p><b>JP – Allotments</b> – Nothing to report.</p> <p><b>JP – Community Bus</b> – At least two new drivers have been recruited. They are in the process of being approved but meanwhile they are receiving some training.</p> <p><b>JP for BM – Planning</b> – Has checked the present position concerning the Local Development Framework and the Inspector's Report is still awaited.</p> <p><b>JP for BM – History Society</b> – Drew attention to the Society's competition for a Title for their new book.</p> <p><b>JP for BM</b> – Will be attending a meeting of the North Norfolk Community Partnership</p>	ME

