

Clerk

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON 13/10/87 AT 7.30 PM
IN THE VILLAGE HALL.

PRESENT Cllr. Powell in the chair, Cllrs. Evans, Guest, Schofield,
Whitlow, Lyons, Tomlinson and Ashley

APOLOGIES Cllr. Potter

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 1/9/87
Signed as a true and correct record.

ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

- 1 Boating Pool, Manley - Clerk had written to VRDC regarding the shop extension. Cllr. Potter was concerned at heavy vehicles passing through the village. Clerk to write to CCC requesting a weight limit through the village.
- 2 A5117 gullies - now been cleaned
- 3 Street lighting: - Clerk to report lights out at Dalescroft Hapsford, Talbot Road and Low Hill Dunham.
- 4 Wirrall Waste Appeal: - Notified by DOE that the appeal was refused. Councillors wish to thank Cllr. R. Powell for all his work on the council's case. Clerk to write to Mr. J. Williams, CCC Planning Department thanking him for all his assistance.
- 5 Old Peoples dwelling:- Letter not received by solicitors for Oldfield Charities. Clerk to write again.

CORRESPONDENCE

- 1 Footpath to Memories:- Grass is now cut. Clerk to request the area from Memories to the Wheatsheaf to be cut back.
- 2 Telephone kiosk, Talbot Road - A modern kiosk is to be erected at Talbot Road, approximately 4 metres nearer the A56. Clerk to write requesting kiosk be erected on same site, keeping it farther away from the junction, causing less of a traffic hazard.
- 3 Maintenance of Cemeteries: Proposed Cllr. Guest, seconded Cllr. Lyons that "an amount of £275 be requested for 1988/9" Carried unanimously.
- 4 Precept:- Council to discuss at next meeting.

PRESENTATION TO MR. F. BEVAN

Chairman thanked Mr. Bevan for all his work in the reporting of the Council meetings over a number of years and asked him to accept a small gift in thanks from the Parish Council.

PLANS

6/17442 Convert farm buildings into Cottages, Merseybank Farm - concern was expressed at the out of date plan that was used with the application, but no objections to the plan were raised. Comments were that there was a need for this type of housing, in the event of Wirral Waste trying for planning permission, more objections would be raised, last point, the road in the village should have one section designated a right of way.

6/17559 Outline for bungalow, Bank Field, Dunham Hill - no objection
The Parish Council acknowledge interest in the above plans and took no part in any of the discussions.

ACCOUNTS

There were no accounts for September 1987

VILLAGE MATTERS

- 1 Stubbs - Clerk to write requesting the old car and rubbish be removed from outside the Smithy.
- 2 Hedge, Low Hill to Nursery - Grass has grown across the footway, Clerk to have matter attended to
- 3 Education Seminar - Clerk to ask Ass of Parish Councils why Dunham was not invited to send representatives.
- 4 Village Road - Hole near to school requires attention
- 5 A5117 - Grass requires cutting between Helsby Arms and the bridge, part of which has been cut by the farmer.
- 6 Wirral Waste - Clerk to write to CCC Licencing Department stating that vehicles leaving the site are leaving stones on the A5117 and are not being cleared. Hours on the licence are not being adhered to, waste is not being compacted at the end of each day and the fence has still to be repaired.
- 7 Junction 14 M56 from Ellesmere Port - Clerk to contact CCC stating that when vehicles leave the motorway the visibility on checking vehicles approaching from Helsby is poor and drivers have to turn to see approaching traffic; can anything be done.
- 8 British Rail Hedge - Still to be cut, Clerk to follow up.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held at 7.30 pm on 17th November 1987 in the Village Hall.

P. J. Schofield.