

Minutes of the Adjourned Meetings of Milton Parish Council held on Monday 13 February 1984 at 7.30pm in Milton Primary School.

Present: Mrs. B.C. Waterson (in the chair), W.D. Booth, A.D.J. Bull, R. Day, H.W.H. Easy, P. Harrold, Mrs. L.M. Lock, G. Patten, Mrs. J. Westwood and the clerk S.J. Daniels

Apologies received from Mrs. G. Tonks

I. COUNCIL BUSINESS

1. 5847 The minutes of the meeting held on 9 January 1984 and the minutes of the Special Meeting held on 19 January 1984 having been circulated were confirmed and signed.

2. Matters Arising

5848 Milton Hall - For Sale Sign. It was noted that as yet no fee (5484) had been received from Gray Cook for the siting of 'For Sale' sign on the allotments site. The clerk would contact Gray Cook.

5849 Ditch - Old School Lane. As no information had yet been (5485) received about whose responsibility was the upkeep of this ditch the clerk would again contact the Divisional Surveyor.

5850 Pear Tree - Willow Crescent. Complaints had yet again been (5597) made about the state of the pear tree in Willow Crescent. A.D.J.B. would look at it.

5851 Level Crossing - Milton Road. The clerk would remind British (5653) Rail that repairs to the level crossing had not been completed.

5852 Damaged Bollard - Pond Green. The clerk would remind D. Haird (5666) of the damaged bollard.

5853 Coles Road. The Divisional Surveyor would be advised of the (5696) state of Coles Road between 1A and 3; also at the corner of Lyndhurst Close and of holes in the road opposite the industrial site.

5854 Footbridge. The prohibition of Driving of Motor Cycles Order (5760) 1984 had been made and would come into operation on February 27 1984.

5855 Village Sign. The clerk would contact Mrs. Holder for an (5761) up to date report.

5856 Salvation Army. A letter of thanks for the donation of £25 (5822) had been received from the Salvation Army.

5857 Hedge - Lemin and Co. The clerk would write again to S.C.D.C. (5823) to clarify the position re the hedge removed from the front of Lemin and Co.

5858 Parking - Cambridge Road. P.C. Barringer had put forward a (5825) suggestion to improve the parking situation outside the industrial estate. The clerk would write a letter of support for his proposals to the Police Traffic Department.

5859 Cemetery. The clerk had received the title deeds to the (5827) cemetery. These would be kept at the Council's Bank. B.C.W. thanked members for planting trees at the cemetery. Mr. Hall and the scouts who helped would be thanked by letter.

5860 Bus Pass Mr. Watson conveyed his thanks to the Council for (5828) reimbursement of bus pass.

5861 Milton Plan - Landbeach Road/A10 Junction - Objection. Keith (5842) Miles was proposing to submit changes to the Plan to improve the above junction and place the responsibility for securing that improvement on future developers. The Council would maintain their objection until the wording included access to and exit from the junction.

Butt Lane In view of the difficulty of development at the western end of Butt Lane other than by obtaining access from Butt Lane, Keith Miles had re-registered the Council's objection 0/3/2.06. He also intended inserting a new paragraph and Policy to solve this problem.

Proposed Policy 2 "Limited vehicular access will be permitted in Butt Lane to the development areas proposed in policy 1, although this will normally be restricted to frontage development only."

The Council objected most strongly to any development along Butt Lane other than frontage development and wished to see "normally" omitted from the policy. The clerk would inform K. Miles.

Bene't Farm S. Sillery would approve the application for 123 houses once he had tidied up one or two loose ends.

He enclosed a copy of a letter from the architects asking for the Council's view on maintenance of play areas other than the recreation ground. The clerk would ask K. Moore to negotiate maintenance of such areas since the Council felt unable to discuss areas for which no plans had yet been received. The clerk would also notify S. Sillery and ask that any relevant plans be forwarded to K. Moore and to the Council.

The clerk would ask J. Selby of S.C.D.C. if any "recreational grants" money could be set aside for a pavilion/village hall/play area although no definite plans had yet been drawn up. It was agreed therefore to hold a Special Meeting on Monday 27 February at 7.30pm in the school to discuss future recreational provision in the village.

3. 5862 Grass Cutting. It was agreed to ask for quotations from Ever Green of Rampton and S. Shipp for grass cutting during 1984. A notice would also be put on the notice board. New areas for cutting would include the cemetery and adjacent to the slip road opposite the industrial estate. The clerk would also ask for a quote for cutting the recreation ground.

4. 5863 A.P.M. The Annual Parish Meeting would be held on Tuesday 8 May at 8.00pm in the Village Hall.

5. Any Other Business

5864 Tomkins Mead. The chairman had received a letter about the Tomkins Mead Nature Reserve. The clerk would thank Mr. Thomas of Coles Road for his interest.

5865 Science Park. As phase 4 of the Science Park was ready for developing Mr. Tweddle of Bidwells had requested a meeting. A.D.J.B., H.W.H.E., P.H. and R.D. would attend with the chairman.

5866 Bus Shelter. One of the pillars of the bus shelter in High Street had become loose and was considered unsafe. The clerk

would contact D. Haird.

5867 Rubbish. The clerk would contact the County Council about the amount of rubbish recently blown through the village from the tip.

5868 Use of Notice Board. It was agreed that the W.I. could publicise a national fortnight on the notice board.

5869 Youth Club. A request for financial assistance had been received from the Youth Club. It was agreed to put this on the Agenda for March.

5870 Playgroup. A request for financial assistance had been received from the playgroup. This matter would also be put on the March Agenda.

5871 Horse Chestnut. A resident of Willow Crescent had sought clarification on the possibility of felling or lopping a horse chestnut in her back garden. As this was outside the conservation area the Council had no jurisdiction over the matter.

Signed Beryl C. Watson (Mrs).....Chairman 5th March 1984.....Date

II. PLANNING BUSINESS

1. 5872 The minutes of the meeting held on 9 January 1984 having been circulated were confirmed and signed.

2. New Applications

- (a) 5873 S/0097/84 Dr. W.D. Booth, 30 Fen Road - erection of wooden stable - no comments.
- (b) 5874 S/0112/84 Mr. J. Walker, Chesterton Fen Road - change of use from garage to music rehearsal room - no comments.
- (c) 5875 S/1991/83 Sinclair Research Ltd, Milton Hall - plans for additional temporary car parking - no comments. A schedule of proposed tree surgery had been received. It was agreed to accept Mr. Hellingsworth's advice.
- (d) 5876 S/0136/84 J. Ostler, 17 Landbeach Road - 1st floor extension - no comments.

3. Decisions Received

- (a) 5877 N. Hawksley, 29 Fen Road - extension - approved (5836)
- (b) 5878 Trinity College, Science Park - direction signs - (5838) approved for 5 years.

There being no other business the meeting ended at 9.59pm.

Signed Beryl C. Watson (Mrs).....Chairman 5th March 1984.....Date