

Minutes of a Meeting of the Milton
Parish Council held in the School-
room on Tuesday 28th July 1953 at
7.30 p.m.

There were present:-

Mr. E. J. Walkling, Chairman.

Messrs. J. Bradnam, D. Pearson, S. A. Siggs, A. Wayman, and A. W. Wenham, together with the Clerk.

In attendance:-

Dr. H. Hartley, County Council representative.
Mr. W. Orbell, Deputy County Planning Officer.

Apology for Absence

An apology for absence was received from Mrs. D. Pearson.

1. Declarations of Acceptance of Office

The Chairman welcomed two new members of the Council, Messrs. J. Bradnam and A. Wayman, who each signed a declaration of acceptance of office.

Minutes

The Minutes of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on 26th May 1953 were confirmed and signed.

2. Matters arising from Minutes

Village Pump. The Clerk reported the receipt of a quotation from Messrs. G. W. Lack and Sons amounting to £5. 5. 0. for the removal of the parish pump.

It was agreed to leave the matter in abeyance pending a communication from the War Office Claims Commission in respect of damage to the pump.

3. Existing Advertisements

Mr. Orbell explained that under Regulation 8 of the Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) Regulations 1948, it was necessary for express consent to be obtained for any advertisement displayed when the regulations came into force or for any advertisement

AW

erected since that date. Certain cases were being referred to the County Planning Committee and information was requested as to whether the Council wished for any advertisements to be removed or altered. It was generally agreed that all existing advertisements be removed and that one site only, to be agreed with the Planning Authority, should be made available for advertising purposes.

4. Fen End Gravel Pits

The County Planning Department invited the Council's comments before determining an application from Mr. R. J. Green for permission to excavate gravel from 8½ acres of O.S. No. 153 known as Pound Piece, thus leaving an area along the frontage of approximately 3½ acres. After consideration the Clerk was instructed to oppose any application for further excavation of gravel.

This discussion led to the question of the dust nuisance caused by sand left on the roads by lorries leaving Fen Road Gravel Pits; this nuisance was increased rather than allayed by the employment of a mechanical road sweeper and Dr. Hartley agreed to take up this matter with the County Council to see if more frequent attention could be given to road sweeping in the village.

5. Milton Planning Proposals

Mr. Orbell outlined the County Planning Committee's proposals for the development of Milton as a "necklace" village; with a population of approximately 1,600 people ultimately. The first phase of this development which it was thought might commence within five years consisted of developing the site along a line from

gaw

Teversham Close on the Cambridge Road to opposite the Jolly Brewers Public House in Fen Road.

The proposals generally met with the approval of the Council and the Chairman thanked Mr. Orbell for his clear and interesting explanations.

6. Monies Received.

The Clerk reported the receipt of the following allotment rents due at Lady Day 1953:-

A. W. Wenham	18s. 5d.
W. J. Constable	4s. 3d.
	<hr/>
	£1. 2s. 8d.

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

J. J. Walker

Chairman.