

WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Winsham Parish Council held on 8th January 1988 in the Jubilee Hall at 8 p.m.

Present: Mrs M Loaring (in the Chair), Mrs R Rose, Miss E Cleave, Mrs M Fowler, Mrs C Douglass, Mr D Woodward, Mr R M Smart, Mr C Slade. Also Mrs M Montagnon (County Cllr:) and Mr L Fisher (Dist: Cllr:).

85. Apologies for absence.

The Police.

86. Minutes.

The Minutes of the meeting on 13th November 1987 were signed as a true record.

87. Police.

The Clerk had 'phoned Chard Police Station asking if a representative would be attending the meeting. It was regretted that the Police would not be present at the January meeting. P.C. Butcher, the Winsham Community Constable, has been posted to Yeovil H.Q. and as yet a Community Constable has not been appointed to Winsham. The Clerk asked to be kept informed on the matter.

88. Matters arising.

Ref: Min: 73. 'NO DOGS' SIGNS. It was decided that Mr C Slade would see if the existing metal strapping could be reused to fix the signs. CEMETERY HEDGE. Mr Pym had cut the Glebe Land side after consultation with Mr McCallum.

The Rubbish Bin in the Cemetery is disintegrating and it was decided to remove it, erecting a notice saying 'Please take your rubbish home'.

CEMETERY GATES. These are now in a poor state. Mr Slade will remove them and arrange for the new fence and gate to be installed when the weather improves.

TOC H TREE. The Clerk was asked to 'phone Mr Peacock and ask for the Account re: the supply and planting of the Tree.

Ref: Min: 81. LITTER BIN. Following the letter to the D.L.O., Mr Dicker had 'phoned the Clerk stating that as the Winsham Bin is adjacent to the Highway, the Council Refuse Collectors would empty it.

Ref: Min 79. HINKLEY POINT 'C'. Mr Smart was unable to attend the meeting .He reported on the business from a copy of the Minutes.

Ref Min 83. It was decided not to contribute to the 58th English Schools Athletic Track and Field Championships 8th - 9th July 1988 at Yeovil.

Ref Min 77.

PARISH MAP. The handout from Mrs Ann Escott, the Community Tutor, was handed around. Most people have a copy of this.

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89. Planning.

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ontagnon will investigate this. It was also reported that a house on the road is in a dangerous condition. Mr Fisher will pursue 'this.

90. Mrs M Montagnon.

On the subject of Street Lights, Mrs Montagnon said the conditions were set out in the leaflet. A copy is to hand. She said one third of the cost would be met by the County Council. The Clerk was asked to contact the District Council to see if they will provide a light at the B3162 end of Davies Close. The subject will be on the Agenda for the next meeting.

Hazelwood Hill Cutting. The works are programmed to start before the end of March 1988.

Whatley Bottom, Enquiries will be made regarding the Site.

Mr Woodward asked for the latest on the weight restriction through Forton. The decision is a 7.5 tonnes limit. Mr Woodward said he considered the limit should be extended through Winsham. The subject will be on the Agenda for the next meeting.

91. Mr L Fisher.

Mr Fisher reported on the Street Cleansing Programme

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applied for an Old Persons Bungalow 15 months ago. Now, apparently, No 13 Davies Close has been allocated to a couple from Chard. Mr Fisher said he would look into this and asked for names and addresses of people wanting Sheltered Housing. On the subject of the Council House with 3 dogs, this has been reported to the Health Dept. Mr Woodward reported on an unacceptable smell from the Sewerage Works on 28th and 29th December 1987. Mr Fisher said he would call on the people who had complained and also get in touch with the Water Board.

92. Court Street.

Mrs Loaring said there was excessive mud on the road at the lower end. She had already contacted the Water Board. Mr Fisher said he will call in Wessex Water to deal with the problem.

93. Footpath Marker Posts.

The Clerk reported that 11 new Marker Posts have been delivered and the Parish Council are responsible for erecting these. He was asked to contact the M.S.C. regarding the work.

94. Receipts and Payments.

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94. Receipts and Payments.

The Clerk asked for a supply of Files and a new Stapler. Mr Smart said he would obtain the items.

95. Correspondence.

Local Council Finances. This subject will be on the Agenda for the next meeting.

Play Equipment Inspection. The base of the swings is getting muddy and requires attention.

Road Closure. Temporary closure of Class 3 road between Whatley Cross and West Port Lodge, starting 4th January 1988 for 4 weeks.

96. Any other business.

Mr Slade said the Map Type sign on the B3162 needs tightening to stop it turning when the wind blows.

He would also like a watch kept on the dumping of rubble at Street.

The next meeting will be on Friday, 12th February 1988.