

632.

BUS SHELTER.

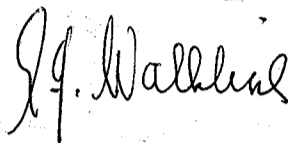
The Clerk commended the public spiritedness of Mr. Barnabas Shipp in voluntarily sweeping and keeping tidy the Cambridge Road bus shelter. It was agreed that a letter of thanks be sent to Mr. Shipp.

633.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING.

It was agreed the next meeting be held on Thursday, 30th November, 1961.

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



Chairman.

Date 30th November 1961

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF MILTON PARISH COUNCIL  
HELD IN THE VILLAGE HALL ON THURSDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, 1961,  
AT 7.15 p.m.

There were present:-

Mr. E. J. Walkling, Chairman,  
Mrs. D. Pearson, Messrs. J. S. Doggett, L. M. Forbes, D. Pearson,  
S. A. Siggs and A. W. Wenham, together with the Clerk.

634.

MINUTES.

The Minutes of the meeting held on 26th September, 1961, were read, confirmed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES.

635.

Bankers Ditch - The Clerk reported that the Telephone Manager had agreed to shift the position of the poles to allow the land to be levelled and cultivated. This work would be done without any charge being raised against either the Council or the tenant.

636.

Village Hall - The Water Company had now laid on a water supply to inside the boundary at a cost of £44. 7s. 5d. It was agreed to extend the supply to a sink in the hall, which Mr. Siggs offered to obtain.

637.

Church Lane - The Chief Constable had caused observation to be maintained on a number of occasions and he was still of the opinion that there was no evidence of dangerous or inconsiderate use of the highway.



638. Footpath, Fen Road - The County Council agreed the extension of the footpath was desirable and this would be borne in mind when preparing future annual estimates.
639. War Memorial - The Water Company had now laid turves where their trenchwork had spoiled the grass.
640. Goding Way - The County Council had instructed the driver of the mechanical sweeper to give attention to Goding Way when necessary.
641. Refuse Collection - The Rural District Council would shortly be reviewing the refuse collection schedules and would bear in mind the request for a more frequent collection.
642. Traffic Warden - The Chief Education Officer was dealing with the question of the employment of a Traffic Warden and a communication was to be expected in the near future.
643. Coles Road - The County Surveyor would investigate the need for the provision of a "Halt" sign at the junction of Coles Road with Cambridge Road when the new road was constructed. He reported that the new estate road is being provided with visibility splays and there is a fairly wide verge and footpath and in consequence there might not be justification for a "Halt" signs at this point.
644. Speed of Traffic - The Chief Constable reported by letter that the question of speeding through the village receives constant attention and prosecutions are taken practically every week.
645. Bus Service - The Clerk reported that the Bus Company were anxious to improve the service from Milton and their Inspector was keeping careful observation.

Mr. Siggs had collected a number of signatures from residents who found the bus service inadequate at stated times and it was agreed that the list be forwarded to the Bus Company.

646. MONIES RECEIVED.

The Clerk reported the receipt of the following rents due at Michaelmas, 1961:-

	£.	s.	d.
G. Froment	1.	9.	9.
J. Todd		17.	0.
H. F. Tyrrell	1.	5.	6.
W. Adams		8.	6.
G. Johnson		8.	6.
C. Smith		8.	6.
H. Easy	17.	0.	0.
R. Bradnam	5.	19.	0.
T. Housden	3.	8.	0.
	<u>£31.</u>	<u>4.</u>	<u>9.</u>

647. BILLS FOR PAYMENT.

The following bills were authorised for payment:-

	£.	s.	d.	
Cambridge University & Town Waterworks Co.	44.	7.	5.	Laying water supply to Village Hall.
Heaths Ltd.	1.	19.	0.	Containers for two Litter Bins
Eastern Electricity Board.	14.	2.		Quarterly charge for Bus Shelter Lighting.
	<u>£47.</u>	<u>0.</u>	<u>7.</u>	

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WATERMAN.

In view of the changing nature of Milton Fen and the almost entire lack of stock in the fields, the Chairman suggested a Waterman was not now required. Accordingly, it was agreed that Mr. H. Peters' appointment as Waterman be terminated forthwith.

649.

STREET LIGHTING.

The Chairman was critical of the standard of street lighting in the village and it was unanimously agreed that the Rural District Council be requested to improve the street lighting throughout the village to comply with the standard of lighting for trunk roads as authorised by the Ministry of Transport.

650.

PARISH COUNCILS' ASSOCIATION.

The Clerk reported that the Winter Conference would be held at Owen Webb House, Cambridge, on Saturday, 27th January, 1962, when the guest speaker would be Mr. W. E. Doran, Chief Engineer to the Great Ouse River Board. Mr. Forbes, Mr. Siggs and the Clerk stated they would attend.

651.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING.

It was agreed the next meeting be held on Tuesday, 23rd January, 1962.

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

*J. G. Walhlin*

Chairman.

Date 23rd January 1962