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## Gamlingay Parish Council Action Plan Introduction

Parish Councils are an essential part of the structure of local democracy and have a vital role in acting on behalf of the communities they represent. They also have the power to raise money through taxation, the precept, which is the parish council's share of the council tax. Gamlingay Parish Council will publish its action plan annually in March for the forthcoming financial year drawn from matters identified within Parish Council meetings.

Gamlingay Parish Councillors have considered the aims of the council for the year ahead and produced a summarised Action Plan which details the key objectives it hopes to achieve during the year. This is a working document and subject to change

	Themes	Objective	Project specifics 2020-21	Action by	Complete by
1	Community facilities	Review recreation provision. Research possible additions and improvements and available funding. Consider improvements required to community buildings. Lobby healthcare/education providers to ensure adequate provision for residents.	Seek relocation of Bowls Club. <i>Add £1000 to allocated reserve</i> OMC roof replacement 5-10 yrs from 2017 <i>Add £500 to allocated reserve.</i> Support proposal for use of old First School site for special needs	S106 group Clerks  Full Council	Ongoing  ongoing  2020-22



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			<p>educational provision.          Replace "skate" unit in playground – S106 funds?          Repair paths          Stocks Lane cemetery <i>Add £5000</i>          Install water fountain (grant)          Support improvements to community buildings – <i>£6346 S106 included in grants</i></p>	<p>S106 group           GCC/OMC users/other community buildings</p>	<p>March 21           Within 5 yrs          March 21           FY 20/21</p>
2	Environment	<p>Trees - to assess condition of trees in high usage public spaces (2 yearly) and get all recommended works done. To identify locations for new tree planting.          To consider any projects to enhance/protect the environment</p>	<p>Grant received (GCT).          Volunteer planting of grant funded trees.</p>	<p>Arboriculture specialist          Clerks</p>	<p>March 21</p>
3	Development	<p>Participate in relevant consultations          Formulate strategies to ensure proposed</p>	<p>Complete Neighbourhood Plan <i>£3000 added</i></p>	<p>NHP group</p>	<p>Sept 20</p>



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		development is suitable.	Lobby for protection of First School playing field	Football club/Rainbow/Scouts/residents (petition)	Ongoing
4	Local economy	Promote Solution Gamlingay!  Campaign for better broadband and phone signal.	Within clerks normal hours	Clerks	Ongoing  Ongoing
5	Transport	Consider projects for funding under County Minor Highways Improvements scheme. Participate in relevant consultations	LHI/PFI - Stocks lane crossing/Church Lane junction 1/3 of £32k cost inc 20/21 Gamlingay cycleway improvement plan. £500 to allocated reserve	Community Speed Watch Clerks/councillors Governors of CAT/GVP working party  S106 group/Clerks	End of 2020-21 FY  Ongoing