

TRAWDEN & WINEWALL NEIGHBOURHOOD COUNCIL

MEETING HELD IN THE COMMUNITY HALL, TRAWDEN, ON MONDAY, 23rd FEBRUARY 1987

Present: Mr D Robertson, Chairman,
Mmes F M Stone, B Robinson, M Waterworth,
Messrs D Haley, B Hodgson, H Halstead, E Hounslow and G Foulkes.
Councillor Alan Davies,
P.C.Lancaster,
Two members of the public,
Mr A Spencer, Colne Times,
Mrs N M Darcy, secretary.

1. APOLOGIES: None received.
2. MINUTES: Minutes of meeting held 26th January, 1987, approved and adopted.
3. MATTERS ARISING: Donations - a) Mr Haley asked about the proposed donation to the Play Group and the treasurer confirmed that a cheque for £15 had been sent to Mrs Madin,
b) Mr Lacey to be contacted to see if he has chosen a reference book for the school library.
Road at bottom of Dean Street - Repairs still not done to the road at the bottom of Dean Street, the secretary to contact the Borough Engineer again, and also the Gas Board re the hole near the bottom of Rock Lane.
Black Carr Mill - Previously reported that the wrong materials had been used in the construction of the industrial unit at Black Carr Mill but now reported that the Planning Committee have decided to accept the materials used.
Mire Ridge - A small section of the ditch above Windy Harbour has now been cleared following our recent complaint.
4. CORRESPONDENCE: Circular from Lancashire Parish and Town Councils.
Planning Application for erection of two dwellings on land off Roseley Street, Winewall, no objection to be made.
Notes from minutes of Council Meetings -
Tree Planting - £3000 has been allocated for 1986/7 and the following will be planted in Trawden:-
3 heavy standard trees on tram tracks,
2 heavy standard trees in children's playground,
3 trees between Community Hall and Library.
Trunk sewerage scheme - The laying of the new trunk sewerage scheme through Trawden has been delayed and is now expected to commence in April 1988.
Floodlighting - A grant has been made to Trawden Parish Church for floodlighting of the tower.
Polling places - Polling for Winewall will in future take place at the Methodist Church, Cottontree, instead of the Inghamite Chapel.
Finances - A sum of £1,000 has been allocated to Trawden Forest Parish Council.
5. PARISH COUNCIL: The Chairman said that as Councillor Davies was present he felt it was an opportune moment to discuss the formation of the new parish council. He explained the procedure for election and confirmed that there will be 10 members, six representing Trawden and four representing Cottontree, Winewall and Wycoller. Nomination papers can be obtained from the secretary, the Post Office, Trawden, and the Post Office, Cottontree, and must be received at Nelson Town Hall by noon on Monday, 6th April, the election to take place on Thursday, 7th May, 1987.
6. SOCIAL EVENTS: Dance - Arrangements finalised for the dance to be held in the Community Hall on the 28th March, 1987, and members were asked to telephone Mrs Stone on the evening of the 19th March to say how many tickets they had sold to give an idea of numbers for catering.
Show - A meeting of the Show committee was arranged for the 9th March at the Sun Inn.

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7. REVISION OF MINUTES: A reminder was given that a list of all outstanding items is to be compiled for the next meeting.
- Chelsea footpath - Mr Haley asked if anything had been done about the provision of a handrail on the Chelsea footpath and the secretary said she had passed on the request to the Pendle Re-employment Project Ltd.
- Finances - The treasurer reported that there is a balance of £84.09 in the bank and proposed that a donation should be made to our own Social Fund. Mr Haley was not in agreement and proposed that the balance should be handed over to the new parish council and this was seconded by Mr Hounslow. Mr Hodgson then proposed and Mrs Robinson seconded that a sum of £50 should be donated to the Village Show and, after discussion, a vote was taken and was carried by six to two in favour of the donation.
- Documents - Mr Haley proposed that all documents relating to the Neighbourhood Council should be held by the present officers and handed over at the first meeting of the Parish Council. The Chairman suggested that the secretaries of Barnoldswick and Barrowford should be asked what arrangements they are making about their records.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS: Mr Halstead said there is an epidemic of wall pushing taking place and P.C.Lancaster asked where it was happening and if there were any clues as to the identity of the offenders.

Mr Foulkes asked P.C.Lancaster if anything could be done about floodlighting on buildings adjacent to main roads which dazzle drivers and P.C.Lancaster said he would make enquiries.

P.C.Lancaster reported that efforts are being made to reduce road accidents and the following hazards were brought to his attention:-

- a) Speeding,
- b) The need for road markings at the junction of Church Street/Burnley Road/Colne Road,
- c) Dangers on bend at Cottontree Post Office because of parking,
- d) Dangers on bend at newsagents on Church Street because of parking,
- e) Danger on road below Gladstone Terrace.

Councillor Davies reported that the provision of a new bus terminus has been referred to the County Council Transportation Sub-Committee.

Mrs Waterworth said that the footpath from Ball Grove to Christ Church is badly overgrown and in need of tidying up. A letter to be sent to the Borough Engineer.

The meeting closed at 9-50 p.m.

Final meeting of Trawden & Winewall Neighbourhood Council to be held on the 30th March at 7-30 p.m.

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES
2. MINUTES
3. MATTERS ARISING
4. CORRESPONDENCE & PLANNING APPLICATIONS.
5. PARISH COUNCIL.
6. SOCIAL EVENTS - Dance and Village Show
7. REVISION OF MINUTES
8. WINDING UP OF NEIGHBOURHOOD COUNCIL.
9. ANY OTHER BUSINESS.