

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON 29.3.88
AT 7.30 PM IN THE VILLAGE HALL, DUNHAM

Present: Cllr. Powell in the chair, Cllrs. Schofield, Guest, Evans, Ashley, Potter, Tomlinson and Lyons.

Apologies: Cllr Whitlow

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 2.2.88

Signed as a true and correct record

ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

- 1 Stubbs Van - eyesore and has now been removed
- 2 Conservation Area - Chairman had purchased a local village plan and commented on various points. A list of the listed buildings in the village is being requested.
- 3 Sewerage - site visit with Mr. Hutchins and Chairman had taken place, a close watch will be kept on the ditches.
- 4 Haspsford-Helsby footpath - urgent need of cleaning and grass cutting, also manholes adjacent to the bridge are high and could cause people to trip.
- 5 British Rail hedge - now all hedges are cut.
- 6 Hapsford tip - Clerk had visited CCC and the fence is partially erected. Clerk to 'phone CCC stating job is not finished, gate should not be put in the fence, and the soil is piled much higher than licence permits. Clerk to write reasserting the Council's view that the new licence due in August should be seen by the Parish Council before any signing takes place.

CORRESPONDENCE

- 1 Bankfield Manor Farm - Reasons for the decisions taken on the separate applications were forwarded from these, the owner of Bankfield was advised to contact their solicitor.
- 2 Village matters - letter from CCC on points raised were answered as follows:
 - a) Village Road - gullies have now been cleared
 - b) Low Hill Triangle - if the problem becomes worse further action may have to be taken.
 - c) Talbot Road - residents must not construct crossing over the grass verges.
 - d) Signs - all are in hand to replace or repair
 - e) Hedge A5117 - does not require cutting

BEST KEPT VILLAGE COMPETITION

Resolved that Council do not enter the competition in 1988

ACCOUNTS

On being found correct, cheques duly signed:

Clerk salary	£200.00	
Post and Telephone	£15.15	
Car allowance	£36.21	£251.36
F I Waite		£110.00
		<u>£361.36</u>

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT 1987/88

Proposed Cllr. Schofield, seconded Cllr. Lyons that "Statement of Account for 1987/8 be accepted" Carried unanimously.

PLANS

6/18166 Evans, vehicular access - no objection
6/18174 Poultry breeding unit - object on the grounds of
a) noise b) smell c) increase of heavy vehicles in the village

REVENUE EXPENDITURE

Council discussed a length and several suggestions were put forward; help for the elderly, village hall and fence in Hapsford. Suggested Clerk to visit Friendship Club.

VILLAGE MATTERS

- 1 Jacksons hedge - causes a problem to residents crossing the A56 - Clerk to contact CCC
- 2 School parking - Cllr Potter to contact the head.
- 3 Hapsford - footpath adjacent to telephone box requires cleaning and the NO PARKING sign requires painting.
- 4 Manhole A56 - adjacent to bus shelter requires attention.
- 5 Memories - Clerk to ascertain if its licence permits them to levy an entry charge every night.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on 3rd May 1988 at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall.

Handwritten signature: D. Powell
Handwritten date: 3/5/88.