

A MEETING OF MILTON PARISH COUNCIL HELD IN THE VILLAGE HALL, ON  
TUESDAY, MARCH 6th., 1973 AT 7.30 p.m.

Present: Mr.D.Pearson (in the Chair); Mrs.M.Jones; Messrs H.W.H. Easy, L.M.Forbes, P.Kiddle, R.T.Summerfield & A.W.Wenham; also the Clerk.

Apology from Mr.M.J.D.Nurse.

Circulated Minutes of the Meeting of February 6th., 1973.

2094 - ERROR IN Mr. Forbes pointed out that his suggestion was  
MINUTE 2068 a Parish Council offer to plant trees - not an offer to buy the land. The Clerk apologised for making this error and the Minute was amended accordingly.

The Minutes were then confirmed and signed by the Chairman

MATTERS OUTSTANDING FROM THOSE MINUTES AND EARLIER MINUTES

2095 - VILLAGE HALL COMM- On the proposition of Mr. Kiddle  
ITTEE ANNUAL GRANT (2057) seconded by Mr. Summerfield, it was agreed unanimously that the grant for 1973/74 (not dealt with at the recent Joint Meeting) be £500.

2096 - SUBSIDENCE OF FEN ROAD, NEAR RIVER (2064)  
2097 - BAD PAVEMENT SURFACE NEAR POST OFFICE, COLES ROAD (2065)  
2098 - BAD PAVEMENT SURFACE, CORNER OF FEN ROAD

The County Surveyor had replied to the above three complaints saying that inspection and remedial action would be 'taken as soon as possible'

2099 - STATE OF THE Reply from the Engineer to the Conservators  
HALINGWAY ( 2066) agreed that the surface referred to was in poor condition but said there had 'been no noticeable deterioration for some time'. Complete re-surfacing was not possible 'owing to shortage of funds and existing labour commitments' but 'remedial works' were 'to be carried out as soon as possible'.

2100 - LITTER (a) The Clerk reported on correspondence with the  
(2069) Public Health Dept. They had arranged clearance of grass areas at the end of Coles rd. & would also arrange for the Parish Council litter baskets to be emptied each refuse collection day.

(b) The Council discussed the various types of litter baskets available.

(c) Voluntary 'scavenging parties' Mr. Forbes, Hon. Sec. C.P.R.E. wrote to say that Scouts, Guides & Brownies are covered by their own insurance while organised and led by a recognised leader.

2101 - PROPOSED GYPSY (a) The Clerk reported still no reply from  
CARAVAN SITE ( 2071 ) the Clerk of the County Council confirming the suggested joint meeting.

(b) Mr. Forbes, Hon. Sec. C.P.R.E. had obtained locations of Gypsy sites in Hertfordshire, Eton R.D., and Poole, with details. The Clerk had written to the appropriate Councils for information.

2102 - COUNTY COUNCIL Rabbits and Rats (2072b) The Public Health  
ALLOTMENTS (2072) Dept. had again been very helpful and had confirmed, on Feb. 22nd., that both these pests had now been dealt with and that the Pest Officer would continue to keep an eye on them in the Allotment area to prevent further serious infestations.

2103 - MESSRS STOKES The Clerk had written on 12 Feb. to the  
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT County Planning Officer complaining:  
& PROPOSED RECREATIONAL (i) that the Rec. Area. Plan had been  
AREA ( 2087 ) revised without reference to this Council  
and that Messrs Stokes' land was now om-  
itted from it; this coincided with several fresh development app-  
lications by Messrs Stokes for the same piece of land.

(ii) strong objection to Messrs Stokes' continued expansion with-  
out permission and junk yard accumulation.

(iii) If Messrs Stokes continue to flout planning regulations  
the Parish Council may feel it necessary to appeal to the Dept.  
of the Environment.

(iv) Asking for the Parish Council to be represented on the app-  
ropriate Recreation Park executive body.

On 20 Feb. the Deputy Planning Officer (Mr.D.B.Peace) had replied  
to point (i) above, saying that they had been urged to proceed with  
the first stage by the Countryside Commission, but that there 'is  
no intention to do other than regard the Stokes' land as stage 2.

The Clerk pointed out that items (ii), (iii) & (iv) above had  
not been replied to at all, item (iv) (P.C. representation) being  
of concern to this Council. The Clerk was instructed to write  
again asking for the Planning officer's observations.

2104 - QUEEN ANNE The Clerk reported that this was a listed bui-  
LODGE (2090) lding; he was advised that District Councils wer  
reluctant to use compulsory powers against  
owners of proerty in such cases. He understood  
the owner of Queen Anne Lodge had, in fact, a renovation programme  
in hand.

2105 - ELECTRICITY Reply to the Clerk's complaint had been received  
BOARD LAKE (2093) to the effect that they had inspected the Lake  
with the Chairman of the Parish Council.

The Chairman informed the Council the Board had now given in-  
structions to have it cleaned out.

2106 - SUGGESTED 2,000m. The Clerk read a letter from the County  
ROWING COURSE, MILTON FEN Planning Officer which, with plans,  
(part 1930) made this suggestion. The Course shown  
ran from the Chesterton boundary, and  
crossing Fen road finished near the Waterbeach boundary.

The Council agreed that as it was not yet a definite planning  
proposal they could not comment at this stage.

2107 - CHANGES IN PARISH The Clerk referred to a recent P.C. Assen.  
COUNCIL POWERS. Handbook copies of which he had circulated  
to all members together with notes indic-  
ating many new rights and powers under the local governeemt re-  
organisation, to apply from April, 1974.

2108 - OFF-LICENCE The Clerk read a declaration of Mr.K.Nutter and  
TRANSFER Mrs L.Bates to apply for transfer of Justices  
Licence from Mr.P.Nobes, in respect of Milton  
Post Office Stores.

There were no objections.

PLANNING CONSULTATIONS.

(over)

APPLICATIONS CONSIDERED:

- 2109 - C/73/188/F - GJW Ayres, 49, Cambridge rd; front & rear extension inc. shop; bldg. garage - No comments
- 2110 - C/73/195/0 - GR Cave, Fen rd. Chesterton; storage bldg. No comm.
- 2111 - C/73/182 - RH Ferguson, 11, High st.; Domestic extas. No obj.

DECISIONS RECEIVED

- 2112 - C/73/12/Be - R Booth, 30 Fen rd. Dwelling - Refused
- 2113 - C/73/29/Be - Middleton & Co; Winship Est. Parking area - ~~Gratd.~~
- 2114 - C/73/20/Be - JP McHugh, Fen rd. Chesterton; Pony Shltr. - ~~Gratd.~~
- 2115 - C/73/1532/Be - M Gabriel, Bene't Grge.; Demolish existing premises and erect car showroom, flat & workshop - Granted

APPEAL DECISION

- 2116 - C/72/190/W1 - LE Burrows; Erection of det. bung. behind 24 Cambridge rd. - Dismissed: poor access & vol. traffic on A10

2117 - BILLS FOR On the proposition of Mr. Summerfield, seconded by Mr. Easy, the following were passed for payment.

Parish Councils Assen.	P.C. Handbook 10 cop. @ 20p	
	(less discount)	£1.60
W. Heffer & Sons	1 ream of Dup. paper	0.86
K.P. Humphries	- Clerk's salary & exp Min 2089-75.00	
"	(for Jan. & Feb. '73)	
"	" Postages etc. for Feb, 73	4.00
		<u>79.00</u>
		<u>£81.46</u>

- 2118 - FORTHCOMING ANNUAL PARISH MEETING Agreed to advertise this on posters rather than Press advertising this year.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- 2119 - LISTED BUILDING The Clerk had received inquiry from Mr. W.F. Chappell as to whether No 1, Church Lane (occupied by Miss M Chappell) was a building listed for preservation.

He had found that it was not and informed Mr. Chappell.

- 2120 - PARISH COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE TO THE VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE Mrs. Jones offered her resignation. This was accepted and on the proposition of Mr. Summerfield, seconded by Mr. Forbes, Mr. Kiddle was unanimously elected.

- 2121 - PARISH COUNCIL DUPLICATOR Mrs. Jones pointed out the unsatisfactory duplication of Minutes, with which the Council, and Clerk, agreed, and also that alternative methods be investigated.

Mr. Kiddle said he would make some relevant inquiries.

- 2122 - PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL GRANT (1549 & 1193) The Clerk had received a letter that <sup>morning</sup> from the Secretary of the P.C.C. inquiring about maintenance of the Church Motor Mower,

The Clerk was instructed to reply telling the P.C.C. of the Annual Grant available (£10) for maintenance of the Landbeach Road Cemetery (November, 1966).

This concluded the business and the Chairman closed the meeting.

Signed ..... *J. Pearson* ..... Chairman ..... *3<sup>rd</sup> April 1973* ..... Date: