WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Winsham Parish Council meeting held on Friday, 6th April 1990 in the Jubilee Hall at 8.00 p.m.

- Present: Mr C Slade (in the Chair), Mr D Wilson, Mr D Woodward, Mrs R Rose, Mr R Smart, Mr P Newton. Also Mr J Trickett (Cty Cllr), Mr L Fisher (Dist Cllr), P.O. Mazzei and Mr K S F Harvie (Clerk).
- 118. Apologies for absence.

Were received from Mrs M Loaring and Mrs M Fowler.

119. Minutes.

The Minutes of the' meeting on 9th March 1990 were signed as a true record.

120. Matters arising.

PLAY EQUIPMENT INSPECTION. The quotation from Municipal Mutual Ltd is for 2 inspections per year but no Insurance cover. It was decided to accept the price quoted by the District Council and ask for 2 inspections per annum. 50% of the cost can be recovered as a Maintenance Grant.

TREES IN DAVIES CLOSE. Nothing heard.

- SIGN FOR CEMETERY. (Ref. Min. 111) A quotation from Abbott Brown of Beaminster is £50 plus VAT. It was decided that the Clerk would provide a hand written sign.
- Mr R PERROTT. The letter from Mr Perrott will be acknowledged.
- 121. Police.

P.C. Mazzei said the recent spate of burglaries were by a clever gang. They were thought not to be local and the main targets were electricity meters. Regarding cars speeding through the Village, a speed check will be made, but it is not known when. On speeding Milk Tankers, the Police have spoken to the Transport Manager at the Milk Factory.

- 122. Planning.
 - 893269 Use of land at Plum Tree Cottage as a vehicle repair workshop. The Agreement has now been signed. The use of the workshop as such must cease by 30th April 1990.
 - 900626 The continued use of gravel pits as a tip. Land at the rear of Windwhistle Garage. For information only.
 - 900833 Mr & Mrs PW Sloley. 18 Western Way, Winsham. The erection of a garage. Refusal recommended.
 - 900668 Mr N B Thompson at Midnell Farm. Conversion of barn. Approval recommended. 900669 Mr N B Thompson at Midnell Farm.
 - Use of land for training and stabling horses. Approval recommended.
 - Re: Lime Kiln Way and Victory Garage. No reply.

Mr Slade reported on the Planning Control meeting held at the George Hotel, Chard on the 5th April and attended by himself, Mr Smart and the Clerk. It was attention

123. Mr L Fisher.

Has written to the Technical Dept of the District Council re: the light in Davies Close and the offending trees outside No 11 Davies Close.

124. Mr J Trickett.

Re: Mr Quinn's complaint. Cricket St Thomas Dairies are now delivering to outlets further afield, hence the heavy transport using local lanes. Mr Trickett will call at Cricket St Thomas to try to solve the problem.

125. Footway Lighting.

This subject will be on the Agenda of the Annual Parish Meeting on 25th April. Persons present will be asked to air their views. A poster to this effect will be prepared and displayed.

126. Winsham Wander No.12.

This was fixed for Saturday, 28th April. The usual Committee will meet to arrange a route.

127. Receipts and Payments.

It was resolved to pay. S.A.L.C. £65.88p. Jubilee Hall rent £25.00p. Petty Cash £20.00p. Received Precept £1700.00p. Current Account £128.07p. Deposit Account £2204.51p.

128. Correspondence.

From South Somerset District Council. Chard and Ilminster Local Plan Exhibition. This mobile exhibition will visit Winsham on Friday, 18th May between 2.30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Tree planting for storm damage. The District Council has approved a budget of £5000 to replace trees lost in the storms. National Environment Week. From the 28th April to 7th May. Reorganisation of Highway Maintenance. From MR R Perrott. Re; his late Wife's grave in the Cemetery.

129. Any other business.

Mr Smart asked if anyone would like to take over reporting Parish Council affairs in the Parish Magazine. No one offered.

The next meeting will be the Annual Parish Council Meeting to be held on Friday, 11th May 1990.