

Clerk

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE DUNHAM AND HAPSFORD PARISH
COUNCIL HELD ON 15 MAY 1990 AT 7.30 PM IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Present: Cllrs. Powell, Lyons, Clayton, Schofield, Guest,
Evans, Potter, Tomlinson, Ashley

Apologies: Cllr Whitlow

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN 1990/91

Cllr Powell, Proposed Cllr Lyons, seconded Cllr Schofield
Cllr Ashley, Proposed Cllr Clayton but no seconder for
motion. Cllr Powell elected unanimously.

ELECTION OF VICE CHAIRMAN 1990/91

Cllr. Lyons, Proposed Cllr Schofield, seconded Cllr Guest.
Elected unanimously.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 3/4/90

Signed as a true and correct record

ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

- a. Bus shelter, Chapel - Clerk had the shelter removed due to its delapidated state. No adverse comments yet received, item to lie on the table.
- b. Footpath Hapsford/Helsby Arms - Further report at next meeting
- c. British Rail fence, Hob Lane - Now been repaired
- d. Rake Lane - Gullies on A56 still not been cleared causing further flooding in Rake Lane, Clerk to report. Cllr Ashley reported that the farmer had removed sand from Rake Lane.
- e. A56 Morley Bridge - Site meeting held with Police and CCC. Clerk to obtain present position regarding the outcome of the meeting.
- f. Weavers Farm - Stables were being built, but objections received and the work has stopped.
- g. Gullies, Low Hill - Now been cleared.
- h. Public footpath, Rake Lane - Letter not received by CCC, Clerk to forward copy

CORRESPONDENCE

- a. Parking, Talbot Road - Letter from CCC stating provision of car parking rests with the City Council, this comment is identical with the reply received from City Council who stated they had no authority. Clerk to write forwarding copies of relevant correspondence.
- b. Stop tap cover, Morley Bridge - Water Board have repaired.
- c. Elderley Person Dwellings - Letter recieved from solicitors on behalf of the owners of Windygates stating they have land available for low cost housing. Clrr. Ashley had visited Mr Large and Hamblin who both stated that their land was available at the right price. Clerk had written to City Council with all these facts. Clerk to contact local District Councillors.
- d. Audit - Will take place on 11/6/90. Clerk to attend 21/6/90

- e. Ass. of Parish Councils - AGM will take place on 23/5/90 at Town Hall, Chester.

ACCOUNTS

On being found correct cheques duly signed.

St Lukes church £250.00

PLANNING DECISIONS

6/21879 extension, Wheatsheaf Inn - approved

PLANS

6/22136 extension Dunham House, Chester Road - comment rather large extension, but assured by owner it is for visitors and increase in family.

VILLAGE MATTERS

- a. Hapsford landfill - Clerk to write to CCC at the state of the site and that failing a reply the local press will be informed and invited to take photographs of conditions under which local residents are living.
- b. Helsby Arms hedge - requires cutting.
- c. Street lighting A5117 - Bridge to traffic lights require attention.
- d. British Rail - Hawthorn is growing out of the bridge, Clerk to have removed.
- e. Chicken sheds - Clerk to check through his records for the planning application.
- f. Waste paper - await further information re school.
- g. Vandalism - gates removed and dumped in road 9/5/90 Clerk to note.
- h. Bus service, Dunham - Ellesmere Port - if sufficient interest is shown the bus operator may diver the
- i. Helsby-Ellesmere Port service through Dunham Hill. Clerk to write to Mr J Mooney, Transport coordinator, asking that he takes the matter up with the operator.
- j. Jacksons hedge - requires cutting
- k. Memories - Alarm has been going off continually, reported and owner states it will now only go on for 20 minutes and police have been notified of a key holder.
- l. Car dumped, Talbot Road - Clerk to get removed
- m. Best Kept Garden competition - Discussed and resolved that it take place again this year, no one enters and judging carried out June and September, front gardens as seen from highway.
- n. Notice Boards - Mr Hall will erect.
- o. Johnsons - Concern at entrance put through Sandstone Wall without planning permission, Clerk to write in conservation area and if no permission granted entrance be refilled.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on 3 July 1990 at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall.

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