

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON 2ND FEBRUARY 1988
AT 7.30 P.M. IN THE VILLAGE HALL

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

1. MINUTES

Minute 6 - Planning: Plan 4/17559 to read: Clerk to write to Clc. of the City of Chester with our views regarding their decision on the plan taking into account previous applications for similar plans within the village. Minutes were then signed as a true and correct record.

2. ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

1. Stubs' van: still not removed: Clerk to contact Police.
2. Education seminar: Clerk reported it was run by Chester Assos. of Parish Councils and as far as they were concerned Notice of the Meeting were sent.
3. M56/A5117 junction: Site meeting held, CCC agree with our views but we must await their decision.
4. Conservation area: Chairman now has a name to contact.
5. Sewerage: Mr. Hutchins has either visited or will visit the site in question.

3. CORRESPONDENCE

1. Oldfield land: Governors are not prepared to sell the land.
2. Dunham Hill F/St.: CCC state white lines will be painted prior to proper footpath being constructed. Clerk has written to Clr. of the City of Chester regarding noise from heavy vehicles.
3. Footpath, Hapsford to Helsby: Some minor attention required, if funds permit it will be patched and service dressed.
4. Parish Council elections: Charges will be debited directly to the Parish and not through the Precept as at present, only an accounting matter.

4. PLANS

- 6/16580 appeal by Lofty's travel - refused.
6/17931 Extension Gable Cottage, Low Hill - no objection
6/17906 Two dwellings, Ivy cottage - object on the grounds of:
- a) Road to site not suitable for further traffic
 - b) Green belt
 - c) Character of the area will be spoilt
 - d) Conservation area, tandem development.

5. VILLAGE MATTERS

1. Village road: Gutters in urgent need of cleaning
2. Grass triangle: heavy vehicles are cutting across the corner. Clerk to write to CCC
3. Grass verge, Talbot Road: A resident asks if he could pave an area of the verge to enable him to get to his car.
4. Morgans tip: Councillors are up-in-arms that nothing is being done regarding fences, etc. Clerk to visit Backford Hall
5. Give Way sign, Low Hill - needs replacing
6. School sign - Damaged, requires repairing
7. Footpath, Egg Farm - Water Board carrying out repairs but path not reinstated properly.
8. Revenue Expenditure - Clerk to put on agenda for next meeting
9. CCC Hedge adjacent to Compound, Hapsford - requires cutting
10. British Rail - hedge on one side of road has been cut, what about other side?

6. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is the Annual Parish Council Meeting on 29th March 1988 at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall.

