WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Winsham Parish Council meeting held in the Jubilee Hall on Friday, 9th August 1985 at 8.00 p.m.

Present: Mr R M Smart (in the Chair), Mrs M Loaring, Mrs R Rose, Mrs M Fowler, Mr D Woodward, Mr E Bannen, Mr C Slade, Mr V Chubb. Mr L Fisher (District) Councillor).

32. Apologies for absence.

Were received from Miss E Cleave.

33. Minutes.

The minutes of the meeting held on 12th July 1985 were signed as a true record.

34. Matters Arising.

Ref: Min: 21 - Farm Gate, Mr McCullum is away at present. Mr Woodward will contact re: sale of the Gate.

Ref: Min: 21 - Messrs P H Hardwill will be contacted by 'phone re: the Gatepost at the Cemetery Path.

Ref: Min: 21 - The Wyatt grave - the Clerk has written to Mrs Barclay

of Bournemouth re: this matter.

Ref: Min: 21 - A Cemetery Working Party will be fixed at the next meeting.

Street Fair Social Evening - this has been arranged for 18th October 1985. Mrs Rose volunteered to compile a Street Fair Scrapbook for retention in the Parish Council Records.

Emergency Planning - Mr Woodward said he was in regular communication with the H.Q.. The Emergency Planning Committee were active and had met at the Local School, which is the Emergency H.Q.

35. Planning.

An answer had been received re: Polythene type tunnel greenhouses. It was decided to leave this subject until a specific problem arose. 851351 - Caravan at Kingsfield Nursery, Winsham.

The Winsham Planning Committee do not approve of this proposed siting. Mr Fisher will provide a copy of the County Planning Committee's report on this application.

850330 - Erection of a Bungalow at Cherington, Court St., Winsham. The Conditions relating to the approval were read and discussed. With special reference to the clause on landscaping.

Caravan at Victory Garage - It was reported that this caravan is still sited and in residence. Mr Fisher will pursue this matter.

36. No 32 Western way Winsham.

Mr Fisher reported that no surrender of tenancy has been received and he still has the matter in hand, but it may take some time to resolve.

37. County Transport Plan.

The Plan will be discussed at the next meeting. In the meantime, the Councillors were invited to read the correspondence. Mr Woodward complained about heavy transport passing through Winsham en route to Bridport. Winsham Parish Council.

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Highways.

Ref: Min: 23 - The maps were not yet available but will be prepared in time for the next meeting.

Mr Fisher spoke on the proposed Axminster Bye Pass and suggested that adjacent Councils should interest themselves and keep an eye on the developments.

39. War Memorial.

It was stated that the nuisance is still there. The Police had stopped putting in an appearance and the damage to the Recreation Ground wall was getting worse. (NOTE - On the evening of the Parish Council meeting it was seen that 4 motorcycles were parked actually on the surround of the War Memorial. This was at 2210 hrs and the language being used by the 4 youths was disgusting!)

40. Play Equipment.

The Committee had met on site and decided on positions of the new equipment. Mr Slade will erect the equipment as soon as possible. A further report following an inspection of existing play equipment is to hand. It was decided that the chains of the swings are serviceable but would be checked during the erection of the new equipment. A branch of the oak tree in the Children's Recreation Ground has been broken and the Clerk volunteered to saw it off.

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The Committee will meet on Friday, 23rd August at 8.00 p.m. in the Sports and Social Club to fix a route. Mrs Loaring will organise the refreshments.

42. Clerk's Wages.

The Clerk had calculated the new rate and the back pay from July 1984. The new rate is £282. 80p per annum. The back pay is £27.80p. This was approved.

43 The Clerk said the Giro Accounts were still in confusion and he was doing his best to obtain clarification.

Receipts - £121. 19p. Recreation Ground Maintenance Grant.

Payments - It was approved to pay the Clerk's wages, amounting to £98.50p. The new rate plus £27:80p. back pay.

44. Correspondence.

Received: Details of the Boundary Commission.

Details of Recreation Grants.

45. Any other business.

Mr Fisher spoke on the subject of British Rail, suggesting the Southern Region route should be included on the Executive Timetable. Mr Fisher is in contact with the Wessex Water Authority re: sewage at Winsham.

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Any other business.

Mrs Fowler mentioned the dangerous pavement outside the Winsham Post

Office. This has been reported. She also reported the overhanging trees in Fore Street. This will be pursued.

Mrs Loaring asked for the Mini Bus Service to be included on the Agenda

for the September meeting.

Mr Harvie asked if the tree outside Mo 1 Davies Close could be trimmed. Mr Fisher said there were no plans to maintain existing trees.

The next meeting will be on Friday, 13th September 1935 in the Jubilee Hall at 8.00 p.m.