



Minutes of Reach Parish Council meeting held on; 5th January 1978

These Minutes were originally hand written and have been copied into this document reflecting the way the Minutes would have been presented in 2010. The original Minutes can be viewed upon request of the Clerk. Any significant changes from the original, including explanatory comments, are shown in square brackets.

Attendance

Mr Ray Folkes	Councillor	Present
Mrs Joyce Harrison	Councillor	Present
Mr Harvey Harrison	Councillor	Not Present
Mr Rodney Housden	Vice Chairman	Present
Mr Albert Johnson	Chairman	Present
Mrs Ann Jennings	Clerk	Present
Mrs Margaret Cook	District Councillor	Present
Mr Geoffrey Woollard	County Councillor	Present

1. Minutes of Previous Meeting

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and signed as correct.

2. [Fly-Tipping]

It was agreed that we should request a printed notice from Mr Townsend prohibiting parishioners disposing of rubbish on Straight Drove.

3. Encroachments

The Chairman reported that the councillors have made a tour of public highways, driveways and Rights of Way listing all the offenders and enabling the Clerk to reply to Mr Kisby's letter 1.11.77.

4. Correspondence

The Clerk read out a letter from Eastern Elect. Re Street Lighting Energy and Maintenance Charges and proposed tariff revision to apply from 1-4-78.

5. Cambs Structure Plan

The Clerk read out a letter from the County Planning Officer re structure plan and was requested to obtain a copy of a supplement to the Report of [Swivery?].

6. Planning Application

An application has been received from Mr C I Pote (kitchen extension, Moon and Sixpence) and this was approved.

7. Cheques

The following cheques were authorised and signed: Eastern Electric £21.97, Hobbs, King and Parr

£9.45, Petty Cash £5.

8. A.O.B.

Horse Dock: The Chairman reported that councillors had walked the Dock on 31-12-77 (Messrs Johnson, Folkes and Housden and Mrs Cook).

Best Kept Village Competition: Mrs Cook advised that she had made further enquiries as to why Reach had done so badly and went on to say that she had consulted the Chief Planning Officer who itemised certain features within the village that could be improved. It was agreed that another paragraph should be put in "Out of Reach" stating the wish that people try to be tidy-conscious and generally bear this in mind as judging will again take place in 5/6 months time.

There being no further business the Chairman declared the meeting closed.

Signed by: A W Johnson

Dated: 3rd February 1978