

A MEETING OF MILTON PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN THE VILLAGE HALL on  
TUESDAY, APRIL 3rd., 1973, at 7.30 p.m.

Present: Mr.D.Pearson (in the Chair); Mrs.M.E.Jones & Mrs.B.C. Waterson; Messrs H.W.H.Easy, L.M.Forbes, P.Kiddle, M.J.D.Nurse R.T.Summerfield, A.W.Wenham and the Clerk.

The Minutes of the Meeting of March 6th., 1973 were read out by the Clerk, confirmed by the meeting and signed.

2123 - STATE OF THE The Council disagreed with the Conservators HALINGWAY (2099) over 'mending-up' a length of the halingway and considered that it should be completely re-surfaced. The Clerk was instructed to write to them again.

2124 - LITTER After discussion it was proposed by Mr. Easy, seconded by Mr.Forbes, and agreed, that 3 of Model (2100) 607, litter containers, in the Keep Britain Tidy Catalogue, be purchased.

2125 - PROPOSED GYPSY Some replies to inquiries made of other CARAVAN SITE (2101) Councils had been received. These were held in abeyance pending more definite information on the County Council's latest negotiations about other possible sites.

2126 - ELEC. BOARD The Board had now written confirming that they LAKE (2105) were having the lake cleaned out.

2127 - ANNUAL PARISH Favourable comment was made on the satisfaction MEETING (2118) factory attendance this year of some 60/70 electors. All the three County Council Election Candidates attended as observers (held in the British Legion Hall).

It was agreed, on Mr.Forbes' suggestion, that point should be made of booking the Village Hall some 6 months beforehand in future.

TWO MATTERS ARISING FROM ANNUAL PARISH MEETING (2128&2129 foll.)

2128 - STRAY DOGS From inquiries the Clerk had made since the NUISANCE Parish Meeting, and before, it appeared the Police had little powers and there were no County Bye-laws covering dogs fouling pavements or Rec. Ground.

Mrs.Waterson said she had received complaints that the children's play area was being fouled.

On the proposition of Mr.Easy, seconded by Mr.Nurse, it was agreed that, if R.D.C. regulations allowed, two suitably worded notices be erected concerning the nuisance of dogs fouling the Recreation Ground. Also agreed to incorporate reference to litter

2129 - CONDITION OF The Clerk had followed up the allegations RECREATION GROUND made at the A.P.M. by asking the Public Health Inspector to investigate the extent of the Rabbit threat.

He reported: the problem is minimal and "no real damage to rec. grd. ... only two small areas affected near the rear corners" Few rabbits involved which come from the gravel pits where the cover afforded makes it difficult to deal with them.

The Council agreed that the Rabbit threat appeared to be exaggerated.

2130 - SEWAGE The Clerk reported he had written, on 29 March, to EMBARGO the City Surveyor asking for a firm date for the removal of the ban. He awaited reply.

2131 - TRUSTEESHIP OF The Clerk of the R.D.C. sought information  
"AWARDED LAND" on land allegedly held in trust (by them)  
for the parish; this was 1/4-acre of gravel  
pit, OSP:121 (Fen rd.):

The Council agreed this parcel had been sold to a Mr.Green  
(Gravel Merchant) some 25 years ago and Mr.P.Cooper's bungalow  
now occupied the site. The Clerk said he would inform the R.D.C.

2132 - ELECTRICITY The Clerk was authorised to sign the Council's  
CHARGES agreement to revision of charges on a future  
monthly basis.

#### PLANNING CONSULTATIONS

#### APPLICATIONS CONSIDERED

2133 - C/73/360/0 - R.H.Booth: erec. of one det. ho.& garg.30  
Fen rd. MILTON. The Planning Off. note: a recent app.  
C/73/12/0 for erec. of one dwelling refused. The Council  
recalled this app. & agreed they ed. find no charge of  
circumstances. On the prop. of Mr.Summerfield, sec. by  
Mrs.Jones, agreed to object on same grds. as before.

2134 - C373/353/0 - Trustees of Soc. for Mentally Hand. Childn.-  
Erec. 1 pr. semi-det. houses,70'X60', Edmund Ho. Clerk's  
inquiries indicated to be erected north of Edmund Ho.  
(near Car Park); main sewage connection prop. Agreed no  
objection.

2135 - C/73/292/F--A.Norman,13,Landbeach rd.: Ext. for 2 extra  
bedrooms - Approved

2136 - C/73/375/F-D.J.Langford, 14,Prior Clo. Ext. to bedroom  
Approved.

2137 - C/73/370/F - R.T.Summerfield,51,Old School La.: Ext. for  
(KPH1000)toilet etc. - Approved.

2138 - C/73/335/F - Cambs.C.C.,Francis Jeeps Farm Sch.: Erec.  
of dutch barn for hay, straw - Approved

#### DECISIONS RECEIVED

2139 - C/73/35/Be - Messrs Stokes,OSP 220 - roads, sewers & ser-  
vices for indust. dev., Industrial road A.10 - Refused  
as pt. of proposed rec. area & in green belt; also, other  
adequate provision for storage & warehousing facilities.

2140 - C/73/195/Be - G.R.Cave, White Paths, Fen road, CHESTERTON.  
Storage & Motor Breaker's yard - Refused as outside dev.  
area; not in interests of agric.; undesirable to consolidate  
this isolated pocket of commercial development.

2141 - BILLS On the proposition of Mr.Kiddle, seconded by Mr.Wen-  
FOR PAYMENT ~~Man~~, the following were approved for payment.

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Village Hall Committee	500.00
W.Heffer & Sons : Typewriter Ribbon	0.43
CRDC - Treatment of Rats on Allotments	2.00
Instant Print - 100 posters Adv.APM.	10.50
Clerk's salary for March	37.50
" o/p exp. " " "	4.56
Balance of tel.calls(due toCk.)	0.07
	<u>42.13</u>
	<u>555.06</u>

#### ANY OTHER BUSINESS

2142 - SEAT IN - Mr.Kiddle offered to plane off raw front edge an  
FEN ROAD tract with Cuprinol.

2143 - OTHER - It was agreed that seats should be placed in Willow  
SEATS Crescent (second arm) & on grass at Cherry Close

2144 - STATE OF DITCH The Clerk said he would make inquiries  
BOUNDING GODING WAY about this ditch from the R.D.C. Mrs.  
Jones said the portion bounding her  
garden needed cleaning.

This concluded the business and the Chairman closed the meeting.

Signed *D. Pearson* ..... Chairman

Date *May 1<sup>st</sup> 1973* .....

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TUESDAY, MAY 1<sup>st</sup>, 1973, AT 7.30 P.M.

Present: Mr. D. Pearson (in the Chair); Mrs M. Jones and Mrs B. Waterson; Messrs H.W.H. Easy, L.M. Forbes, P. Kiddle and R.T. Summerfield, with the Clerk. Mr. Humphrey Warren (Hon. Sec. Water Park Sub-Committee of Cambs. Sports Advisory Council) was in attendance during the evening.

Apologies: Messrs M.J.D. Nurse and A.W. Wenham.

2145 - MINUTES The Minutes of the meeting of April 3 1973, were confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

MAITERS ARISING FROM THOSE AND EARLIER MINUTES.

2146 - MESSRS STOKES INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT & PROPOSED RECREATIONAL AREA (2103) The Clerk reported a further reply from the Deputy Planning Officer (Mr. D.B. Peace). He said that all the owners of the land in Stage 1 of the proposed recreational area and representatives of the Parish Council would soon be invited to meet the County Land Agent and himself when he would explain the Planning Authority's short and long-term proposals.

Mr. Kiddle thought that the letter did not really satisfactorily answer this Council's request for representation on the appropriate executive body which would develop and administer the Recreational Park.

2147 - P.C.C. GRANT LANDBEACH ROAD CEMETERY (2122) The Clerk reported further correspondence with the Secretary of Milton P.C.C. inquiring as to the possibility of receiving a contribution towards upkeep of the Cemetery covering 1970, 71 & 72.

It was proposed by Mr. Kiddle, seconded by Mr. Summerfield that the Clerk reply suggesting that the necessary work be put in hand, the Council being provided with a copy of the bill, when they will be prepared to make a substantial contribution. This was agreed unanimously.

2148 - STATE OF THE HALINGWAY (2123) This matter being again raised (it had also been raised by members of the public at the A.P.M. in March) the Clerk was instructed to write again to the Conservators pointing out the unsatisfactory nature of their recent replies and that the Council feel the requests by the public at the A.P.M. for complete repair to be very reasonable, and that in the interests of public safety the length in question should be completely re-surfaced - reminding the Conservators also that the deterioration was of very long-standing and had now been dangerous for a very long time.