

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF MILTON PARISH COUNCIL ^{MAY}
HELD IN THE GRANARY, WILLOW FARM, ON MONDAY 1st 1967
AT 7.30 p.m.

There were present: Mr. D. Pearson, Chairman, Mrs. D. Pearson
Messrs. J. S. Doggett, J. W. R. Lewis, E. J. Walkling, A. W. Wenham,
together with the Clerk.

APOLOGY FOR ABSENCE - An apology for absence was received
from Mr. L. M. Forbes.

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MINUTES (1239)

The circulated minutes of the meeting held on March 7th
1967 were confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES.

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Speed of traffic in Built-up Area (1240) - The Clerk report-
ed he had still had no reply from the Divisional Engineer
to whom the Minister of Transport, Mrs Barbara Castle, had
passed his letter of 10th February for direct reply.

The Clerk read a letter from Dr. H. Hartley with which
he had called on the Clerk enclosing reports of meetings
of the Eastern Accident Federation Federation of RoSPA
which he thought would illustrate to the Council "the
multiplicity of National Committees" through which road
safety matters had to pass.

It was agreed that Dr. Hartley should be thanked for his
interest in the matter.

On the suggestion of Mr. Wenham, and unanimously agreed
the Clerk was instructed to thank the Police for their eff-
~~sup~~ervision of the speed limits through Milton and ask
them for statistics concerning infringements and accident
rate.

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Waste Land, Coles Road (1241) - The Clerk reported that he
was awaiting clarification by Messrs Theodore Goddard & Co.
of the density of housing suggested by Messrs Gray Connolly
for their proposed housing at the end of Old School Lane.

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Landbeach Road Cemetery (1242) - It was resolved that a lette
ter of thanks be sent to Mr. David Bull of Rectory Farm for
his co-operation in the cutting of the Cemetery hedgerow.

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Maintenance of 'Bus Shelter lighting (1243) - The Clerk re-
ported that he was awaiting the necessary Contract Forms
from Eastern Electricity.

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Village Hall Committee of Management (1245 & 1246) - The
Clerk reported that the Secretary had ~~at last~~ submitted a *SP*
more comprehensive statement of Receipts and Payments for
the year ending 31st. March 1967. This showed a balance in
hand of £1,311 1 8.

The Secretary had also asked for the Council's nomination
of representative on the Committee for the ensuing twelve-
months. It was resolved to leave this until after the forth-
coming Parish Council Elections and the subsequent Annual
Parish Council Meeting.

The Clerk read a reply from the County Planning Officer
to the Parish Council explaining why only temporary Planning

Planning permission had been granted for the new Hall.

The reply emphasised the importance of maintenance on such temporary materials exposed to the elements and the responsibility of the Council in this respect. At the suggestion of Mr.J.S.Doggett and un-animously agreed, the concluding sentence of the Planning Officer's letter, Ref: C/66/878/Ph of 16th March, 1967, is minuted in full as follows:

"I would add, however, that at the end of 10 years, if the building has not deteriorated in appearance or structure, an extension of the planning permission will be automatic.

Yours faithfully

R.E.Clarke for the County Planning Officer

The Clerk read a further letter from Messrs King, Metter and Harris on with a Client's offer of £2,000 for the old Village Hall site.

After detailed discussion it was proposed by Mr.J.S.Doggett and seconded by Mr.J.W.R.Lewis that a public notice of sale be inserted in the Press and the attention of Messrs King, Metter and Harrison be drawn to this; the advice of the District Valuer also to be obtained as to a suitable reserve price for the guidance of the Council.

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING.

1257 Telephone Kiosk(1166)- The Clerk said he had again written to the Post Office re-opening this matter with them and received acknowledgement.

1258 Notice Board - The Clerk submitted a request from Mr.G.Russell as to the design and position of the notice board which he had offered to provide.

Mr.J.S.Doggett proposed and Mrs.I.Pearson seconded that it be sited on the corner of the green surrounding the Memorial.

Mr. Lewis put forward a design, which was agreed, consisting of a board 4feet by 3 feet on black wooden supports with weather board top and standing about 6feet 6inches from the ground. The board to be protected by wire or glass front and padlock and key. The Clerk was instructed to inform Mr. Russell accordingly.

1259 Tree Climbing by Children - It was resolved that the matter of alleged danger to children climbing certain trees between Fen Road and Old School Lane be not proceeded with.

1260 Path across War Memorial Green - The Clerk was instructed to ask the County Surveyor if he would make this into a permanent metalled pathwa

1261 SIZE OF COUNCIL.

The Clerk read a reply from the Clerk of the County Council to the Parish Councils request for information on invreasing the size of the Council. It appeared ~~that~~ the increase in the population of the parish would make this quite reasonable but co-option was not possible and it could only be effected at the time of the next elections.

1262 MONIES RECEIVED.-

The following Allotments Rents had been received:

T.Housden	2	2	0	
L.Froment	1	16	9	
R.F.Clark	4	4	0	Total:
M.Housden	2	12	6	
D.Beldon		10	6	£15 9 9 - to Lady Day,
R.Bradnam	1	1	0	1967.
C.Smith	1	1	0	
W.Adams		10	6	
C.Johnson		10	6	
H.F.Tyrell	1	1	0	

CORRESPONDENCE

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In reply to letters from the County Education Officer the following were resolved:

Nominations to the Managing Body of Milton Parochial School, 1967-1970 - Mr. L.M.Forbes and Mrs I. Pearson - on the proposition of Mr. E.J.Walkling seconded by Mr.J.W.R.Lewis.

Nomination to the Governing Body of Impington Village College 1967-1970 - Mr.J.S.Doggett - on the proposition of Mrs.I. Pearson seconded by Mr. A.W.Wenham.

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BILLS FOR PAYMENT.

The following bills were passed for payment:

Village Hall Committee:		
Cost of Gang Mowers	£90	0 0
Deficit on old Village Hall	22	3 9
Eastern Electricity		15 3
Tansley Typewriter Co	50m	2 11
County Land Agent	23	5 0
Clerk's expenses to Lady Day 1967	8	16 11
Commercial Union Ass. Co (Fidelity Bond)		5 0
R.Buck Esq (Cash)		4 10 6
Total:	£199	19 4

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DEVELOPMENT AT MILTON HALL.

Mr. J.S.Doggett raised the question of pending development at Milton Hall by Eastern Electricity. He understands extensive changes were already being made, ultimately, to accommodate heavy transport, and pointed out that Church Lane was totally unsuitable for such traffic and yet the Council had not been consulted in any way by the County Planning Officer.

The Clerk was instructed to complain to this effect to the Planning Officer.

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APPEAL AGAINST THE REFUSAL OF PLANNING PERMISSION.

Mr.J.W.R.Lewis raised the matter of an appeal against refusal of the Planning Dept. to allow a bungalow to be built in connection with the applicant's Riding School at Chesterton Fen Road. This appeal was, in fact, being held the very next day (May 2nd) in Cambridge.

It was agreed that the Council should support the applicant in this desirable form of development and that Mr. Lewis and the Clerk draft a letter immediately after the present meeting for delivery at the enquiry at 10 a.m. the next day.

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DATE OF NEXT MEETING.

It was agreed that the Annual Parish Council Meeting be held on Tuesday 23rd May, 1967.

This concluded the business and the Chairman declared the meeting closed.

Signed: *J. Pearson* Chairman.

Date: *May 30th 1967*

WE, the undersigned, residents of the Parish of MILTON, do hereby declare that we each accept the office of Parish Councillor for the said parish of MILTON in the COUNTY of CAMBRIDGESHIRE :-

- 1. J. Pearson.
- 2. Hoggett
- 3. H. Walbridge
- 4. R. Humphreys
- 5. L. M. Forbes
- 6. M. E. Jones
- 7. J. H. Lewis

THE ABOVE DECLARATIONS were signed in my presence this Thirtieth day of May....., One Thousand Nine Hundred and sixty seven.

K. P. Humphreys Clerk.

I, Sonald Pearson hereby declare that I accept the office of CHAIRMAN OF MILTON PARISH COUNCIL for the year 1967/68

J. Pearson

Date: May 30th 1967

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