

Annual Parish Meeting May 17^H, 1974. at 8 p.m.
Held at The Village Hall, Walton-in-Gordano.

Present:- ^{Mrs} G. Russell (Chairman) K. Dilley (Vice Chairman) G. Rowles, ~~A. Cole~~
R. Knight.

Twenty Three Parishioners attended the Meeting.

Cheques were signed for:- S.W.F.B. £2.63p
Cornhill Insurance £4.70p.

Avon County Ass: of Local Councils £5.64p

H. Waygood:- £40. re: (Clearance of Footpaths.)

Clevedon Printing £3.

Items:- Raised by Parishioners :-

	1	A weight Restriction to Coast Road.
Mrs B. Knight	2	The Tree
Mrs G. Cooling	3	Speed Limit through Village
Mrs B. Cannell	4	Development of Dulsgate Airport.
Mrs B. Cannell	5	Cess pits & main Drainage; Coast.
Mrs. B. Knight	6	Conditions of Roads in Parish. The Road by the Tree in particular.
Mrs Brodie	7	Rubbish & stones etc, in the Brook & on the Banks of Same.

Replies:-

Item 1. The Chairman informed the Parishioners, that this matter, has, been taken up with Avon, by Paul Dean. M.P.

Item 2. Unfortunately the tree was unable to be saved, & had to be cut down, leaving the tree trunk, in the interest of safety.

Item 3. It was explained, that in spite of numerous requests, there was no support from the Police or otherwise. Reason given, that it was such a small stretch of road.

Item 4. The Council, did not wish for & would not support any proposal of Development.

Item 5. District Councillor John Daws has this matter in hand.

Item 6. The Highways Dept: had promised, that this was to be dealt with in this years programme.

Item 7. The Chairman informed the Parishioners, that this matter had been reported, many times. A letter was read from the Dept; as an example of the attitude ~~of~~ regarding, our

constant requests, for some action to be taken.
The Chairman informed the Parishioners, that a meeting would be convened, sometime after the Jubilee Celebrations, to discuss the cost of the event, also, if there is any surplus money, to receive suggestions regarding same.

The Chairman thanked all who attended the meeting.
The meeting was closed at 9.50 p.m.

B.M. Adkins

G.J.H. Russell

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CHAIRMAN

Walton - in - Gordano Parish Council :-

At a meeting held at The Village Hall, on Tuesday July 19th.

Councillors Present :- Messrs G. Russell (Chairman) N. Dille (Vice Ch.) A. J. Cole & G. Rowles. An apology was received from Cllr: R. Knight.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read & signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk informed the Council that the 1976-77 Audit has been completed satisfactorily.

Item 1 on

Church Path
Anadine to
golf House
Walton Bay
Badly
Overgrown

the Agenda :- Footpaths :- Mr H. Waygood has undertaken to cut them in good order again this year. It was specified that he does this at least twice, at a fee of £40. The Clerk was instructed to contact Mr Waygood, requesting that he cleared the footpaths, ~~at~~ the first priority, being the very overgrown footpath by the Church. All footpaths to be cleared at least by July 31st. The second clearance should be September - October. Mr Waygood was to be informed, that if he finds difficulty to complete this work at the correct times, he was to inform the Council. When enquiries would be made to find another suitable person.

Item 2 ✓
Requie

Footpath signs :- It has been observed that a sign at the rear of Brighton Cottage & the sign leading to the Common. The Clerk was to inform the Dept?

Item 3.

Overgrown Verges :- At Walton Bay, the Coast Road & Moor Lane, causing a dangerous situation to pedestrians. This to be reported to the Dept.

Item 4.

It has been observed that in the Lay by opposite the Signal Station, there are Plastic Bags containing Tins Bottles & Stones etc. This has been ignored by the collectors. The Department was to be informed.

Item 5 ✓

In spite of a previous inspection & Ban by the Health Dept, apparently Refuse & effluent has still been disposed of on to the foreshore, at the rear of (Ross's) Caravan Site. A request for inspection was to be forwarded to the Dept.

- Item 6. ✓ Mr Russell has received a request, from Mrs Wills, regarding the Plane-Tree at the front of the Manor. The request is that a Preservation Order be made to protect this tree.
- Item 7. ✓ In spite of numerous requests for repairs to the Coast Road. There are still very bad pot-holes in the vicinity of Susan Lea & Mrs Pugsley's cottage. Another request for action was to be lodged to the Dept.
- Item 8. A letter of thanks was to be forwarded to Mr Penn, thanking him for Phase I to the drains at Walton Bay, & a possible date for Phase II to be carried out. Unfortunately due to the recent farming, in heavy rainfall, water is bypassing the Gullies. The Council suggest minor revisions to falls, all suggested that someone could inspect the site, in a heavy rainfall, to see exactly what happens. Apparently this situation is affecting Residents further up the road from Mr Rowles' property. This situation is causing him some embarrassment.
- Item 9 The Clerk was requested to leave the meeting, in order that the Councillors could discuss a revision regarding the Honorarium.
- The Decision taken was for 1977-78. as follows.
- £55 per Annum (£5 increase)
- approx 19p per week An Allocation of £10 per year allowance for use of home as Office.
- approx 19p per week An Allocation of £10 per year allowance for use of telephone.
- A Cheque was signed £14.0.4p (Audit Fee)
- It was decided that any Elector attend the meetings from 7.15pm - 7.30pm. if they wish to draw the Council's attention to any subject they wish to be attended to by the Councillors.
- The meeting closed at 8.45pm.

G. J. N. Russell
13.9.77.
B.M. Adkins

Walton-in-Gordano Parish Council :-

At a meeting held in the Village Hall on Tuesday September 13th 1977.

Full Council :- Councillors Present :- Messrs G. Russell (Chairman) N. Delley (Vice Chairman) R. Knight, A. J. Cole & G. Rowles.
Also present District Councillor :- Mr H. Riddiford.

- Items on the Agenda
- 1 Village Notice Board requires attention,
 - 2 The Clearance of Footpaths.
 - 3 Pot Holes on the Highway.
 - 4 Trees in Moor Lane Touching the cables overhead,
 - 5 A Tree blown down.
 - 6 The Fencing to The Coastal Path is considered to be dangerous.

The Clerk was instructed to contact the suppliers of the Notice Board regarding the necessary repairs.

2 To contact Mr Waygood regarding the Footpaths. It was suggested that due to his own occupation, Mr Waygood may be finding it difficult to spare the time to continue clearing the footpaths. Mr Bob Archer has made a request, that he undertakes the clearance of the paths. The Council would consider this request, after Mr Waygood has been approached.

3 The Highway Dept: were to be contacted, with another request for action, also a suggestion that at least a warning notice regarding the pot holes, be erected in the area.

4 S.W.E.B. were to be contacted.

5 Mr H. Riddiford undertook to ask Mr John Flowers, to remove the tree from the road side.

6 A request to the Dept: requesting action as soon as possible.

Cheques were signed for :- G.P.R.E. £1 subscription. Signed B.M. S.W.E.B. £2.70p Clubs Honorarium & Expenses. £40.97p.
The meeting closed at 8.45pm.

G.J.M. Russell
B. Madhira CHAIRMAN 15/11/77

Walton - in - Gurdano Parish Council :-

At a Meeting held in the Village Hall, on
Tuesday 15th November 1944.

Present:- Messrs G. Russell (Chairman) K. Dilley (Vice Chairman)
R. Knight & G. Rowles. An Apology for absence was
received from Mr G.J. Cole.

Matters arising:- Mr Knight reported to the Council, the state
of one area of Moor Lane, (The first Bend)
on which, after heavy rainfall, the water cannot drain
away. The Clerk was instructed to contact Mr Penn,
a suggestion to be proposed, the possibility of a
gully to be cut into the bank of the Brook.

Other matters, to be reported to the appropriate
Depts: 1. The extreme urgency of some attention to
the Coast Road, particularly the Pot Hole near
"Sylvanlea"

2. Attention is required to the Coastall Footpaths, as
it is considered a hazard in its present state.

3. The Public Footpaths signposts, which have already
been reported, with a request for attention.

4. Sir William Miles was to be contacted, regarding
some trees, which have Dutch Elm Disease.

5. The Clearance of Footpaths was discussed. It was agreed,
that a more permanent arrangement, regarding the
maintenance was required. The possibility of advertising, for
a suitable person, was suggested.
The Council decided to defer this matter, for
review in 1948.

Cheques were signed for: 1. S.W.E.B. £2.85p. 2.
Shaw & Sons - £1.03p.

The meeting closed at 8.30pm.

G. J. H. Russell
CHAIRMAN.

17.1.78.

B. M. Arkema

At a Meeting held in the Village Hall, on Tuesday 14th January 1948.

Present:- Full Council & Mr H. Riddiford (District Councillor).

Matters Arising:- 1 The Deterioration of The Parish Notice Board. Councillor G. Rowles, was asked to attend to this item & report his findings to the next meeting.

2 The Parish Precept was set at £210 for 1948-49.

3 It was agreed that an advertisement be placed in the Clevedon Mercury, inviting applications for a person to undertake the clearance of the Parish Footpaths.

4 The Council were concerned regarding the Planning Applications applied for, by Mr Wills of The Manor House. The Council questioned the reason for requiring further garages to the property, considering that there are adequate garages existing.

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The major concern is:- that as the Manor is such a focal point in the village, any alterations to the existing area, be in keeping with the environment of the Parish. The Clerk was instructed to write to the Director of Planning, stating the Council's views. Mr H. Riddiford was requested to act on the Council's behalf.

5 It has been reported to the Council, that due to a planning application No. 3083/47 Hilltest Limited at Conygar Quarry Norton's Wood Lane, for a Scrap Yard. The Parish of Walton-in-Gordano is being affected, as large lorries carrying scrap cars etc. are using the Parish's roads to convey their loads to this quarry. This is very detrimental to our Parish. Mr. H. Riddiford was requested to convey these objections on behalf of The Parish Council.

6 Councillor Rowles expressed his observations & concern for the area:- From the junction of Two Acres Walton Bay - to Nightingale Valley, 1 Water still continues to remain on the the road. 2 There have been 3 accidents in the area of the Telephone Kiosk recently & he envisage many more. 3 The Traffic flow has & is still increasing at a very considerable rate. It appears that the whole of the Coast

Road is now a short cut to the M.5.

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The Community in the area is enlarging rapidly, plus increasing number of Vehicles. In view of refusal by the Dept: for any traffic control, a request was to be made to the Dept: for road improvements, in this area. Councillor Rowles suggested the re-siting of the Telephone Kiosk, as the present site is a definite blind spot, plus being used by heavy Drivers, Coaches & Buses, causing greater hazards!

Cheques were signed for: S.W.E.B. Dec a/c £2.87p Clevedon Printing Ltd £5.94p. Hire of Village Hall £13..

B.M. Adkins Clerk.

G.J.M. Russell
CHAIRMAN. 4.4.78