BRAISHFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Braishfield Parish Council held at the Womens' Institute Hall, Braishfield, on Monday, 12th February 1979, at 7.30 p.m.

Present: Mr. R. Corry (Chairman), Mrs. B. M. Bell, Messrs. A. E. Cobbold,

H. Steiner and P. Watkins.

Apologies: An apology for absence was submitted from Test Valley

Councillor Mrs. M. Sleeman.

121. MINUTES

Resolved that the minutes of the last meeting, held on 8th January 1979, be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

FENCING OPPOSITE EXIT TO HILL VIEW

Further to minute 119 (8.1.79), the Chairman reported that the contractor had been unable to visit the site to discuss the provision of the fence.

 $\frac{\text{Resolved}}{\text{with the contractor.}}$ that the Clerk endeavour to arrange a site meeting

123. ACCESS TO RECREATION GROUND - ERECTION OF GATES

The Chairman reported that the owners of Pitt Farm had donated two lOft. gates to the Parish Council and that these might be capable of adaption for use at the access near to Braishfield Garage.

Resolved that the contractor referred to in minute 122 above, be asked for his advice in this matter.

. HIGHWAY MATTERS

(a) Treatment of Roads

With reference to minute 120(a) (8.1.79), the Clerk submitted the comments of the Divisional Surveyor.

(b) Road Improvements

Further to minute 120(b) (8.1.79), the Clerk reported that the Divisional Surveyor would be arranging for the completion of the road and pavement works outside South View Cottage as soon as the necessary labour and plant were available.

125. PLANNING APPLICATION TVS 2453

Consideration was given to the planning application submitted by Mr. & Mrs. C. J. Law for the erection of an open fronted garage, bedroom above existing kitchen and front door porch at Manor Cottage, Braishfield.

Planning Application TVS 2453 (Cont'd)

Resolved that no objection be raised to the application, but that the Parish Council considers that turning space should be provided within the site; that the access gate should be set back 15 feet from the highway; and that the existing sight lines are inadequate.

126. PLANNING COMMITTEE MINUTES

The Clerk presented minutes of meetings of the Southern Area Planning Sub-Committee of the Test Valley Borough Council held on 19th December 1978, and 23rd January 1979, and of the meeting of the Planning and Development Committee held on 10th January 1979.

127. RECREATION GROUND - PROHIBITION OF DOGS FROM CHILDRENS' SWING AREA

Further to minute 86 (13.11.78), the sign was displayed and Mr. Watkins confirmed that it would be erected in the near future.

Resolved that the account of Kennet Price Markers Limited in the sum of £29.59, for the supply of this sign, be paid.

128. CAPITAL PROJECTS - APPLICATIONS FOR LOAN CONSENT 1979/80

The Clerk reported that applications for loan consent were to be submitted by not later than 19th February 1979.

Resolved that a NIL return be made.

129. HAMPSHIRE ASSOCIATION OF PARISH COUNCILS

(a) Minibus Survey

A note, dated 18th January 1979, was submitted concerning a proposed survey of voluntary transport in Hampshire.

(b) Tree Council

The Clerk reported that the Tree Council had some funds to assist tree planting and maintenance work during the tree-planting seasons 1978-9 and 1979-80.

Resolved that the Clerk obtain application forms.

(c) Annual General Meeting - 30th June 1979

The Clerk submitted preliminary notice that the County Annual General Meeting would be held on the morning of 30th June 1979, and that resolutions for possible inclusion in the agenda must be submitted by not later than 16th April 1979.

(d) Hampshire Best Kept Village Competition - 1979

An entry form was passed to the Village Association with a request that Braishfield be entered for this competition.

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130. PRECEPT

Resolved that the Clerk precept upon the Test Valley Borough Council for the sum of £350 to be paid into the Parish Council's bank account.

131. REFUSE COLLECTION

Reference was made to the fact that the refuse collection service had been temporarily withdrawn due to industrial action by public service employees.

Resolved: -

- (a) that the Village Association be thanked for arranging for the collection and distribution of refuse disposal bags, and invited to submit an account for expenses incurred in providing this valuable and essential service; and,
- (b) that the Environmental Health Department of the Borough Council be congratulated upon its quick and efficient response to the problem.

132. CONCESSIONARY BUS FARES

Resolved that the Clerk obtain details of qualification for bus tokens.

. Chairman

... 12th March, 1979. Date