

JULY. 1934.

Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held at the School on the 2nd July, 1934.

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Regulations
1934.
Provisional
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Present:

Mr A. G. Baker - Chairman.
Messrs Burrows, Chairman, Monteith, Scott & the Clerk (Mr T Kelly).

I Apology for Absence.

An Apology for absence was received from Mrs M. C. Wyatt, & Mr W. Hey.

II Minutes of the last meeting.

The minutes of the last meeting were read, confirmed, & signed.

III The late Mrs Hey.

The Clerk was instructed to send a letter to Mr Hey & family — expressing the Council's sincere sympathy & regret at their bereavement.

IV Houses for lower paid Workers.

This question was postponed until the next meeting.

V Local Govt. 1939, Acts 1894 & 1933.

The Clerk was instructed to obtain copies of these Acts — for future reference.

VI Accounts for Payment.

Proposed by Mr Scott & seconded by Mr Burrows, "that the following accounts be passed for payment."

(I.) Messrs Shaw & Sons
Stationery.

£0-17-9.
Carried.

Audit
Regulations
1934.
Provisional
Regulations
of 29-5-34

The Clerk read to the Council the Min of Health Circular N° 1413 on the Audit of Accounts (order 78,788) with reference to the "Production of Accts", "Abstract of Accts", & the giving of public notice before, & after the Audit.

A. G. Baker.
Presiding Chairman.
3rd Sept. 1934.

AUGUST 1934.

The Council decided that no meeting should be held during the month of August, 1934.

A. G. Baker.
Presiding Chairman
3rd Sept. 1934.

SEPTEMBER, 1934.

OCTOBER

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Present.

Mrs A. G. Baker — Chairman.
Messrs Burrows, Chairman, Monteith.
Mrs Wyatt & the Clerk (T. Kelly).

I Minutes of the last meeting last meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read, confirmed & signed.

II New seat on Church Hill Road. The Clerk was instructed to write to the S. C. C. enquire if permission may now ^{be} given for the erection of this seat.

III Mr. W. Hey's resignation statement. A letter was read from Mr. Hey tendering his resignation as a member of the Council with effect from the 16th August, 1934.

IV New Member Proposed by Mr. Burrows & seconded by Mrs Wyatt "that Mr. H. Maynard be elected to fill the vacancy caused through Mr. Hey's retirement"

Carried Unanimously?

V Accounts for Payment Proposed by Mr. Burrows & seconded by Mr. Monteith "that the following debts be passed for payment
 (1) H. M. Stationery Office - £0.10-3
 Official Publications £0-0-0 } Carried
 (2) Clerks Salary for Qtr. ending 30/9/34
 A. G. Baker £0.10-0.
 1/10/34 Presiding Chairman

OCTOBER, 1934.

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Present

Mr A. G. Baker — Chairman.

Messrs Burrows, Chairman, Maynard, Monteith and the Clerk (T. Kelly).

Apology for Absence

An Apology for absence was received from Mrs M. C. Wyatt.

Minutes of the last meeting

The minutes of the last meeting were read, confirmed, & signed.

License to erect proposed by Mr Burrows and seconded by Mr. [unclear] on the side of Church Hill Rd at Tatsfield S. C. & the Tatsfield Parish Council to erect in the County of Surrey a seat on the side of Church Hill Road at Tatsfield in the County of Surrey". Cashed

Mrs Wyatt's letter drawing attention to signposts.

(1) A letter was read from Mrs Wyatt drawing attention to the misleading sign post at the junction of Budham Rd & Ricketts Hill.

The Clerk was instructed to write & inform Mrs Wyatt that the County Council had the matter of sign posts under consideration, & that the present dissection posts will shortly be replaced by a new design.

(2) Mrs Wyatt asked if something could be done to improve the present condition of Johns Road & the road connecting with Old Lane?

The Clerk to inform Mrs Wyatt "that as these two roads are not County Roads — the only remedy or alternative would be for the frontage owners to put them in a passable condition."

Continued.

(iii) Caravan & rubbish on Ninehams Rd. —

The Clerk to inform Mrs Wyatt "that the County Council have this matter in hand, and action will be taken soon to abate this nuisance."

(iv) Hitchcocks Corner & the narrow portion of Ricketts Hill - near Polesteeple : -

Proposed by Mr Maynard & sec'd by Mr Monteith "that the Clerk write to the County Council and ask if ^{the} question of the proposed improvements could not be expedited, also to point out that an accident occurred at Hitchcocks Corner quite recently, injuring three pedestrians".

Crossed

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Mrs Watson &
the widening of
of Budham Rd.
etc.

A letter was received from Mrs R. E. Watson complaining of the use of this narrow road by motorists & asking if something could be done to make the way safe for Women & Children etc : -

The Clerk was instructed to write to Mrs Watson & inform her that, as this road is not maintained by the County Highways Authority - the Parish Council regret that they can do nothing in the matter.

VI overgrown Hedge at the junction of Redhouse Rd. and Westmore Rd.

Proposed by Mr Maynard & sec'd by Mr Monteith "that The Clerk ~~was~~ ^{write} instructed to the owner, Mr Gillott, and request him to have the hedge cut ~~back~~ ^{so} as to provide a clear view round this corner" Crossed

VII
Footpath Committee

Proposed by Mr Monteith & sec'd by Mr Chairman "that Mr H. Maynard be elected to fill the

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enquiries, &c

continued

vacancy on the footpath Committee caused by the resignation of Mr Whay" Carried

Precept
£20. 6

Proposed by Mr Chairman & Seconded by Mr Maynard "that the Council issue a precept for £20 on the local rating authority (Godstone R.D.C) to meet the requirements of the Parish Council during the ensuing half-year (31-3-35)." Carried

Allotment
Rents.

The Clerk reported that the Allotment rents for the half-year ending 25th Sept 1934, amounting to £2-17-3 had been paid into the Bank at Westerham this day.

There are no outstanding rents.

Accounts
& payment.

Proposed by Mr Burrows & Sec'd by Mr Maynard "that the following Accounts be passed for payment: -

(1). Messrs Hadden Best & Co Ltd. Petty Cash &c
Stationery £0-4-3

(11). Titsey Estate Company.
Rent for Allotments - half-year
ending March 1934 £2-0-0.

Carried

Application
made for the
Parish

Mr Maynard asked if something could be done in the matter of providing a Playing Field for Games, Sports, &c. The Chairman said he would make enquiries & report to the Council in due course.

A. G. Baker.

Presiding Chairman
5th November - 1934.

NOVEMBER, 1934.

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Present

Mr A G Baker - Chairman

Mrs Wyatt, Messrs Burrows, Chairman,
Maynard, Scott & the Clerk (T Kelly).

I Recreation
Ground.

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II Letter Box

at junction of "1
Reg Hill and S
Parkwood Rd..

III Stiles on

footpath -
Ship Hill - to
Church & Church
to Croydon Rd.
(Clarks Lane).

IV.

Accounts for
Payment.

V New Seat on
Church Hill

The Clerk presented the Licence - duly executed - by the Clerk to the Survey Road. (Licence, C. C. stamped, giving authority for the & Tenders for). erection of this seat.

Proposed by Mr Scott & seconded by Mrs Wyatt "that the Clerk do obtain written tenders for the erection of a seat, similar to the one on Tatefield Green, from Messrs W. H. Brown, T. Elbourne, A Lupton & Sons, & W. J. Mudd".

Carried.

VI Ship Hill &
Polesteeple Hill
Improvements.

The Clerk was instructed to write again to the Highways Authority - S. C. Council, & inform them that the Parish Council hope there will be no delay in carrying out these improvements as they regard this question as a very urgent matter.

VII Hedge at the
junction of
Westmoor & Red-
house Rd's

Proposed by Mr Burrows & seconded by Mr Chairman "that the Clerk write to the Div'l Highways Surveyor, S. C. C.

Continued

& draw his attention to the overgrown state of this hedge, & request him to have the matter seen to at an early date" Carried.

Recreation Ground.

The Clerk to write to Secretary, Playing Fields Association, and ask for information as to the procedure with regards to provision of a "Playing Field" for the use of the Parish.

Letter Box
at junction of
Leg Hill and
Oakwood Rd.

Proposed by Mr Scott & See'd by Mr Burrows.
"That the Clerk write to the Head Postmaster, Sevenoaks, & ask if a letter box could be provided for the use of the inhabitants on these roads".

Carried.

Stiles on
footpath -
Ship Hill - to
Church & Church
Is bromdon Rd.
(Clarks Lane).

Proposed by Mr Maynard & See'd by Mrs Wyatt
"That the Clerk write to the Secretaries of Park Hill and Titey Estate Cos & request that the stiles on these footpaths be attended to (Steps in a bad condition)"

Carried.

Accounts for
payment.

Proposed by Mr Scott & See'd by Mr Burrows.
"That the following Accounts be passed for payment:

(1). Messrs Hookes Bros.

Stationery. £0-3-10.

(II). Surrey County Council.

Licensee, Stamp duty, & Acknowledgment

fee for Seat on Church Hill £0-6-0.

Register of Electors for 1934-35 £0-1-6

Carried.

A.G Baker.
Presiding Chairman
3rd Decr., 1934.

DECEMBER. 1934.

Defective
Stiles. Contd.

(b).

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IV Recreation
Ground.

I Minutes of the last meeting.

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II Seat on Church Hill Road (Tender)

Tenders for the making & erection of a new seat on Church Hill Road were received from the following: -

V Accounts
for payment.

Mr J Elbourne for the sum of £3-0-0.
Messrs Fugton Sons " " sums £3-15-6
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Proposed by Mr Burrows & seconded by Mr Scott "that Mr Elbourne's Tender for £3-0-0 be accepted." , Carried.

III Defective Stiles on certain footpaths.

(a). Stiles on footpath - Ship Hill to Church Hill Road: - A letter was received from Capt Thorpe stating that he was under the impression that the Parish Council are responsible for the upkeep of these stiles.

The Clerk was instructed to send copies of the correspondence to Mr Crowter, the County Divisional Surveyor, and inform him that the Parish Council do not accept any responsibility, & request him to take this question up with Capt Thorpe.

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Defective
Stiles. Contd.

(b). Proposed by Mrs Wyatt & Seconded by Mr Monteith "that the attention of Mr Brewster be drawn to the defective condition of two stiles on the footpath leading from Manor House to Johns Road & request him to have this matter seen to".

Carried

Recreation ground.

Correspondence was read from the Genl Secretary, Playing Fields Assoc.

This matter was deferred until the next meeting, to enable Mr Maynard to be present.

Accounts for payment.

Proposed by Mr Scott & Seconded by Mr Monteith "that the following accounts be passed for payment: -

(1). Clerk's Salary for Quarters ending 31-XII-34
Mr T. Kelly. £7-10-0.

Carried.

A. G. Baker.

Presiding Chairman
7th January 1935.