

BRAISHFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

19th October, 1989 (7.00pm-8.05pm)

PRESENT:-

P Watkins (Chairman), T Howkins, Mrs P Melbourne, Miss P Saunders and Mrs I Shepherd.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE were received from:-

D Butterfield, J Musslewhite and Councillor J Wyss (Test Valley Borough Council representative).

40. MINUTES

RESOLVED -

That the minutes of the meeting held on 21st September, 1989 be signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

41. PLANNING

a) Planning Application - Broomhill Cottage

Members referred to Minute No. 31 and requested that the Chairman also follow up the Parish Council's concern about the vehicular access to the proposed development.

b) Planning Appeal - Land adjoining the "Stores", Common Hill Road

The Clerk reported the receipt of a Notification of Appeal by Mrs Godsel against the Borough Council's refusal to permit the erection of a dwelling and two garages on land adjoining the "Stores". An informal Appeal would be heard on 8th November.

RESOLVED -

- 1) That the Department of the Environment be reminded that the Parish Council would have no objection to the proposals subject to there being adequate vehicular access and materials matching adjoining properties;
- 2) That the Department of the Environment be informed that the Parish Council consider the proposal to be an infill development in accordance with normally accepted guidelines; and
- 3) That the Parish Council be not represented at the informal hearing.

42. WAR MEMORIAL

Concern was expressed about the height of the kerb on the Braishfield Road side of War Memorial. This was considered to be excessive for people attending Armistice Day and Memorial Services.

RESOLVED -

- 1) That the Chairman investigate the cost of providing a permanent dropped kerb to the Memorial and that in the event of the cost of this work being excessive arrangements be made to provide a temporary facility for Armistice Day; and
- 2) That the Vicar be informed of the efforts being made.

43. FOOTPATHS

The Clerk reported the receipt of a letter from the County Rights of Way Office who had indicated that the footpath between Fernhill and Old Kennels was not a public right of way. The path had been deleted from the definitive map in 1954. It was possible for a claim to be made for the reinstatement of the path as a public right of way. The appropriate claim forms had been sent with the letter.

RESOLVED -

That J Musselwhite, the Parish Council's Footpath representative be informed of the position and requested to pursue the completion of the claim forms with local residents.

44. VILLAGE POND

RESOLVED -

- 1) That the Clerk contact the manufacturers of the Rawmat pond liner to obtain details of this product together with locations where the installation could be inspected; and
- 2) That Mr Basely who would be moving from the village shortly, be thanked for his considerable efforts towards the upkeep of the pond and the surrounding area.

45. PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS

RESOLVED -

That the following be paid:-

L Shelton - salary and expenses to date	£43.30
E Still - sign post repairs	£15.00