

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF BRAISHFIELD PARISH COUNCIL HELD AT THE  
BRAISHFIELD VILLAGE HALL ON 15TH OCTOBER, 1987

Present : P. Watkins (Chairman); Mrs. Melbourne,  
J. Musselwhite, Miss Saunders and Mrs. Shepherd

An apology for absence was received from Councillor J. Wyss  
and D. Butterfield.

49. MINUTES

RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held on 17th September, 1987 be signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

50. CIVIL PROTECTION.

D. McDonald, a representative of the County Emergency Planning Unit attended the meeting and outlined to the Council the Community Adviser scheme in Hampshire. Each parish was able to nominate representatives to act as local volunteers in times of civil emergency. The next training scheme for volunteers would commence in November.

RESOLVED that further consideration be given to the appointment of representatives at the next meeting of the Parish Council.

51. PLANNING.

The Chairman reported that a Viewing Panel of the Southern Area Planning Sub-Committee would attend at Sandy House, Braishfield Road that Friday to consider an application to fell an oak tree.

52. BRAISHFIELD HOUSE. School.

The Chairman reported that Mr. Butterfield's nomination to serve on the Braishfield Schools governing body in place of Mrs. Balch had been accepted.

53. RECREATION GROUND.

(a) Tree Planting.

The Chairman reported that the Borough Council's Chief Planning Officer had indicated that an Environmental Enhancement Grant might be available for the proposed tree planting scheme in the recreation ground. It was also likely that the County Council would be able to make funds available for the scheme.

RESOLVED that the necessary applications for grant be made based on the planting scheme proposed by Hillier Landscaping.

(b) Ground Maintenance.

RESOLVED that the Chairman request Mr. Fielder to cut the recreation ground trees on the inside of the ground.

54. VILLAGE POND.

RESOLVED that the Southern Water Authority be requested for advice on the maintenance of pond areas and in particular the cutting of pond weed.

55. TELEPHONE CALL BOX.

Reference was made to the possibility of the existing telephone box in Braishfield Road being replaced by a box of the new style.

RESOLVED that British Telecom be informed that the Parish Council would prefer the existing telephone box to be retained.

56. PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS

RESOLVED that the following account be paid:-

P. White - signing of statements relating to pond title	£10.50
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*W. Matthews*