

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON 8 JANUARY 1991
AT 7.30 PM IN THE VILLAGE HALL

PRESENT: Cllr Powell in the chair - Cllrs. Schofield,
Guest, Lyons, Ashley, Whitlow, Clayton, Potter and Tomlinson

MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 4/12/90 were signed as a true and correct record

ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

- 1 Dunham Hall Farm - Kerb has yet to be lowered and sandstone wall not erected. Clerk to write to CCC.
- 2 Dead tree - Barrow Lane - this will be removed on 9/1/91.
- 3 Methodist Chapel - No further work carried out, Clerk to follow up.
- 4 Drain at Hapsford - clerk to report to CCC that it is still blocked.
- 5 Storage, Hob Lane - clerk ascertained that a developer is purchasing the warehouse, but it is not known what the premises will contain.
- 6 Footpath, Cornhill farm - offending material now cleared.

CORRESPONDENCE

- 1 Hapsford landfill - CCC state that samples were taken on 5/11/90 and statutory notice issued to the site owner to remove certain waste. At present, they cannot provide the Parish Council with any specific information concerning the samples. Clerk to take up with our County Councillor.
- 2 Footpath A5117 - CCC have taken the matter up with NWWB
- 3 Criteria - School crossing patrols - Clerk to copy relevant information he had received and pass to councillors. Clerk to ask CCC to replace with a Pelican Crossing
- 4 Housing in the Village - letter from Cllr. Ashley concerning "Cheshire 2001 - A strategy for the Future", stated the City Council's intention to set up a Working Party to discuss with local councils their needs. Cllr. Ashley thinks that the Parish Council should have a representative on the Working Party. After much discussion it was proposed by Cllr. Whitlow and seconded by Cllr. Clayton that "Cllr. Ashley be the representative for the Parish Council and that he be instructed, firstly to carry out a survey of housing needs in the village ". This was carried unanimously. Information may be obtained from the survey carried out by the City Council in conjunction with the Parish Councils in 1990.

ACCOUNTS

On being found correct cheques duly signed

Clerk salary	200.00	
Post and tel.	57.69	
Car allowance	30.13	£287.82
Village Hall Cmte		24.00
	<u>Total</u>	£311.82

PRECEPT

It was discussed by Councillor and proposed by Cllr. Schofield, seconded by Cllr. Lyons that "the Parish Council precept for £1200 for 1991/92". Carried unanimously.

VILLAGE MATTERS

- 1 Bridge, Hob Lane - Yet again a car has demolished the fence. Clerk to inform British Rail.
- 2 School Governor - Cllr. Potter has now resigned, Clerk to contact Cllr. Guest concerning her wish to be a governor. If she is unable to do so, the Chairman will take the position.
- 3 Drains, Low Hill - in urgent need of attention.
- 4 MANWEB tree cutting - Site meeting was held on 4/1/91 with MANWEB, Tree conservation and Cllrs. Whitlow, Ashley and Tomlinson. It stopped the total cutting down of the trees to mere pruning.
- 5 Signs - Repairs required to the signs "Bend" at Morley Bridge and School crossing sign near Memories.
- 6 Rake Lane - Clerk to ask for a new "No Tipping" sign at the end of Rake Lane.
- 7 Verges, Talbot Road - Cars are still being parked illegally on the verges. Clerk to take up with CCC
- 8 Electricity - Clerk to ask MANWEB if, when the electricity supply is turned off for any reason, residents could be informed.
- 9 Flooding, Rake Lane - The problem is as bad as ever. Clerk to ask CCC for their solution.
- 10 Wheelable dustbins - Clerk to ascertain if the City Council had looked into the provision of such bins to replace refuse sacks which are bursting and causing litter.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on 5th February 1991 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

APowell 5/2/91.