

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 3 January 1984 in Village Hall at 7.30pm.

Action

1. PRESENT

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

3. MATTERS ARISING

Bus Shelter

Vice Chairman

Play Area Swings

Vice Chairman

Footpath Works - M Selvey

Clerk

Undergrounding of GPO Lines

Clerk

Village Hall Roof

Cllr. Cheeseman

Carters Close Footpath Barrier

Clerk

Open Spaces - Carters Close

Vice Chairman

Byelaws

Vice Chairman

4. CORRESPONDENCE

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

6. RECREATIONAL FIELD

Committee Report

French Drain

Grant Aid for Pavilion

Drainage Easement

7. ACCOUNTS

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Date for next meeting 7 February 1984 at 7.30 pm Village Hall

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held 3 January 1984 in the village hall at 7.30 pm.

1. PRESENT

Councillors: P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, D Cheeseman, Jack Cook, J Stedden, P Gardner, John Cook

Apologies : Mr B Hansford

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, agreed and signed.

3. MATTERS ARISING

Bus Shelter it was agreed that this matter be taken off the Agenda until such times as full details are available.

Play Area Swings Councillor John Cook agreed to prepare a sketch of the type of seats required and look into the manufacturing of same.

M Selvey Clerk to advise that remedial works will commence in New Year as advised by BCC Highways & Bridges.

Underground of Overhead Lines letter from BMK advising current position. Clerk to write to EME with request that undergrounding works be considered by their Authority when repair works are programmed.

Village Hall Roof Councillor Cheeseman advised the Council on various matters which had arisen between meetings. The Parish Council's application for grant aid to BMK should have been submitted by the Village Hall Committee and forwarded to BCC.

The Village Hall Committee had now submitted their application to BCC and would advise the outcome at a later date.

Footpath Barrier letter from BCC advising they are unable to support the Parish Council's request for a barrier and due to cost of such an installation they feel it would be unjustified.

Open Spaces Agreement - Carters letter from BMK advising agreement will not be by way of dedication; they will advise the Council immediately legal formalities have been completed. As previously minuted letter to be forwarded to BCC requesting copy of the Plan to those areas subject to the 38/40 agreement.

Luis Smith

Byelaws The Home Office Memorandum (Procedure for making Byelaws - Parish and Community Councils) had been received.

A newsletter had also been received from BALC advising that Tony Marlow, MP. had sponsored a 10 Minute Rule Bill calling for control of dog nuisance. The vote produced a majority of 126 and leave was given for a Bill, to be drafted by 12 MP's, to be brought before the House on 2.12.83.

It was agreed to await comments through the Association on this matter.

Trees BMK had advised arrangements were in hand to replace the damaged tree on the grassed area (School Lane/Crofts End). Mr Sheldrick also asked for a list of dead or vandalised trees.

Grassed Area School Lane/Crofts End remedial works to this piece of land will be carried out by BMK Recreation during the winter period.

Street Lighting Clerk to query with EME the various lights not working correctly throughout the village.

4. CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application Lists 47-51 inclusive.
NALC Invitation - Biennial National Conference
BALC Newsletter No. 5

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Mr Whitehead advised regarding the main sewer in Hillview behind top four bungalows. Mr Draper BMK to be advised.

Mr Burgess questioned road white lining in Crofts End outside Manor House. The Chairman will speak with the Road Safety Officer BCC and also discuss the possibility of a convexed mirror.

Recreational Field - ponies are being walked around the perimeter.

6. RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

Councillor John Cook advised regarding grant application to the Sports Council.

It was resolved that all recreational field correspondence etc. would be forwarded from the Parish Council.

Drainage Easement - Clerk to write to Mr Davis BMK.

Councillor Ferris agreed to fit two yale locks to the doors on the Pavilion.

French Drain - works are now completed.



7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

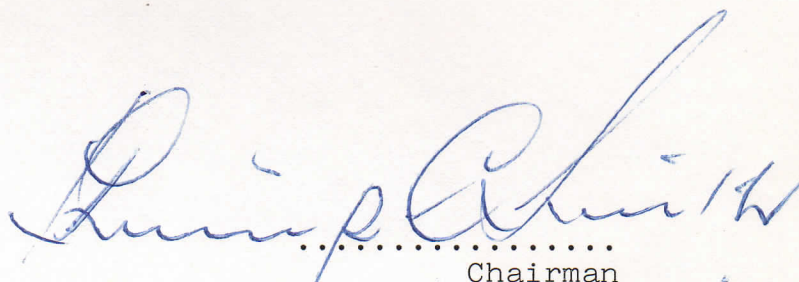
Major Chester - £20.00 for Xmas Tree. Proposed J Stedden, seconded D Cheeseman

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Footpaths & Bridleways. Councillor Jack Cook advised on the recent meeting BMK/BCC/Rambler's Assoc. It was agreed that a letter be forwarded from the Parish Council to the Rambler's Assoc. advising the Parish Council's agreement to the composite proposals and inviting the Association members to attend a special meeting.

Salting of footpaths/roads. It was agreed that a quantity of salt be placed at strategic points through the village for the coming winter months.

Next meeting date Tuesday 7 February 1984 in the Village Hall at 7.30 pm.



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Chairman

7 February 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 7 February 1984 in Village Hall at 7.30pm.

Action

1. PRESENT

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

3. MATTERS ARISING

Village Hall Roof
Main Sewer - Hillview
Footpaths & Bridleways
Planning Appeal - W Hartley
Parish Contributions
MKALPC - quarterly meeting
Crofts End/High Street Turn

C. Cheeseman
Clerk
Chairman
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Chairman

4. CORRESPONDENCE

Mrs Gail Wood

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

6. RECREATIONAL FIELD

7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

J Cook - French Drain
Village Hall

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Date for next meeting Tuesday 6 March 1984 at 7.30 pm Village Hall

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held 7 February 1984 in the Village Hall at 7.30 pm.

1. PRESENT

Councillors: P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, D Cheeseman, Jack Cook, J Stedden, P Gardner, John Cook

Apologies : B Hansford

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, agreed and signed.

3. MATTERS ARISING

Village Hall Roof Councillor Cheeseman advised that BMK had agreed to up to £189.00 grant aid and thanked the Parish Council for their assistance.

Main Sewer - Hillview The Clerk reported that BMK Housing only had 1 call reported regarding blockages within the properties numbered 16, 18, 20 and 22. Mr Draper would look further into the matter. It was agreed that a report be requested from BMK regarding this matter.

Footpaths & Bridleways A meeting had been arranged for Wednesday 15 February 1984 in the Chapel, Crofts End at 8.00 pm. Attending : Ramblers Association, BCC, BMK, British Horse Riding Assoc (Dr.Parish), J W Cook & Sons.

Planning Appeal - W C Hartley The Chairman reported that a meeting had been held mid-month as Mr Hartley had gone to Appeal. The Parish Council had forwarded their submission to the DoE, copied to BMK.

Parish Contributions The Chairman and Vice Chairman were present at the meeting of the Policy & Resources Committee meeting (BMK) and advised the motion was lost. MKALPC would advise on any discussions that take place on this subject in the future.

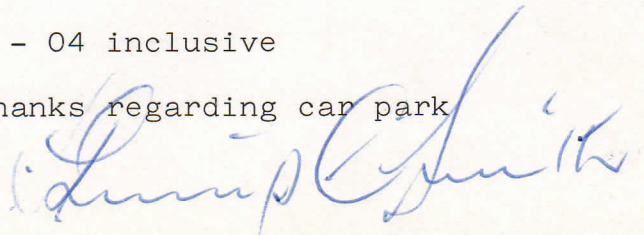
MKALPC The Chairman reported on the Quarterly Meeting recently held covering amongst other items Parish Contributions.

Crofts End/High Street Turn matter outstanding.

4. CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Applications - lists 52 - 04 inclusive

Village Hall Comm. - letter of thanks regarding car park entrance to the Village Hall.



Mrs Gail Wood The Chairman advised on Mrs Wood's application for accommodation for her mother. The Parish Council agreed their support. The Clerk had been advised to confirm same to BMK Housing.

BMK had also been advised that as and when a Council property becomes available and they have in their possession an application for relocation from a resident of the Parish, the Parish Council would wish to see the resident receive priority over other applications.

Buckinghamshire Council for Voluntary Service Village Ventures Competition 1985.

BALC - Newsletter No. 6.

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Mrs Graham - queried the finish of the 'Quads' system and the new bus timetable to take effect as from 1 March 1984. Clerk to request details from BMK as to the proposals for rural area charges and revised timetable.

Mr Whitehead - reported that during the previous 7 days the gas supplies in Hillview had been low, in some cases being turned off without prior warning, and water being found in the gas pipes. Clerk to query the matter with the Gas Board.

Mr Burgess spoke on the fractured water main in Crofts End.

Mr M Tofts advised the Council of the difficulties he had experienced with his heating system. It was agreed that in light of further information, the Parish Council should again write to BMK Housing on this matter.

6. RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

Nothing to report for this month.

7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

It was proposed by Councillor D Ferris, seconded Councillor J Stedden that the following accounts be paid:

J W Cook - French Drain Recreational Field £310.00
Village Hall Committee hire charge 3 meetings £19.80

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Councillor John Cook reported that according to 'Road Safety Statistics & Traffic Flows 1983', the increase in the traffic flow over the 3 years 1979/83 had increased by 25%.

Councillor Jack Cook advised that the Newport Pagnell Archery Club and Associated Members had enquired regarding the hiring of the Recreational Field for various events. Councillor Cheeseman advised that details would be forwarded.

The Chairman advised:

- that next February would see '50 years since burying the hatchet' and asked for consideration to be given to the Parish Council advising the two universities involved. Agreed.

that Ousedale School had delivered 10 Christmas hampers to various recipients within the village. It was agreed a letter of thanks be forwarded from the Parish Council.

vandalism on The Knoll (5 chains missing, one rail out of seat) and Carters Close (conifers uprooted Mr Burton/Rands). TVP PC Burton had been advised.

various potholes had been reported and the Clerk to arrange a site meeting with BCC (Mr Churchward).

trees along School Lane had been double posted.

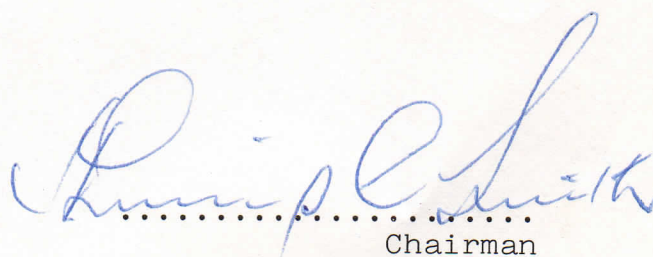
Rogers Engineers had no objection to trees being planted on the frontage outside their Works but wished to know the species BMK would wish to plant.

the tree outside the Church porch (large lime) was diseased and would need to be felled.

that a new gas heating system had been installed in the Church at an approx. cost of £6,000.

Special Meeting - Footpaths & Bridleways Wednesday 15 February 1984 in The Chapel, Crofts End at 8.00 pm.

Next monthly meeting date: Tuesday 6 March 1984 in the Village Hall at 7.30 pm.



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Chairman
6 March 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 6.3.84 in Village Hall at 7.30pm.

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| 1. PRESENT | |
| 2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES | |
| 3. MATTERS ARISING | |
| Footpaths & Bridleways | Chairman |
| Crofts End/High Street Turn | Chairman |
| Article 4 Direction | Clerk |
| Deed of Easement | Clerk |
| Dog Nuisance Bill | Clerk |
| Open Spaces | Clerk |
| BCC Road Works School Lane | Clerk |
| Boiler Systems Perry Lane | Clerk |
| AWA - Flooding | Clerk |
| EMEB - Lighting Works | Clerk |
| 4. CORRESPONDENCE | |
| 5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME | |
| 6. RECREATIONAL FIELD | |
| Committee Report | |
| Newport Pagnell Archers | |
| Donation | |
| 7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT | |
| 8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS | |

Date for next meeting 3 April 1984 at 7.30 pm Village Hall

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held 6 March 1984 in the village hall at 7.30 pm.

1. PRESENT

Councillors: P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, D Cheeseman, Jack Cook, J Stedden, P Gardner, John Cook

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, agreed and signed.

3. MATTERS ARISING

Footpath & Bridleways Following the meeting held 15 February 1984, a letter had been received from the Rambler's Association advising that the matter is now being dealt with by the Area Footpath Secretary.

A copy letter to the Rambler's Association dated 6 March 1984 from J W Cook and Son was presented.

It was agreed that the Parish Council apply to BCC for a temporary closure be applied to Bridleway 16 pending the outcome of negotiations as between Messrs J W Cook and the Rambler's Association.

Crofts End/High Street Turn The Chairman reported that white lining works had been carried out on the turn in question, however, the positioning of the lines was unacceptable. BCC will look again into this matter.

Article 4 Direction The Chairman reported that the Direction had been confirmed by the Minister and that BMK were serving notices on landowners in question. It was proposed by Councillor Ferris, seconded Councillor Cheeseman that a letter to be forwarded to BMK re: Poultry Shed within the area in question.

Deed of Easement Letter from BMK advising that the matter should be through the Parish Council's solicitors. It was agreed that the Vice Chairman deal with this matter and report back to the next meeting on the outcome of (i) finding a practice of Solicitors within the Newport Pagnell area and (ii) their report on the Deed of Easement issue.

Control of Dog Nuisance Bill Letters presented from the BALC regarding the Bill. It was agreed that a letter of support to the Bill in question be forwarded to Mr P Jenkins, Secretary of State.

P. Smith

Open Spaces Letter from BCC enclosing a copy of 1:2500 scale plan of the area in question and advising that the development was officially adopted as public highway as from the 16 May 1984. The Clerk to query with BMK whether they have now completed legal documentation.

BCC Road Works - School Lane Letter from BCC advising that the potholes throughout the village had been marked up for patching works and that completion of the works outside the Rectory would hopefully be completed in the forthcoming financial year.

Boiler Systems - Perry Lane Letter from BMK acknowledging receipt of the Parish Council's letter dated 24 February 1984 and advising that an investigation had been initiated. BMK would advise the Parish Council of the results when available.

AWA - Flooding BMK had advised during a tele.conv. 6.3.84 that the Works in question would not be implemented by the AW until financial year 85/86. A letter from BMK advising of the points in question would be forwarded to the Parish Council.

EMEB Lighting Works The EMEB had advised the Clerk that the Works in question had now been completed.

4. CORRESPONDENCE

- Planning Application Lists 5-8 inclusive
- BMK Parish Rate 1984/85. It was proposed by Councillor Cheeseman, seconded Councillor Gardner that the maximum sum of £2587 be applied for.
- BCC - Ousedale School letter of thanks
- BMK Bus Service Revisions
- Bus & Coach Council - Convention Report 23.11.83

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

G Fleet advised on the double parking on The Knoll and of the Blue van which is permanently parked on the corner which could well cause an accident. The Chairman advised he would speak with the owner of the van in the first instance.

Mr Burgess

- advised that ponies were riding round the Recreational Field
- questioned whether litter bins could be placed in the Recreational Field
- could the gardens of the Chapel, Crofts End be tidied up.

M Tofts advised on his meeting the Solid Fuel Advisory Service regarding the problems with the boiler system installed in his house.

6. RECREATIONAL FIELD

Councillor John Cook advised that three estimates were too hand and a Recreational Field meeting would be held in the next few weeks to discuss the Parish Council application for grant aid.

The Clerk advised that a donation of £100.00 had been received for the Pavilion Fund.

A letter had been received from the Newport Archers regarding use of the Recreational Field.

7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Councillor Stedden proposed that the following accounts be paid, seconded Councillor John Cook

SPC - Churchyard Upkeep/Xmas Lighting	£65.00
Scan - one months printing costs	£78.00

The Chairman advised that one of the Council's mowers required attention and the cost of repairs would be in the sum of £10 - £15: this was agreed.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

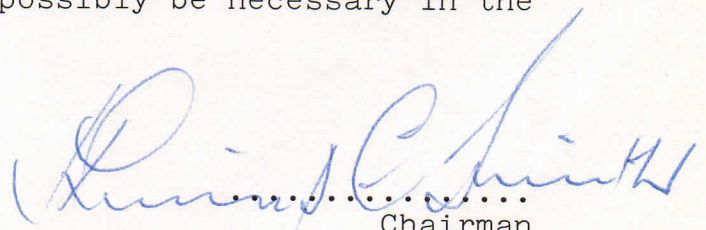
Councillor John Cook queried the mowing fees for the coming year. It was agreed this matter be discussed when the informal 1984/5 projects meeting is held during April/May.

Councillor John Cook advised that the swings in the Play Area were in urgent need of ground attention, and to this end it was agreed that tarmac be laid in place of 'Forest Bark' at the earliest opportunity.

The Chairman asked for Council's agreement to revert back to Thursday as a meeting evening as from November 1984; carried. Clerk to arrange with the Village Hall Committee.

The Chairman advised that Mrs J Smeath had asked for assistance as children from the Play Area were using her garden. It had been agreed that the Parish Council would erect chestnut paling fence.

The Chairman advised that the Borough Labour Councillors had moved that Parish contributions be stopped, but were defeated. This would be the last year Parishes would receive contributions. A 2½p rate may possibly be necessary in the future.



Chairman
3 April 1984

Date for next meeting 3 April 1984 in the Village Hall at 7.30 pm

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 3.4.84 in Village Hall at 7.30 pm.

Action

1. PRESENT

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

3. MATTERS ARISING

Crofts End/High Street Turn
Article 4 Direction re: Poultry Shed
Deed of Easement
BMK - Open Spaces
AWA - Flooding
EMEB - Lighting Repairs
EMEB - Undergrounding
Tree Planting (Chairman's action February 84)
BMK Quads/Bus Timetables
Planning Appeal - W C Hartley
BMK - Storm Drainage Phase II
EMGAS - Gas Supplies Hillview
Quarterly Meeting MKALC
Parking on corner of The Knoll
Tarmac beneath swings - working party
Parish Council Meeting Dates as from 11.84
Date for Special Meeting
Date for 1984/85 Forward Projects

4. CORRESPONDENCE

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

6. RECREATIONAL FIELD

Committee Report

7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

AWA £38.53 yearly April 84 - March 85
BMK £27.27 half yearly April - September 84

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Date for next monthly meeting 2 May 1984 at 7.30 pm Village Hall

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held 3 April 1984 in the village hall at 7.30 pm.

1. PRESENT

Councillors: P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, D Cheeseman,
Jack Cook, J Stedden, P Gardner, John Cook

Apologies: Brian Hansford

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, agreed and signed.

3. MATTERS ARISING

Crofts End/High Street Turn the Chairman reported the works were outstanding and would be carried out when necessary equipment is in the locality.

Article 4 Direction the Environmental Officer at BMK would look into the matter.

Deed of Easement the Vice Chairman reported that Hawkins & Co. Central Milton Keynes had been instructed to act on the Parish Council's behalf. A copy letter to BMK from Hawkins & Co was presented, requesting an accurate plan as the Pavilion is sited in the wrong place and the run of the drain is incorrect.

Open Spaces Mrs Saphia - BMK Legal had advised that the legalities are imminent and the Parish Council will be advised when adoption has taken place.

Flooding Programme Phase II letter referred to in previous minutes had been received from BMK. It was agreed the Chairman will speak with Mr Milne (BCC) regarding the contents of BMK's letter, querying item (2) sewer in Park Road not being required.

EMEB Lighting Works letter from EMEB advising that a replacement bowl at corner of School Lane/Gun Lane had been in need of a replacement bowl at an approximate cost of £19.75 plus VAT. The work had been completed and they requested an order from the Parish Council to cover this work. Carried.

Underground of Overhead Lines letter from EMEB (Mr R Brown) advising the Board's policy to improve amenities in rural areas. It was agreed the Parish Council request the needs of Sherington be considered in the financial year 1984/5 by this Authority.

P. Smith

Tree Planting during late February BMK had requested an urgent reply regarding the tree planting programme (Perry Lane area) as they wished to let the contract. The Chairman spoke with Councillors on this matter between meetings and it was agreed the programme be confirmed.

BMK Quads/Bus Timetables letter from BMK (Tech. & Rec. Services) advising of the decision to make provision in its estimates for 1984/5 for a sufficient sum of money to enable Quads etc in rural areas to continue.

The meeting was advised that the new Bus Timetable was now on sale.

Planning Appeal - W C Hartley letter from BMK advising that the Secretary of State is conducting the appeal at a public enquiry to be held Tuesday 17 April at the Borough Council offices, and not as originally indicated ie written representations. Clerk to query whether the Parish Council's written representation would be submitted at the public enquiry. Councillor Gardner advised he would present at the enquiry and the Clerk to make available to him the necessary correspondence.

Gas Supplies - Hillview The Chairman reported on the recent meeting with EMGAS (Mr Summerside/Mr Lane) and advised that a new length of pipe had been laid in front of the end bungalows. A permanent recorder is now situated outside Mr Ranger's property which is checked by the Board on a regular basis and a leakage survey would be implemented when the ground dries.

Quarterly Meeting MKALC The Clerk advised that notification of this meeting had not been received until 10 March for the meeting held Tuesday 13 March. A representative from the Parish Council had been unable to attend.

Parking on The Knoll The Chairman had spoken with the resident in question regarding the van, and had received agreement that the van would be parked further away from the corner in question.

Tarmac beneath Swings Matter would be dealt with at the earliest opportunity.

Parish Council Meeting dates November Onwards The Clerk confirmed that commencing in November, meeting evenings would revert back to the first Thursday in each month.

Special/Annual General Meeting It was agreed the Clerk query if the Village Hall is available Thursday 26 April 1984.

Post meeting note: Village Hall booked for Thursday 26 April.

Forward Projects it was agreed the Council would meet informally mid May. Clerk to advise date.

Philip Smith

4. CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application Lists 9-12 inclusive
 BMK Information Sheet - Bulk Skip Container service
 Valuation Officer - Pavilion rating
 MK & District Guided Walks
 The Samaritans - posters

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

- a) Mr Whitehead concrete ramp to Maud Watt's residence -
 Chairman will look into matter.
- b) Mr Burgess advised on:
 - road patching works
 - manhole in road Manor Corner which requires raising
- c) Mr Tofts advised that water was running under tarmac
 outside the Rectory.

The Chairman will speak with Mr D Smith (BCC) on items a), b) and c).

Mr Tofts also spoke regarding the overgrown lilac bush adjacent to public footpath at the edge of Mr Forest's property. BMK Housing to be advised.

6. RECREATIONAL FIELD

Councillor John Cook reported on the recent committee meeting.

An application for grant aid had been submitted to BMK.

Newport Pagnell Archers - both the Football and Cricket clubs were in general agreement with Newport Pagnell Archers proposals. Newport Pagnell Archers to be advised accordingly.

Electricity - standing charges. It was proposed by D Ferris, that the Parish Council pay the standing charges only for electricity within the Pavilion; seconded J Stedden. The Electricity Board to be advised accordingly.

French Drain - it was reported that there was rubbish in the ditch again and that the pipe behind the garages will be filled in during the summer months.

7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Councillor Stedden proposed that the following accounts be paid, seconded Councillor D Cheeseman

- AWA water supply Pavilion April 84-March 85 £38.53
- BMK half yearly rates £27.27
- Clerk's Remuneration £120.00
- UR Church Hire charge £7.50

Ralph C. Smith


8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Councillor Stedden reported on the recent meeting of the School Governors. Two Governors would pay periodic visits to the School. Two unannounced visits had been made in the past 3 weeks.

Councillor Cook reported that David Hutton will not be in a position to cut the Knoll this coming season. John Kitchen is prepared to continue the mowing of the Play Area. It will be necessary to find a young person to take over the duties of David Hutton.

The Chairman reported on the following items:

- Seat - School Lane, to be further discussed at next meeting.
- Rubbish which had been dumped in Gun Lane.
- Stolen half gate - probably light wrought iron.
- Moonlight Walks - Adventure Sea Scouts.
- Peter Mould - MK Pumps had requested Parish Council support to his application for a Council house.
- Road Safety meeting was to be convened on Wednesday 11 April 1984.


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Chairman
1 May 1984

Date for Special/Annual General Meeting Thursday 24 April 1984
8.00 pm in the Village Hall

Date for next Parish Council monthly meeting 1 May 1984 in the
Village Hall at 7.30 pm

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 1.5.84 in Village Hall at 7.30 pm.

A. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

1. PRESENT

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

- a) of meeting 3 April 1984
- b) of special/annual meeting 26 April 1984

3. MATTERS ARISING

- a) Nominations
 - Vice Chairman
- b) Nominations for Recreational Field Committee
 - 2 vacancies
- c) Nominations School Managing Body
 - 2 vacancies
- d) Nominations Road Safety Committee
 - 1 vacancy

Concrete Ramp
Road Patching Works
Manhole - Manor Corner
Seat School Lane
Article 4 Direction re: Poultry Shed
BMK - Storm Drainage Phase II
Heating Systems - Perry Lane

4. CORRESPONDENCE

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

6. RECREATIONAL FIELD
Committee Report

7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT
Village Hall Hire Charge

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Date for next monthly meeting 5 June 1984 at 7.30 pm Village Hall

Date for informal projects meeting 11 am. Sunday 20 May 1984 at
the Clerk's house

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CHAIRMAN
1 May 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held 1 May 1984 in the village hall at 7.30 pm.

A. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

Nomination: P Smith - proposed P Gardner, seconder Jack Cook; carried.

1. PRESENT

Councillors: P Smith, D Ferris, D Cheeseman, Jack Cook, J Stedden, P Gardner

Apologies : John Cook

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

a) The minutes of the previous Council Meeting held 3 April 1984 were read, agreed and signed.

b) With the following amendment the minutes of Parish/Annual Meeting held 26 April 1984 were read, agreed and signed.

Stonepits Close - bidding paragraph to read as follows:
'Councillor Ferris asked if the public wished to submit their bid in a sealed envelope; no response'

3. MATTERS ARISING

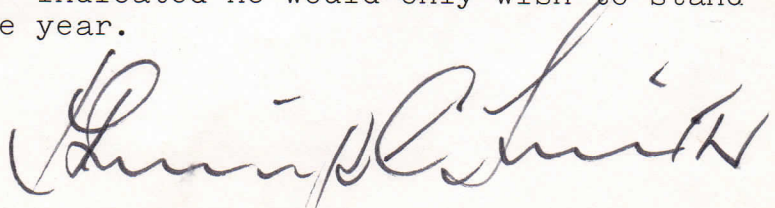
a) Nomination Vice Chairman - D Ferris proposed J Stedden seconder D Cheeseman; carried

b) Nominations Recreational Field Committee - It was proposed by D Ferris that the present representatives stand-on (Jack Cook, D Cheeseman), seconder P Gardner; carried

c) Nominations School Managing Body - it was proposed by D Ferris that the present representatives (J Stedden, Mrs J Smith) stand-on, seconder P Gardner; carried

d) Nominations Road Safety Committee Representative - it was proposed by D Ferris that the present representative (P Smith) stand-on, seconder P Gardner; carried

The Chairman - P Smith - indicated he would only wish to stand as Chairman for one more year.



Other Matters Arising from previous minutes

Footpath to Senior Citizens Bungalows Hillview it was reported by Councillor Ferris that the footpath was in need of remedial works as parts had dropped leaving 2-3" steps along its length. It was agreed that BMK be advised of the dangerous condition of the said footpath which was used by Senior Citizens and Ambulance personnel.

It was also agreed that a similar request be made in respect of the footpath into 'The Square' Perry Lane which was also in a bad state of repair.

Various Road Patching Works the Chairman would speak with Don Smith (BCC) in the next few days on this and the following item.

Manhole Manor Corner (see above)

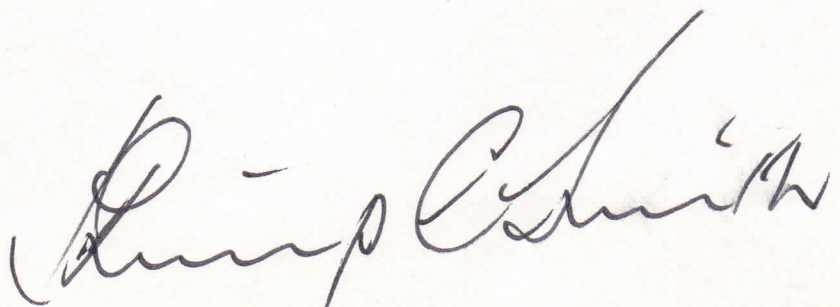
Seat School Lane The Clerk to enquire through MKDC on the seating situated in the 'Open Market' Central Milton Keynes and also obtain literature from Neptune Concrete Ltd.

BMK - Poultry Shed BMK had confirmed that the Enforcement Officer had visited the site and had spoken with Mr R Mason and his Foreman. The building materials in question had been stored between jobs and would be cleared. The Enforcement Officer would check again in 6 weeks time.

BMK - Storm Drainage Phase II the Chairman presented a plan showing the proposed layout. Following discussion it was agreed that an invitation to BMK be made in order that the proposed layout could be further discussed as there was some doubt as to the positioning of the new pipe and whether this should be laid in Park Road.

Bridleways letter from BMK advising that BCC County Engineer had been asked for observations regarding the temporary closure of bridleways in question.

The Chairman reported that at the previous Road Safety Committee held some three weeks ago, mention was made of the dangers in crossing the Bridleways and that the Parish Council were in receipt of a letter from the British Horse Society who's representative had deemed the crossings in question to be dangerous to users. Mr Newman of BCC, the Chairman of the Meeting and Thames Valley Police (PC Holt) were requested to make note of the Councillor Smith's comments.

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4. CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application List Nos. 13-16 inclusive.

- a) MK/0396/84 Mr B Garner, High Street - double garage. The Chairman presented a plan of the proposed extension. No objections.
- b) MK/0344/84 Mr & Mrs D Keech, High Street - front porch. The Chairman presented a plan of the proposed extension and following discussion it was agreed that a letter be forwarded to BMK Planning on the question of size and cladding.

Notification from Sherington Parochial Church Council advising that Mr A Turner (Hon. Treasurer) was handing this responsibility to Mr Clive Darnell.

NALC - leaflet on Council Borrowing and Loan Sanctions. Copies to be made available to representatives of Recreational Field Committee.

BMK - Bulk Skip Container Service

Milton Keynes Community Playbus Association - details to be forwarded to Mrs Collard - Sherington Playgroup

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Mr Burgess commented on:

- the positioning of the 30 mph sign in Gun Lane
- the type of seating used in CMK

Mrs Graham commented on the potholes.

Mr Whatton indicated he had been given the incorrect document covering 'Sherington Village Plan'; the Chairman would arrange for a copy to be made available. Mr Whatton also requested whether it would be possible for the previous years attendance figures of Councillors to be made available at the Special/Annual Meeting.

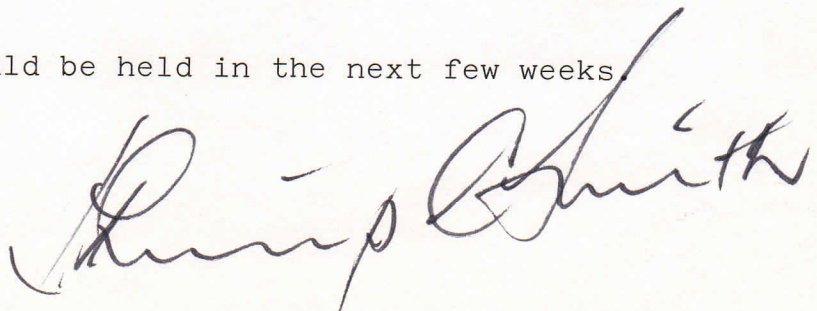
6. RECREATIONAL FIELD REPORT

Councillor Jack cook reported:

that the Cricket Club were to hold a race meeting fund raising event in July 1984, and

that the cricket pitch had been mowed twice and fertiliser spread.

A Committee Meeting would be held in the next few weeks.

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7. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Sherington Village Hall Hire Charges £19.80 (3 meetings)
D Ferris proposed that this account be paid, seconder J
Stedden.

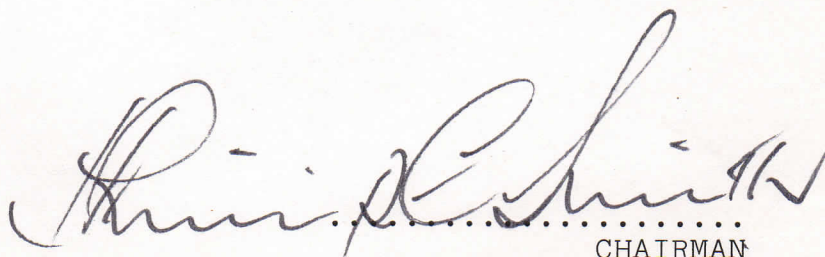
The Clerk advised that notification had been received from the
District Auditors - accounts to be presented 23 July 1984.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Brian Hansford had made available for the Council a copy of the
recently discussed Policy & Resources Committee Agendum 12
dated 24.3.84 - Local Government Act 1972 - Section 137. Copy
to be made available to each Councillor. The Chairman advised
that on the matter of precept any discussions and decisions
made by the Policy & Resources Committee, minutes of the
meeting would be forwarded to each Parish Council.

The Chairman commented on:

- the AW balancing tank at the top of Chicheley Hill.
Children had been playing in the concrete chambers and
there was concern for their safety. Clerk to request AW
to implement remedial works to the covers and the fence to
be made secure. As this tank would appear to be obsolete
also make enquiries as to the AW's use for this tank in
the future.
- person(s) who hired the village hall and the leaflets put
through residents doors regarding the purchase of silver by
their company.



CHAIRMAN
5 June 1984

Date for next meeting 5 June 1984 in the Village Hall at 7.30
pm.

Projects Meeting to be held 11 am Sunday 20 May 1984 at the Clerk's
address.

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 5 June 1984

1. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES
2. MATTERS ARISING
 - Footpaths & Bridleways
 - Solid Fuel Heating - Perry Lane
 - Proposed Dev. 27 High Street
 - AWA Balancing Tank
 - Seating
 - Hillview Bungalows - footpath
3. CORRESPONDENCE
4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME
5. RECREATIONAL FIELD
 - Hawkins & Co - Easement
 - N.P. Archers
6. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT
7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Date for next meeting Tuesday 3 July 1984

Minutes of meeting held 5 June 1984 in the Village Hall at 7.30 pm.

1. PRESENT

Councillors : P Smith (Chairman), D Cheeseman, P Gardner, Jack Cook,
John Cook

Apologies: D Ferris, J Stedden

2. AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, agreed and signed.

3. MATTERS ARISING

Footpaths & Bridleways letters received from The Ramblers Association Borough of Milton Keynes and Mr B Benyon (MP).

BMK had advised that BCC although agreeing there could be a potential danger, the actual accident record is good and would not be prepared to make a temporary order for closure of the bridleways in question. Councillor John Cook proposed that the crossing in question should be closed by the Parish Council in view of their fears of young children on horseback attempting to cross the Bye Pass: agreed. It was felt that this was a necessary measure as the Parish Council had expressed on many occasions the dangers involved.

The Chairman commented on the impasse and that the Council could no longer involve themselves in this matter which must now rest as between Messrs J W Cook and The Ramblers Association.

Councillor Gardner suggested that J W Cook & Son discuss the matter further, as footpath 20 is not used and as to whether it really matters whether it is closed or not; Jack Cook felt it was principle only.

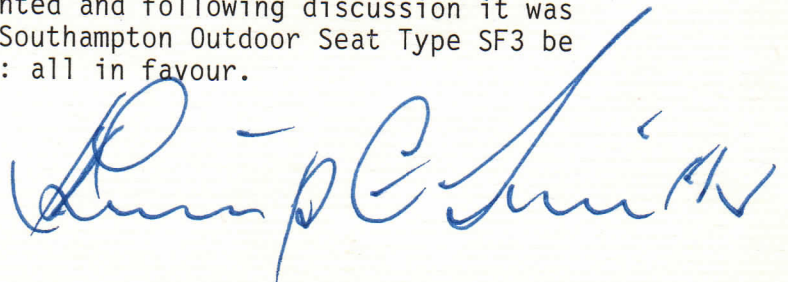
It was formally agreed that the Parish Council would write to Messrs J W Cook & Son.

Solid Fuel Heating : Perry Lane letter from BMK advising The Solid Fuel Advisory Service had now completed their investigations and agreed to carry out certain remedial works. It was agreed the Clerk request a copy of the SFAC report.

Development : 27 High Street letter from BMK acknowledging Parish Council comments.

AWA Balancing Tank letter from AWA advising that the cover in question had been replaced and that arrangements are in hand to have it concreted over. The AWA also stated that they hoped to dispose of this site later in the year. It was reported that the cover had been removed again, that it was $\frac{1}{2}$ mile to the nearest house and that the tank was some 15 - 20 ft. deep. Clerk to speak with AWA.

Seating brochures were presented and following discussion it was proposed by John Cook that a Southampton Outdoor Seat Type SF3 be purchased, seconded Jack Cook: all in favour.



Hillview Bungalows : Footpath reply outstanding from BMK, Clerk to chase.

3. CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application Lists 17-20 inclusive
 MK/0490/84 Bernard Garner : porch 16 High Street. The Chairman presented plans and it was agreed no objections.
 MK/0445/84 Mr J Spearman - two storey side extension 22 School Lane. Plans were presented which were of a chalet type extension. Following discussion it was agreed no objection.

BMK Information Sheet 24.5.84

Letter Mr D Samm regarding speed limit Sherington Bridge. It was agreed BCC be requested to forward reply.

Letter Mrs G Hetherington regarding adoption of ditch adjacent to The Barn. Again it was agreed BCC be requested to forward reply.

Letter Mr J Easton with thanks for help regarding Oak tree next to his property.

4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Mr Burgess queried whether an authority could insist on repairs being carried out on a listed building.

5. RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

A letter had been received from Hawkins & Co. A revised site plan will be made available to the Borough.

John Cook reported that an application for grant aid from BMK would be going to sub-committee this week, then full committee on 19 June.

The Clerk advised that yearly charges are due from Clubs using the facilities at the Recreational Field. It was also pointed out that the Football Club still owe last years fee.

Clerk awaiting electricity bill (or details) in order for the Parish Council to pay standing charge.

John Cook reported that certain items had been purchased in order to make good the toilet/light in the Pavilion which had needed repair.

Jack Cook advised there was to be a 'Race Meeting' on the 22 June.

6. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

The following accounts were proposed by D Cheeseman for payment:
 - Aviette Kits £35.27 (repairs to grass mower/notice board)
 - Cornhill Insurance £60.60 (yearly premium)
 Seconded John Cook.

7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Grass Cutting - The Knoll/Play Area. It was suggested that the salary for these two services be increased to £4.00 and £6.00 respectively. Item to be placed on Agenda for next meeting.

Thanks were expressed to Mr Cook for maintaining and servicing and keeping the Recreational Field in such a good condition. Thanks were also expressed to Kenny Temple for his services in mowing the field.

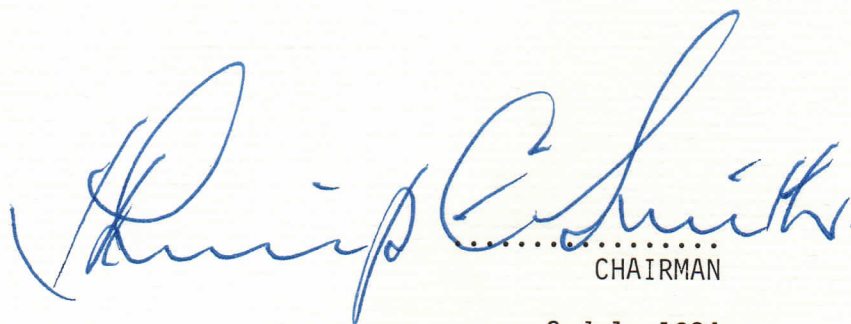
Grassed areas - Carters. It was agreed a letter be forwarded to BMK regarding the grass cutting on a regular basis, believed to be 4 times for mowing season.

Piercey Cottage. The residents were again parking their vehicles on the Knoll and it was agreed that a letter be forwarded advising them they must move the vehicles as they are parking on Parish Council land.

Potholes were again reported on Manor Corner and also the white lining works. Clerk to query with BCC.

The Chairman reported that top soil was to be laid over the french drain School Lane.

Lorries have been travelling down Bedford Road into the village and getting lost. It was agreed the Council look further into the resiting of the 'Sherington' sign at Chicheley Hill.


CHAIRMAN

3 July 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting to be held 3 July 1984 in the Village Hall at
7.30 pm

PREVIOUS MINUTES

MATTERS ARISING

Grassed Areas - Carters
Balancing Tank Chicheley Hill
Undergrounding O/Head Lines - EME
Repairs to listed buildings - BMK
Seat School Lane
Footpath Hillview
Development 27 High Street
Planning Appeal W C Hartley
Precept Arrangements - BMK meeting
Grass cutting charges The Knoll/Play Area

CORRESPONDENCE

SHERINGTON STORM DRAINAGE PHASE II

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

BCC Park Road Footpath (as agreed) £550.00
P Cook (Remuneration/Expenses) £90.00

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Date for next meeting Tuesday 7th August 1984 at 7.30pm Village Hall

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES of meeting held 3 July 1984 in Village Hall at 7.30 pm

Present: P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, John Cook, P Gardner, J Stedden,
D Cheeseman, Jack Cook

The Chairman opened the meeting and welcomed Mr Alex Wilson and Mr Malcolm Milne from the Borough of Milton Keynes.

1. PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of meeting held 5 June 1984 were read, agreed and signed.

2. MATTERS ARISING

Grassed Areas : Carters Close letter from BMK (A.J.Thomas) advising that the public open spaces in question have not yet been adopted. It was agreed the Parish Council again approach S & S Builders regarding original request.

Balancing Tank : Chicheley Hill the covers in question had been checked and found to have been repaired. Matter closed.

Undergrounding Overhead Lines letter from EME advising that as no major works are necessary in Sherington, undergrounding would not take place this financial year.

Repairs to Listed Buildings letter from BMK Planning regarding powers available to that local authority.

Seat School Lane order had been placed with Neptune Concrete; costs £85.50 seat, carriage £20.00 plus VAT.

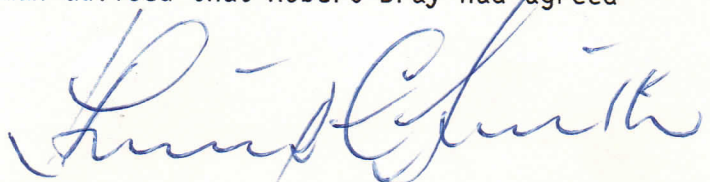
Footpath : Bungalows Hillview copy letter to Councillor B Hansford was presented. Councillor John Cook advised that the works in question had been completed.

Development 27 High Street letter from BMK advising that the Planning Committee had resolved that permission be refused.

Planning Appeal W C Hartley letter from DoE advising that the planning appeal had been dismissed.

Future Precept Arrangements letter from BMK confirming the date of 18 July 1984 at 7.30 pm. Civic Offices for the 'Open Forum'

Mowing Charges 1984/5 It was proposed by D Ferris that the charges paid for the mowing of The Knoll be increased to £4.00 per cut and that the charges for mowing the Play Area increased to £6.00 per cut; seconded J Stedden. The Chairman advised that Robert Bray had agreed to mow The Knoll.



2. CORRESPONDENCE

- Planning Application Lists 22-25 inclusive
- BALC subscriptions; Clerk to query charges
- BMK Bulk Skip Container Service: Sherington 17-19 July
- BCC Road Safety Comm. Clerk to reply.
- Local Government Boundary Commission Review
- Letter Mr A Bray, view regarding Water Lane Farm. Mr Gardner answered the questions contained in the letter and Mr Bray to be advised.

3. SHERINGTON STORM DRAINAGE PHASE II

Mr A Milne (Borough of Milton Keynes) took the chair and explained the reasoning as to why the Borough felt piping should be laid down Park Road, in that water comes directly from land drainage and the gullies cannot take the water into system. Mr Milne did not agree with the Parish Council findings that flood water came down behind Mr Feasey's bungalow into School Lane. It was felt the ditch could be at fault, but as this was on private land it was therefore not the responsibility of any authority. Mr Milne agreed, however, to ensure the gullies were adequate in this particular area.

Works were programmed to start January/February 1985 and Mr Milne pointed out that a more detailed finding by the AWA, and a contribution from BCC, were to be called for.

Mr Milne indicated that they (BMK) could not see that flooding within Sherington could ever be totally cured. BMK have yet to convince AWA that the detail drawings they are preparing for Park Road are either desirable or necessary. If BMK are overruled in their findings and flooding does occur again, the Parish Council should bear in mind that which BMK proposed.

The Chairman thanked both Mr Milne and Mr Wilson for attending the meeting.

4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Mrs Graham queried the path the Newport side of Sherington Bridge as the tarmac had been chewed outside the new entrance made into the field. The Chairman will speak with BCC regarding this matter.

Mr Weekly Pearcy Cottage, advised the meeting that the letter received from the Parish Council earlier that month had been incorrect, as that letter was the first notice he had received from the Parish Council regarding vehicle parking. The Chairman gave apologies and advise Mr Weekly that a plan could be made available showing the area in question held by the Parish Council.

Councillor Hansford was thanked for his support in obtaining a satisfactory result regarding the footpath in Hillview which had required remedial works. Councillor Hansford advised that work should commence shortly on the footpath in Perry Lane 'The Square'.

5. RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE REPORT

Councillor John Cook reported that he had been advised by Councillor Hansford that the Parish Council had been granted 50% aid on the proposed costs of new Pavilion; written confirmation being awaited. The next stage will be a public meeting where it was hoped a committee could be formed to raise the remaining funds for the project.

6. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Councillor Ferris proposed the following accounts for payment:

- BCC 50% footpath works Park Road £550.00
- Clerks Remuneration £90.00

seconded P Gardner, all in favour.

7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Councillor Cheeseman advised that building materials outside Maurice Watts cottage were dangerous in that they were not above head height. The Chairman will speak with the builders.

The meeting was advised that the Church intend submitting a planning application for a timber building at the rear of the Church to be used by the Sunday Club and general Church meetings. This application could raise objections from nearby residents.

Councillor Ferris advised that the heating installation had now been completed in the Church.

The Chairman advised that the Parish Council mower for the Play Area had required service.

Congratulations were expressed to Councillor Gardner in winning 2nd prize in the BCC Film recently presented.

Date for next meeting Tuesday 4 September 1984

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CHAIRMAN

7 August 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 7 August 1984 in the Village Hall at 7.30 pm

PREVIOUS MINUTES

MATTERS ARISING

- Grassed areas Carters Close
- Various Matters BCC
- Mrs Hetherington : BCC reply
- Precept meeting with BMK
- Seat School Lane
- Footpaths & Bridleways

CORRESPONDENCE

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

- Refund to Sherington Football Club of electricity standard charges
6 payments of £9.66 = £67.62
- Confirmation of grant from BMK
- Committee meeting

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The date for next meeting 4 September 1984

MINUTES of meeting held 7 August 1984 in Village Hall at 7.30 pm

Present: P Smith (Chairman), Jack Cook, D Cheeseman, J Stedden, P Gardner,
John Cook

Apologies: D Ferris

The Chairman welcomed Mr & Mrs Perkins to the village. Councillor B Hansford was also in attendance.

1. PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of meeting held 3 July 1984 were read, agreed and signed.

2. MATTERS ARISING

Grassed Areas Carters Close letter from BMK advising that the Agreement had been completed and dated 30 July 1984.

Various Matters BCC letter from BCC advising that works had been completed; topsoiling School Lane, white lining works Crofts End. Matters outstanding - drainage works School Lane, programmed for August; manhole Crofts End. Clerk to advise location of manhole.

Mrs Hetherington BCC had replied to Mrs Hetherington advising that the legal position is that landowners are responsible for the maintenance of roadside ditches adjacent to their property.

BMK Precept Meeting The Chairman reported that two Parish Councillors attended for Sherington. The meeting was well attended. No minutes were taken at this meeting and no resolutions made. The Boundary Commission is making a report on the parishing of Milton Keynes but this will take 3-4 years to complete.

Seat - School Lane the new seat had been erected in School Lane and thanks were extended to Messrs M Tofts, D Cheeseman and John Cook for their time spent in erecting this seat.

Footpaths & Bridleways The Clerk presented the letter to be forwarded to Messrs J W Cook & Sons on this subject. The Chairman read the letter to the meeting and it was agreed this be forward without delay.

3. CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application Lists 26-30 inclusive

MK/0747/84 Mr B Lanz, Church Farm, erection of open fronted barn and gateway. The Chairman advised on these intended works and it was agreed no objection.

MK/0749/84 Revd.P Haynes, temporary Church Hall. The Chairman also presented a letter handed to him from Mr B Lanz on this application. Following detailed discussion it was agreed that the Parish Council could not support this application and that BMK and interested parties be advised accordingly.

BMK Bulk Skip Container Service

BMK Bus Service Revisions

DoE 'Streamlining the Cities' paper

P. Smith

BMK Straw and Stubble Burning - all Councillors had received a copy of this letter prior to meeting.

4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Mr Whitehead complemented the new installation of the seating. Queried the Tamp standard in the Square, Perry Lane, concrete crumbling, Clerk to request EME to examine and repair. Concrete hydrant posts need resetting School Lane/Crofts End. Clerk to request AWA that these be dug out and set down in the earth as they are at present some 12" above ground.

Major Burgess The overhang of trees over the pavement Crofts End Manor corner was causing some concern. The Chairman will speak with Mr Watts regarding this matter. Councillor John Cook explained to Mr Burgess the procedures prior to the Parish Council giving their approval to a new pavilion being built.

Mr Whatton a pothole needed repair outside the gate of the Newsagent down Water Lane. Clerk to advise BCC

Mr Tofts queried the works being carried out at present in the Square regarding the footpath which the Parish Council had requested be repaired. It was felt this should be completely reviewed ie. dug out and re-laid. Councillor B Hansford advised that he would take this matter up at the next Housing meeting on the Parish Council's behalf and report back.

Mr Tofts also advised on the difficulties which would be experienced should any house in the Square require the services of an Ambulance or Fire Brigade. Cars park across the front of the footpath making it impossible for a vehicle to park and also for a resident to be carried out from the Square. It was suggested that this path be extended into the area in front of the Square. BCC to be asked for their assistance in this matter.

Mrs Graham advised that from Sherington, at the second mini roundabout, it was impossible to see traffic coming from the London Road as the road sign is sighted too low. Clerk to request BCC to look further into this matter.

5. RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

D Cheeseman advised there had been a committee meeting the previous Saturday. Seven EME bills address to Sherington Football Club were presented and as previously minuted, it was agreed that the standing charges be paid by the Parish Council, total 7 x £9.66 = £67.62 to be reimbursed to the Football Club. Clerk to advise the EME that all accounts should in future be presented to the Parish Council. In the future, clubs using electricity will need to use coins and these will be collected on a regular basis by the Parish Council.

A letter had been received from BMK advising that grant aid of £11,500 or 50% if less had been agreed.

It was agreed by members that a Public Meeting be held 4 September 1984 at which the subject of public opinion and fund raising would be discussed. Clerk to re-arrange Parish Council meeting date for later in month.

Wm P. Smith

6. ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Neptune Concrete - seat £121.33
Rogers Engineers - parts for mower £5.01
Robert Bray - mowing charges (5 cuts) £19.69

It was proposed by Councillor Stedden that the above accounts be paid, seconded Councillor Cheeseman; all in favour.

7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Councillor Cheeseman reported that the drain sited outside Mr B Feasey, School Lane, had been tarred over. BCC to be advised.

Councillor Stedden reported that Mrs Russell had left the post of Head Mistress, Sherington School, at the end of the summer term. A temporary post would be filled for the new coming term.

Councillor Cook reported on the Play Area, the large swings had been broken, the small swings were still outstanding, the Youth Club hut had been vandalised - the remaining contents had been removed and placed in David Byrne's barn. It was agreed the hut should be dismantled and stored with the equipment until such time as the Youth Club recommenced.

Councillor Jack Cook suggested that a further supply of salt should be obtained for the forthcoming winter. The salt not required from last years stock will be removed from Rogers.

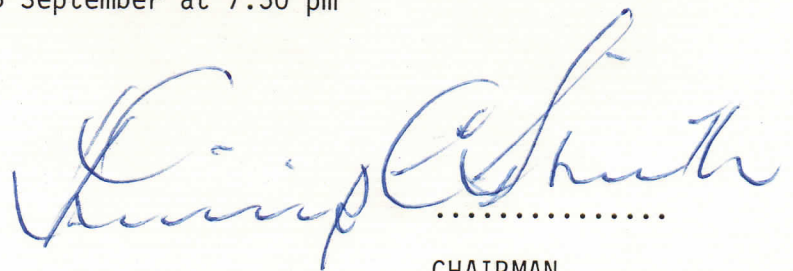
Mr Whatton kindly offered the donation of any wood required to repair the swings.

The Chairman advised that he had been in contact with the Enforcement Officer regarding the building works at Wayside Cottage; no cones or lights and scaffolding over footpath throughout the night. The matter has now been rectified.

- the mower for the Play Area is in need of repair - a new kick-start.
- the Olney Road footpath outside Mr Leonards property needs replacing.
- the suggestion of granite setts outside the Rectory up to the litchgate.

MEETING DATES ~~THE NEXT MEETINGS~~

- meeting 'Pavilion Project' Tuesday 4 September 1984 at 7.30 pm
- next Council meeting Thursday 13 September at 7.30 pm



CHAIRMAN
13 September 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 13 September 1984

PREVIOUS MINUTES

MATTERS ARISING

- Footpath & Bridleways
- Solid Fuel Appliances : Report
- BCALC subscription query
- Planning Application St Laud's Church
- Open Spaces Carters : approach to BCC
- Concrete EME post : The Square

Councillor Hansford:

- Street Provisions and Maintenance
- Footpath lighting (Area Board)

CORRESPONDENCE

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

Minutes of Special Meeting : Pavilion Project 4.9.84

- Deed of Easement
- Newport Pagnell Archers Club

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

agreed at previous meeting £67.⁶² reimbursement Football Club. Bernard Haynes has requested that the ground charges owing by this Club be deducted and a cheque made payable for £17.62.

- Village Hall Hire
- Mowing Play Area
- Clerks Remuneration
- EME Lighting Repair bill

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Date for next meeting TUESDAY 2 OCTOBER 1984 in Village Hall at 7.30 pm

Minutes of meeting held Thurs. 13 September 1984 in the Village Hall at 7.30pm

PRESENT P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, John Cook, Jack Cook, P Gardner,
D Cheeseman (Councillor B Hansford)

Apologies: J Stedden

MINUTES The minutes of meeting held 7 August were read, agreed and signed.

MATTERS ARISING

Footpaths & Bridleways

Following a telephone conversation with Michael Cook, the Clerk reported that J W Cook & Son are in touch with the NFU in London. If this Body are willing to back J W Cook & Son proposals, they intend to take it further. Should this not prove the case the matter will close as it stands and J W Cook & Son will make available for Sherington village an unofficial place for horses to be ridden and the offending gate closed. J W Cook & Son will advise the Council as appropriate.

Solid Fuel Advisory Service

Letter from BMK advising the SFAS had agreed that nos. 13, 19, 29 Perry Lane required remedial works, but that no. 19 had refused access. Clerk to look further into matter.

BCALC Subscriptions

The Clerk to look further into this matter as the penny rate product for Sherington is approx. £950.00.

Planning Application : Rev. P Haynes

Letter from BMK advising that it was resolved that permission be refused. Rev. Haynes had advised the Chairman that a member of the Church Council was not present at the last Parish Council meeting when this matter was discussed and that he should have been made aware of any discussion.

(Clerk's Note: Planning Applications are discussed under 'Correspondence'. There is no requirement that Council advise interested parties that discussion may take place.)

Open Spaces - Carters

The agreement as between S & S Homes/Borough Milton Keynes has been completed and dated as reported at last meeting. It was formally proposed by Councillor Ferris that Council again correspond with S & S Homes regarding sub-soil now comprising public highway and open space. Carried.

Concrete Post - The Square

Telephone conversation with Mr West EME who advised the Clerk that they would be forwarding estimate for necessary Works.

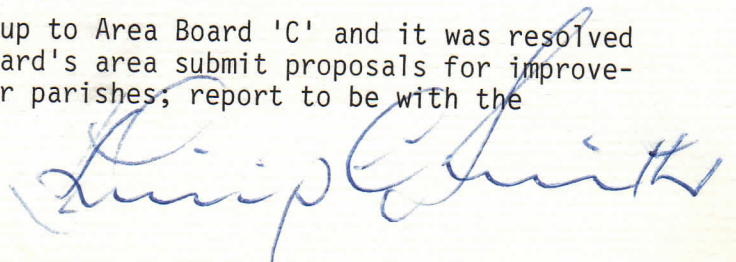
The Square : Overgrown Bush

BMK had advised that the bush in question had been pruned.

Footpath Lighting/Street Provisions & Maintenance

Councillor Hansford:

- advised that these matters had come up to Area Board 'C' and it was resolved that the Parish Councils within the Board's area submit proposals for improvements to lighting standard within their parishes; report to be with the Borough by 30 October.



It will be necessary to draw up a report showing where improvements are needed in order that Footway lighting may be improved up to the standard of new developments.

Details should also be forwarded to the Borough on improvements in the bus service. It was feasible that smaller vehicles could be used in the future.

The Chairman will speak with the Senior Citizens Club. It was also indicated that is a need for a bus to go through the village and collect from the Perry Lane Area.

CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application Lists 31-35 inclusive

MK/0928/84 Mr K Durkin, Park Road - conversion of garage into living accommodation, erection of garage, and single storey rear extension. Plans were presented. Council were advised there is a light in front of the garage outside this property and that to reposition would cost Mr Dunkin in the region of £100.00, but that the EME had advised that within the next 18 months - 2 years, they would be undergrounding electricity lines in this area - agreed no objection.

MK/0858/84 Mr & Mrs Hopkins, 24 High Street - two storey rear extension. Plans were presented. Agreed no objection.

MK/0895/84 A D Gadsby - erection of one dwelling and garage (outline) on land adjoining 19 Park Road. A copy letter to BMK was presented from C H Stephens Esq. regarding extension of existing road past nos. 19 and 26 and that adequate parking and turning facilities for vehicles of all categories should be taken into account.

The Council supported the trafficking points made by Mr Stephens and it would agreed that inquiries be made of BCC prior to this application being considered at the forthcoming Planning Meeting. Councillor Hansford was requested to advise the Borough on this matter on behalf of the Parish Council.

BMK Rural Bus Services - Council asked to submit proposals for improving bus services.

Rev. P Haynes invitation to Harvest Festival Evensong 23.9.84.

MKALC AGM & Quarterley Meeting.

BCALC Newsletter No. 9

MKCVO Parish Review

BMK Bus Service Revisions 19.8.84

BMK Bulk skip container service. Sherington Perry Lane 11-13.9.84

BCALC Scribe Computer Demonstration

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

Letter Hawkins & Co. Deed of Easement - advising fresh plan was being presented to BMK.

Newport Pagnell Archers. The Clerk reported that following a telephone conversation with Mr Glass, it had been made known that the Club is experiencing difficulty with membership numbers (now down to 12 seniors) although there are signs of membership picking-up. Therefore, at the present time they could not commit the Club to new grounds.

MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING : PAVILION PROJECT were presented to Council which were agreed and signed.

J D Burgess - letter addressed to the Chairman regarding recent Pavilion Project meeting.

John Cook outlined the response he had received following the Special Meeting 4.9.84.

Following discussion it was proposed by Councillor Ferris that the following resolution be agreed: Seconded J Cook, carried.

SUBJECT TO FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS AND TO THE TERMS OF THE LEASE BEING EXTENDED TO THE MAXIMUM AVAILABLE BEING PRESENTED AND APPROVED, THE PARISH COUNCIL APPROVE IN PRINCIPLE THE PROVISION OF A NEW PERMANENT PAVILION AT PERRY LANE RECREATIONAL FIELD

John Cook to advise at the next meeting regarding costs.

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

David Williams commented that the Parish Council should not be concerned regarding fund raising for the Pavilion Project which may coincide with other organisations activities. Organisations within the village should support each other as we are a small community.

Regarding the recent PCC planning application, which had been refused; this small extension was to provide vestry for choir, Church meetings and Sunday School.

- the hedge had been cut in School Lane and rubbish left.
- nettles are growing over the pavement on the path by the 'Plantation'

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

The following accounts were presented and it was proposed by John Cook, seconded D Cheeseman that payment be made:

BCALC subscription & leaflets	42.45
Audit Commission	44.85
J Kitchen (mowing Play Area)	28.95
Village Hall Hire Charges x 4 meetings	26.40
EME Beta 6 Bowl	22.71
Clerk's remuneration	60.00

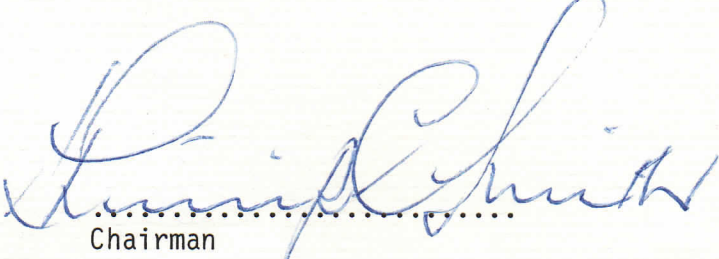
ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- as to when the damaged/vandalised shed behind village hall was to be removed; the Chairman advised this weekend.
- the manhole on ground behind K Temple, Perry Lane, required to be looked at as sewage could be smelt.
- lamp required at Perry Lane 'The Square'

- Clerk to look into prices for replacement seats required for Play Area swings.

The meeting closed.

NEXT MEETING Tuesday 2 October 1984 7.30pm Village Hall


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Chairman

2 October 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting Tuesday 2 October 1984

MINUTES

MATTERS ARISING

- AWA Apparatus Crofts End/School Lane
- BALC subscription rate
- BCC various matters
- BCC Planning Application 19 Park Road
- Rural Bus Services
- Lighting Standards
- Electors List

CORRESPONDENCE

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

- report John Cook
- letter Hawkins & Co
- Cricket Club payment

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Next Parish Council meeting THURSDAY 1 November 1984

Minutes of meeting held 2 October 1984 in Village Hall at 7.30pm.

Present: P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, D Cheeseman, Jack Cook, Peter Gardner,
J Stedden, John Cook

PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of meeting held 18 October 1984 were signed and agreed.

MATTERS ARISING

AWA Apparatus Croft End/School Lane site meeting to be arranged

BALC Subscription Rate - letter advising that Treasurer would reply regarding penny rate product.

BCC Various Matters letter advising:

- arrangements made to repair pot hole in Water Lane
- manhole in Crofts End will be adjusted to carriageway level
- traffic sign, Chicheley Hill roundabout had been referred to County Hall Traffic Engineering Section
- firm start date for second phase of drainage work School Lane could not yet be given owing to backlog of work of this nature

Planning Application 19 Park Road letter from BCC advising that County Council as highway authority would have been consulted on this application and that the County Engineer would advise further

Rural Bus Services the Chairman advised that had spoken at the Senior Citizens Club. It was agreed that Council advise BMK on considering the viability of an alternative form of transport for busing through the village in order to deliver and collect from the Perry Lane area.

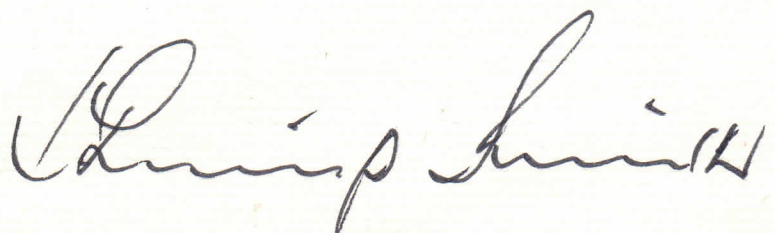
Lighting Standards 'The Square' Perry Lane. Footpath through Play Area. Overhead cables being undergrounded. The Council is satisfied with the current lighting facilities elsewhere in the village.

Electors List The Chairman reported that a number of residents had received a second form indicating that if this form was not completed a fine would be imposed. Clerk to query with BMK and ask as to why this is happening as people are feeling aggrieved.

Play Area Swings It was formally proposed by D Ferris that the Clerk order the necessary replacement seats and couplings from Game & Playtime; seconded J Stedden.

CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application Lists 36-38 inclusive
BMK Bulk Skip Container Service - Leys View 2-4 October
Nat.Assoc.Local Councils 'Free Two Pence' leaflet
Bucks Playing Field Association, AGM 2.11.84



RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

Hawkins & Co. advising they had written to BMK on 12.9.84 asking whether BMK had yet instructed their Legal Dept. to deal with the matter of the Deed of Easement.

The Clerk advised that the sum of £25.00 had been received from the Cricket Club for dues outstanding.

John Cook reported:

Project team had met 19.9.84 and all but two invited attended. The team was briefed on previous Parish Council meeting, ie need for more information on costs and fund raising programme. It was generally decided that the team needed to be able to see way clear to getting shell of building up to roof level and weathertight and to see way clear financially to be able to do this. Costs estimated at approximately:

- foundations/footings	£2,000	
- bricks	£2,000	
- bricklaying works	£2,000	
- roof timber	£1,000	
- tiling	£1,000	
- blocks	£1,000	estimated total £10,000

It was agreed it was necessary to have £5,000 in funds before commencing works, which would not be before Xmas because of weather. Start date assuming £5,000 raised - 1.3.85.

On the question of fund raising £5,000 between now and March 1985, bearing in mind funds now stand at £1,400 were:

- J Thomas has arranged a 'race night' for Nov. 27 and feels reasonably confident that this will raise £500
- darts night early 1985.
- the main fund raising would take place January onwards 1985 in view of other village organisations activities prior to Xmas.

Point was raised again on looking at finding people who would be interested to loan £100 interest free for a period of 2 years. It was felt that at least 25 persons could be found immediately, however, rather than people feeling they had been left out there was a need for a note to be put round village to all residents.

Further grant opportunities were available and the Sports Council and Playing Field Association would be approached.

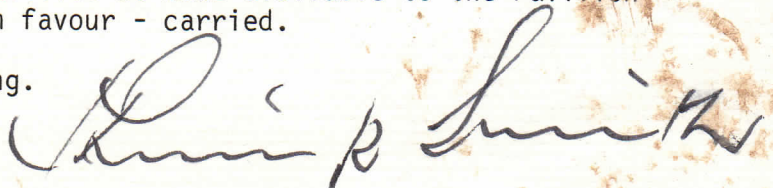
It was agreed by Council that the offer of grant aid from BMK be accepted indicating the offer would not be taken up until March 1985, and that a letter be forwarded to residents regarding a loan, interest free, and make application to the Sports Council for:

- 1) maximum grant based upon total cost of £22,000, and
- 2) for £5,000 over 2 years interest free.

Proposed D Ferris, seconded J Stedden, all in favour.

D Ferris advised that it had been pointed out that the Parish Council has not taken any financial part in this project. The Council had been watching carefully and that he would now like the Council to discuss the possibility of the Parish Council itself making grant aid to the Pavilion fund. Councillor Gardner proposed that £500.00 be made available to the Pavilion Fund, seconded D Cheeseman, all in favour - carried.

Councillor Gardner left the meeting.



ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

EME - electricity pavilion £8.23
BMK - rates pavilion £27.27

It was proposed by D Ferris that these accounts be paid, seconded John Cook.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Chairman will ask for a site meeting regarding the turning on to the By Pass at Crossalbans Hill going towards Olney. He will also query the lighting as it is difficult to see the Sherington turn when coming from Olney in the dark.

The meeting was advised that a sum in excess of £700 had been collected by the Rector on 'Gift Day' and that an application has been made by the Parochial Church Council for a loan of £5,000 to complete present restoration works.

The church window had been damaged.

The PTFA are to hold a 'Bonfire' on 5 November and wished to site it in the play area. It was agreed this should be in the same place as last year.

The proprietors of Virginia House Stores are moving from the village. Clerk to express Council's best wishes for the future and their appreciation for the facilities which have been maintained for the residents of the village.



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CHAIRMAN

1 November 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 1 November 1984 in Village Hall 7.30 pm

PRESENT

AGREEMENT OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

MATTERS ARISING

BCC Turning space Park Road
BMK Planning Application Park Road
BMK Funding of Parishes
Austin & Carnley - Open spaces

CORRESPONDENCE

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

date for next meeting 6 December 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held 1 November 1984 in Village Hall at 7.30pm

Present: P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, J Stedden, John Cook, P Gardner

Apologies: D Cheeseman, Jack Cook

MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting held 2 October 1984 were read, agreed and signed.

MATTERS ARISING

Planning Application 19 Park Road:

BCC - had replied advising that it was understood BMK would impose such a requirement for turning space.

BMK - had advised that at the recent Committee meeting it was resolved that outline permission be granted. The Clerk had forwarded a letter to BMK requesting confirmation of turning space requirement and also inquiring as to any other conditions imposed when permission was granted.

Funding of Parishes letter from BMK advising on 'Open Forum' meeting held when it was resolved:

- i) that the present arrangements for the funding of parishes should continue for 1985/86;
- ii) that further discussions regarding a reversion to a 'normal' precepting arrangement should take place following the outcome of the Parish Review;
- iii) that any Parish concerned about the likely effect of (i) and (ii) above on its income, should be encouraged to discuss the matter with the Council.

Austin & Carnley open spaces; reply to Parish Council letter advising that they wished to see the matter stand as agreed with Borough Council. Further letter to be sent clarifying the situation as the Parish Council understands it.

CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application Lists 29-42 inclusive:

MK/1091/84 Eaglestone Developments Ltd. Weald House, Wenden, Saffron Walden, Essex. Erection of 5 bungalows at Village Farm, High Street, Sherington. It was agreed the Clerk request sight of the relevant plans from the Borough Council in order that Councillors may discuss between meetings as it was thought this application could be heard prior to December Parish Council meeting.

Bucks Playing Field Assoc. requesting subscriptions for current year. It was proposed by J Stedden, seconded D Ferris that the sum of £5.00 be donated.

Parish Councillors Handbook it was agreed that a copy be obtained for Council records at a cost of £2.00; proposed J Stedden, seconded D Ferris.

BMK Bulk Skip Container Service - 20-22 Nov. Perry Lane

DoE - Development Control letter July 1984

BALC Newsletter No.10

Dr Easton - donation £100 to Pavilion Fund. Letter of thanks to be forwarded.

Imperial Cancer Research Fund - correspondence to organiser Xmas Carol Singing

Church Gift Day - Fund now stands at £2,372.50

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

John Cook reported:

Following discussion at recent Project Team Meeting they were advised that the agreed letter asking for interest free loan should indicate that the loan was not secured by the Parish Council and the said letter would be signed by the Recreational Field Committee.

A letter had been drafted and had legal clearance. There was now a need to include in the total package, as many details as possible on Pavilion. It was hoped this letter would be posted round village in next week or so.

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME - no questions

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Sherington Village Hall Committee - 4 meetings £26.40.

It was proposed by J Stedden that this account be paid; seconded D Ferris.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

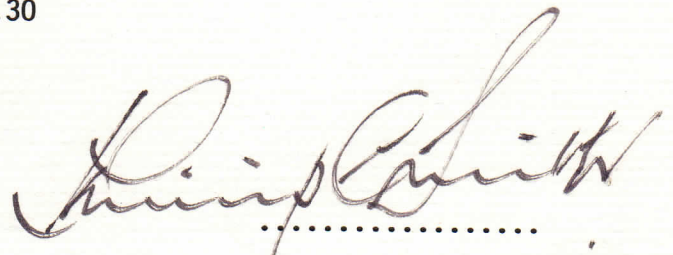
The Chairman reported on the Road Safety Committee Meeting:

- BCC would independently come out to look at the lighting standard at the turning Crossalbans Hill and notify the Parish Council accordingly.
- BCC had looked at the Chicheley Hill sign and indicated that as the sign itself could not be resited to a higher elevation, the road marking were to be moved forward to alleviate the problem of being able to see traffic from the right

The pothole outside Dr Skinner's property (53 High Street) was to be reported to BCC.

Mantrap - Stonepits BCC to be requested to repair.

Next Meeting TUESDAY 11 DECEMBER 1984 at 7.30



CHAIRMAN
11 December 1984

SHERINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA for meeting 11 December 1984

PREVIOUS MINUTES

MATTERS ARISING

- Crossalbans Hill road markings/lights
- Parish Councillors Handbook
- BPF Association
- BALC Penny Rate Product
- Electorial Registration
- BMK - Planning Application Park Road
- Chicheley Hill Roundabout A422
- Parking facilities The Square
- AWA Apparatus Perry Lane/Crofts End
- Hawkins & Co : Deed of Easement
- BMK Pavilion Grant aid
- *Solid Fuel Appliances*

CORRESPONDENCE

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Date of next meeting

TUESDAY 8th JANUARY 1985 at 7.30pm Village Hall

Minutes of meeting held 11 December 1984 in Village Hall at 7.30pm

PRESENT: P Smith (Chairman), D Ferris, Jack Cook, D Cheeseman
P Gardner, J Stedden, John Cook

MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting held 1 November 1984 were read, agreed and signed.

MATTERS ARISING

Crossalbans Hill The Chairman reported nothing more had been heard on the question of lighting from Mr Denham. Clerk to enquire further.

Parish Councillors Handbook copy received.

Bucks. Playing Field Assoc. acknowledgement of donation

BALC Penny Rate Product advising that BMK Treasurer provides statistics and he states p.r.p. on 1.10.82 was £1009.

Electoral Registration letter from BMK advising on procedures regarding electoral registration and 'reminder' forms.

Planning Application 19 Park Road letter from BMK advising on turning space requirement and other conditions imposed when permission was granted. Mr Churchward BCC had looked at the site and advise on the right of way to gate across No.19 Park Road; he would be advising his colleagues further.

Chicheley Roundabout letter from BCC advising that arrangements have been made for 'give way' line to be moved forward.

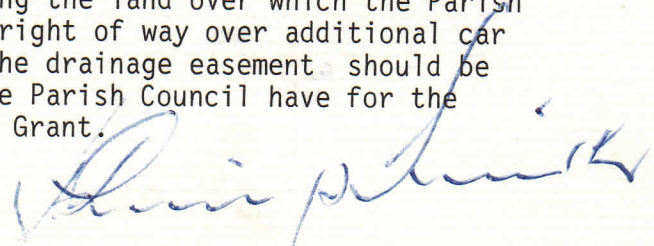
'The Square' BCC had visited the site and suggested that white lines should be marked on road outside 'The Square'. Letter to be forwarded to all residents advising them of the reasons why 'no parking' area was being implemented, ie. concern over cars blocking entrance to footpath which could be required by ambulance/fire tenders etc.

Various Matters BCC the Chairman had held a site meeting with Mr Churchward when the following areas were visited. BCC have advised that all matters will be dealt with:
footpath/pothole - High Street, kerbing - The Knoll, Pothole outside The Manor, Manhole - Mill Lane.

AWA apparatus Perry Lane/Crofts End the Chairman advised that Mr Rhodes of the AWA was looking into the matter.

Hawkins & Co Councillor Ferris advised that a memorandum was to be added to our present Lease to extend for an extra 30 years.

BMK had been forwarded a fresh plan showing the land over which the Parish Council has a Lease; they indicated that right of way over additional car park and grant to the Parish Council of the drainage easement should be by a Lease simultaneous with the Lease the Parish Council have for the Recreational Field, rather than a Deed of Grant.



Grant Aid BMK letter from BMK advising the timescale of a start date of T.3.85 should not present any problems from a grant point of view.

Xmas Tree The Chairman requested Council to consider the purchase of an Xmas Tree for the Knoll; all in favour - carried.

Solid Fuel Appliances letter from BMK advising the house numbers who have the boiler in question fitted - nos 5-47 Perry Lane excluding 11,31 and 47. The Council were most concerned to learn of the number of properties with this type of boiler and it was agreed that the Clerk request Councillor Hansford to look further into this matter from the Housing Directorate.

CORRESPONDENCE

Planning Application Lists 43-48 inclusive : MK 1251/84 J Spearman, 22 School Lane. The Chairman advised this was a repeat application which had previously been before the Parish Council. It was understood the reason for this further application was because of an extra-over window being fitted (not on original plans). No objections.

Bedford Charity - Harpur Bursary Schemes Notice

BMK Bus service revisions

1938 Act Lane - Greater London Council

RECREATIONAL FIELD COMMITTEE

- advised a meeting had not been held the previous month. Application had been made to The Sports Council. The 'Race Night' hoped to realise the sum of £500.

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

It was proposed by Councillor Ferris that the following accounts be made forthwith:

- Game and Playtime (play area equipment) £200.96
- Clerk's remuneration £90.00

seconded Councillor Stedden

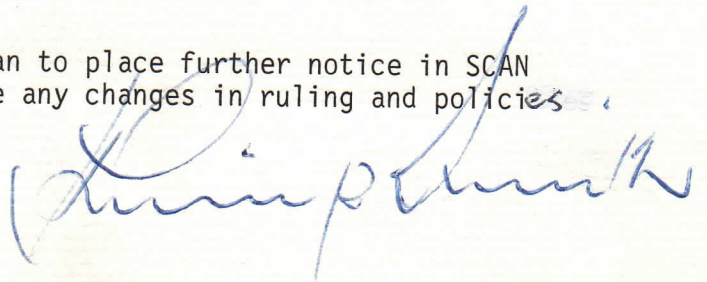
With regard to the Invoice from M Hawks (MK Pumps) for £139.51, loam/vehicle hire for cricket square, this item was referred back to the Recreational Field Committee.

A VAT refund of £86.03 had been received

PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

G Fleet queried white lines along each side of the road making verge visible. Clerk to query with BCC.

Liz Timpson - dogs fouling. The Chairman to place further notice in SCAN and Clerk to query with BMK if there are any changes in ruling and policies regarding health risks.

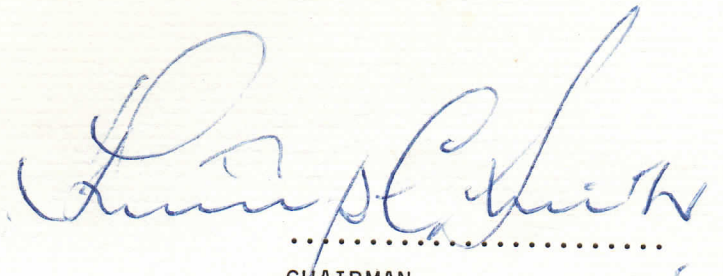


ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Chairman requested Councillors to consider holding Parish Council meetings on a Tuesday evening and not Thursday as had previously been advised.
Carried.

The Chairman spoke regarding the selection process of a new headmistress for Sherington First School. Councillor Stedden advised that Mrs Tranter held a temporary appointment only which had been extended to Easter. Mrs Tranter herself is a candidate for the post. The Governors were very keen for Mrs Tranter to be given the permanent post. Councillor Stedden will advise further at a later stage.

The Chairman closed the meeting with Christmas greetings to all persons present.



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CHAIRMAN

7 January 1985

NEXT MEETING TO BE HELD 7 January 1985 in Village Hall at 7.30pm