

MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING held at the Ashford Road Social Club House, Ashford Road, Thanington Without, on Monday, 9th March, 1981 at 8 pm

PRESENT: Councillors Mr. C. Day, Mr. E. Kite, Mr. W. Knott, Mr. A. R. Palmer, Mesdames M. Kite, V. Sanders, Miss S. Knott.

APOLOGIES: None.

CHAIRMAN: Councillor Mr. A. R. Palmer.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING were confirmed and signed.

MATTERS ARISING:

POTHOLES IN ASHFORD ROAD: No reply to our letter and a further letter to be sent.

BY-PASS: In reply to our letter to the City Engineer with reference to the provision of a bulk-head type of light over the footpath in the bridge in Hollow Lane, he stated that no lighting is to be provided by the contract for the by-pass project. Seaboard asked to give some indication of the cost of laying a service to the bridge, but as there are no existing supply cables the cost to provide an overhead service would be in the region of £1,000 and twice that amount for an underground service. Noted.

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY POLES ON ASHFORD ROAD: Seaboard inform us that all supply poles have been surveyed and out of a total of 39 poles, eight were noted to be nearing the end of their useful life. Noted.

STUPPINGTON LANE: No reply received to our letter re potholes.

TONFORD LANE: No reply received to our letter re potholes.

PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS: Miss Eyles (Clerk) two third telephone rental £7.66. Proposed by Councillor Mrs. V. Sanders, seconded by Councillor Miss S. Knott and carried, that this be paid.

CORRESPONDENCE:

Seaboard - Public Lighting Record. Noted.

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PLANNING APPLICATIONS. None applicable.

KENT ASSOCIATION OF PARISH COUNCILS. County Circular No. '98. Item 9 - General Development Order. Noted.

Kent Conservation Bulletin, Kent Way Mark, Future of Local Government, Best Kent Village Competition, Trees in the Village competition, Double Rating. Noted.

General Rate notice posted on P.C. Notice Board.

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING: Monday, 27th April, Ashford Road Social Club. 7.30 pm

ANY OTHER BUSINESS: There was none.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Monday, 13th April, 1981 at 8 pm.

There being no other business the meeting was closed.

*A. R. Palmer*  
13<sup>th</sup> April  
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