

CHELVESTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of an Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 10th January 1989 at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Hall.

Present: Cllrs. Mr A N Morris
Mr W T Gracey
Mrs S E Smyth
Mr R A Knight
Mr M L Foulger
Mrs P M Hughes

District Cllrs. Mr H Binder
Mrs G Murdin

Clerk Mr D Lardner

Apologies for Absence : Cllr Mr D E Hughes

The Minutes of the previous meeting held on Tuesday 8th November 1988, having been previously circulated, were confirmed as being correct subject to Planning Application (page 242) should read 'water' and not 'waste' and signed by the Chairman.

The Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on Monday 14th March 1988, having been previously circulated, here confirmed as being correct and signed by the Chairman.

Matters arising from the Minutes 8.11.881. Street Cleansing

The Meeting was advised that there was not much evidence of Street Cleansing in the area and in particular to rubbish which had been allowed to accumulate at Bidwell. The clerk to write again to ascertain the exact dates and frequency of 'Street Cleansing'.

2. T.P.O. Willow Trees

No reply yet received.

3. T.P.O. 119 dated 27.4.72.

The general concensus of opinion was that the tree was not rotten and the Clerk was to write to the E.N.D.C. advising of the Councils opinion and requesting details of the nature of replacement and when the work was to be carried out and whether or not the District Council would have to approve of the replacements.

4. Scaffolding - Village Store

The scaffolding has now been removed.

5. Car abandoned in Sawyers Crescent

The Clerk confirmed that he had telephoned Wellingborough Police Station and spoke to P.C. Shortland concerning the above and that appropriate action had subsequently been taken.

M. J. Lardner
13/1/89

6. Vandalism

A 'handout' in connection with the above had been printed and would be delivered to each household in the Village.

7. Pot hole in Water Lane outside Apiary Cottage

It was requested the Clerk again write to Highways in connection with the above matter and also the general condition of the road/footpath in Sawyers Crescent and between the Ford and A45.

8. Local Government Finance Act

Details of the above given to meeting with details of public meetings to be arranged. The Clerk was to write to advise that the Village Hall would be available for a venue for Public consultation with a member of the Treasurers Dept and that they should contact Cllr M L Foulger.

Current Correspondence1. Star & Garter - Transfer of Licence

No objection to the transfer of the Justices Licence in respect of the above premises.

2. Winter Gritting Routes

Details given to the Meeting re: the above and copies of the above to be sent to Cllrs. Mr M L Foulger and Mrs S E Smyth.

3. Operation Spring Clean 1989

Details of the above given to the Meeting. A Do-It-Yourself exercise!

4. Heritage Services : Local History News : Village Viewpoint

The above publications were distributed to Parish Councillors.

5. Post Office

A letter received from the W.I. requesting that further representations be made to the Post Office with a view to readvertising the position of Sub Postmaster/Postmistress. The Clerk to write further to the Post Office enclosing a copy of letter received from Mrs Foulger.

Planning MattersThe following applications were received out of meeting

1. Extension of existing sand and gravel workings, Stanwick.
2. EN/88/1122 Notification application refused
3. EN/88/1338 Erection of single dwelling land adjacent Greenacres
Observations made. Subsequent notification application refused. Letter from Builder requesting 'on site' meeting. Clerk to write to advise that such a meeting would not be beneficial.

W. G. Foulger
11/01

4. EN/88/1352 Improvements to Married Family Housing Units.
No observations
5. EN/88/1351 Erection of house adjacent to Woodlands, Chelveston.
Observations made re: certain aspects of Application.
6. EN/88/1424 Change of use from Fallow Land at rear 3 Britten Close.
Observation that Fallow land should not be used for additional development.
7. EN/88/1460 First Floor Extension, Ford Cottage, Water Lane
Observation re: restricting light to adjacent premises.
Further notification that Application refused.

Stree Lighting

There were no problems reported to the Meeting.

A45 Higham Ferrers - Chelveston

The Meeting was advised that a 'hole has developed' at Bidwell. The Clerk was requested to write to Highways.

Brook Pollution

No problems at present.

Anglian Water Authority

No reply received in connection with the Roadworks.

Accounts

The following account was passed for payment.

Society of Local Council Clerks - Subscription	£11.00.
<i>G. Murdin</i>	
<i>Poppy Wreath</i>	£ 15.00
<u>PRECEPT 1989/90</u>	

The estimates of receipts and payments for the Financial years ending 31st March 1989, having been previously circulated, were discussed.

It was agreed that the Chairman's Allowance would remain at £65.00 and Free Twopence be increased to £420. A precept to be raised in the sum of £2300.

Any Other Business

Cllr. Mrs S E Smyth advised that the Footpath on Kimbolton Road corner was in need of repair. Highways to be informed.

Cllr Mr R A Knight advised that the metal railings on the New Bridge on the A45 were in need of repair. Highways to be informed.

Cllr. Mr M A Foulger wished to advise the Meeting that trees had been planted in Britten Close : Duchy Close : piece of land between Chapel and Pub by the W.I. Permission had been obtained from Highways.

Cllr. Mr W T Gracey that problems still existing at Bidwell near to Duchy Farm and Cllr. R A Knight would have 'another word'.

H. J. Moore
12/89

The Meeting was advised that Sawyers Charity had donated £20 per household at Christmas (Senior Citizens).

There being no other business the meeting closed at 9.20 p.m. after it had been ascertained that the date of the next meeting being the ANNUAL PARISH MEETING will be held at 7.00 p.m. on Tuesday 14th March 1989 in the Village Hall immediately followed by an Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council.

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14/3/89

CHELVESTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on Tuesday 14th March 1989 at 7.00 p.m. in the Village Hall.

Present: Cllrs. Mr A N Morris
Mr M L Foulger
Mrs P M Hughes
Mr W G Gracey
Mr D E Hughes
Mr R A Knight

Two members of Public: Mrs Foulger : Mrs Rogers

Clerk Mr D Lardner

Apologies for absence: Cllr. Mrs S E Smyth

The Minutes of the previous Annual Parish Meeting held on Monday 14th March 1988, having previously been approved on 10.1.89. were circulated and it was pointed out that Mrs Foulger attended the Meeting on 14th March 1988 and her name should be included on the list of those present.

Matters arising from those MinutesPost Office

The Womens Institute indicated that it was keen to continue to 'Fight' for the provision of a Post Office in the Village.

Chairmans Report

Activity during my year as Chairman has been quite high, not least due to the large number of Planning applications which have come to the attention of the council.

Planning matters aside, I would like to mention several activities which have occurred.

The Horse Chestnut tree has been cut back and tidied up and treated with chemicals to help preserve its lift. This should ensure that the Chestnut remains a centre of the village for some time. Sadly another important village landmark was lost during the year when the Redwood tree in the High Street was cut down after the protection order was removed.

Other restoration work put in hand includes the Council deciding, after taking advice, to treat the War Memorial with a stone preservative in the Summer.

Vandalism became a topic for concern in the village and a letter had to be prepared and sent to all families.

There has been no progress with the Post Office and regrettably the village is still without this amenity.

10/3/89

A highlight of the year was the visit by overseas airmen and reception at Bede House. This was a very enjoyable evening.

I would like to thank my fellow councillors for their help during the year, and to our Clerk, David Lardner, for all his help and support.

Accounts

The abstract from the accounts of the Chelveston Parish Council as audited and found correct by the District Auditor on 8th June 1988 was circulated to the meeting and approved.

Any other business

It was requested that the Clerk again write to the Area Surveyor pointing out that the 'line markings' outside the Golf Club had not yet been corrected.

It was also requested that a letter be written concerning the 'encroachments' of footpaths in particular the footpath from Caldecott into Chelveston.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 7.24 p.m. and was immediately followed by an Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council.

W. Lardner
11.2.89

CHELVESTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of an Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 14th March 1989 at 7.24 p.m. in the Village Hall.

Present: Cllrs. Mr A N Morris
Mr M L Foulger
Mrs P M Hughes
Mr W G Gracey
Mr D E Hughes
Mr R A Knight
Mrs S E Smyth

District Cllrs. Mrs G Murdin

Two Members of the Public: Mrs Foulger : Mrs Rogers

Clerk Mr D Lardner

Apologies for absence: District Cllrs. Mr H Binder
Mr D Lawson

The Minutes of the previous meeting held on Tuesday 10th January 1989, having been previously circulated, were confirmed as being correct subject to the addition in Accounts -

Mrs G Murdin Poppy Wreath £15.00 and signed by the Chairman

Matters arising from those Minutes1. Street Cleansing

No further replies received. Concern was shown in relation to the disgusting 'state of affairs'. District Cllr. Mr H Binder to take the matter up with Environmental Services.

2. T.P.O. 119

The Council was advised that there had been no reply to our letter dated 3rd February 1989. To write further requesting a reply to that letter requesting details of replacement. To send by way of recorded delivery.

3. T.P.O. Willow Trees

Letter received from E.N.D.C. advising that the requirement was considered by the Planning Committee in September and as they were not considered to be of especial amenity value it was agreed that it would not be appropriate to make an Order at the present time.

W.L.M.
11.7.89

4. Community Charge

A letter had been sent to E.N.D.C. advising on the availability of the Village Hall and Cllr Mr M L Foulger indicated that the hall had been booked for Friday 21st April 1989 3.00 p.m. - 7.00 p.m. It was agreed that the cost of hire of the Hall would be met by the Parish Council.

5. Highway Matters

A letter had been received from the Area Surveyor in reply to our letter dated 3rd February advising that our complaints had been noted and would be dealt with in due course.

6. Post Office

A reply was received from the Post Office advising that they are happy to re-advertise the Subpostmaster vacancy and supplying notices where appropriate. It was agreed at the meeting that the Parish Council would not subsidise the Post Office.

Current Correspondence1. Public rights of way

Letter received advising on new working arrangements on the County Councils responsibilities on Public Rights of Way. Andrew Woodin has taken up his duties in this area and is based at the Area Surveyor's Office in Kettering.

2. Postal Numbering

Details received concerning the Postal numbering at 5 & 7 Water Lane, Chelveston.

3. Smoke Detectors

Details received from the County Fire Officer concerning the above together with a number of leaflets.

4. Register of Electors

An up to date Register of Electors was received from E.N.D.C. and the Clerk was requested to obtain copies for all Parish Councillors.

5. Best Kept Village

Details of the above competition sponsored by Calor Gas Ltd were given to the meeting and it was agreed that no entry would be made.

6. Chairmans Day

Details of the Chairmans Day at N.A.L.C. on 8th April given to the meeting. Cllrs. Mr A N Morris and Mr W T Gracey advised they were unable to attend.

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7. Concessionary Fares Scheme 1989/1990

Details of the above scheme given to the Meeting

8. Rural Area Study

A letter received from E.N.D.C. enclosing for information and comment a copy of the above draft policy document which represents an important introduction to an intended detailed appraisal of each village. The document to be circulated and commented on at next Meeting.

The following were distributed amongst the Councillors for circulation :

Public Safety Information Bill
'Grey Book'
Capital and Revenue Estimates 1989-1990
Planning Bulletin No 3
E.M.E. Consultative Council Report 1988

Planning MattersThe Following applications were received out of meeting

1. EN/88/1654 Siting of Mobile Caravan at 6 Pretoria Cottages
No observations
2. EN/88/1469 Detached house and double garage "The Cottage"
Caldecott
No observations
3. EN/89/5 5 First time buyer homes and 4/5 bedroom dwelling
Sawyers Crescent
Observations made re: parking and turning
vehicles
4. EN/88/800 Replacement Garage with Flat over 1 - 3 Water
Lane
Letter received from Planning in connection
with above and advising why permission was
granted following earlier refusal under Plan
EN/88/412
5. EN/88/1546 Erection of Dwelling land adj. Manor Farm Cottage
A letter was received from Planning advertising
that notice of the above application had been
sent to the Clerk on 20.12.88. The Council's
Planning Committee refused the Application
on 18.1.89.

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11.7.89

6. EN/89/C/DGL/HLW Extension of Existing Workings A.R.C.
Stanwick

Letter written stating that the Council is anxious that the 'restoration' work is completed as soon as possible.

Street Lighting

Cllr Mr M L Foulger confirmed that E.M.E. advised that street lighting at junction Bidwell/Caldecott out of order.

A45 Higham Ferrers - Chelveston

Flooding is continuing on A45 near to Bidwell after heavy rain plus pothole appearing. Clerk to write to Area Surveyor.

Brook Pollution

The brook is fairly clear at present.

Anglian Water Authority

Contents of letter received from A.W.A. concerning roadworks given to the meeting. The work was hoped to be completed within two weeks (from 17th Jan) following which the old pipework will be completely disconnected. Every effort will be made to complete with the minimum of disruption.

Accounts

The following account was passed for payment out of meeting.

E M Electricity	Quarterly Accounts	£615.72.
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The following accounts were passed for payment

D Lardner	Salary & expenses	£ 88.63
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Village Hall	Hire of Hall	£ 26.00
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Any other Business

Cllr Mr D Hughes had received complaints of noisy motor cyclists in the field at rear of the Pub. No action to be taken at this stage.

Cllr Mr R A Knight agreed to speak with Keith Carr and Graham Hill concerning 'mud on road'. Possible dispute with A.W.A. concerning drain blocked outside Duchy Farm - block 2 years.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.50 p.m. after it had been ascertained that the date of the next Meeting being the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council, when a Chairman is elected, will be held at 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday 9th May 1989 in the Village Hall.

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CHELVESTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 9th May 1989 at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Hall.

Present:	Cllrs:	Mr M L Foulger Mrs P M Hughes Mr W G Gracey Mr R A Knight Mr A N Morris Mrs S E Smyth
	Clerk	Mr D Lardner

Apologies for Absence: None received

Election of Chairman

Nominations were invited for the position of Chairman of the Parish Council for the coming year.

Mr W G Gracey was nominated by Mrs P M Hughes and seconded by Mr R A Knight. There being no other nominations for this position Mr W G Gracey was unanimously elected to serve as Chairman for the year 1989/90.

Election of Vice Chairman

Nominations were invited for the position of Vice Chairman of the Parish Council for the coming year. Mrs P M Hughes was nominated by Mr R A Knight and seconded by Mr M L Foulger. There being no other nominations for this position Mrs P M Hughes was unanimously elected to serve as Vice Chairman for the year 1989/90.

The Minutes of Annual Parish Meeting held on Tuesday 14th March 1989 having previously been circulated, were confirmed as being correct and are to be signed by the Chairman when the originals are available - at present with the District Auditor.

The Minutes of Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 14th March 1989 having previously been circulated, were confirmed as being correct and are to be signed by the Chairman when the originals are available - at present with the District Auditor.

Matters arising from those Minutes1. Street Cleansing

A letter was received from E.N.D.C. advising that the Village was receiving the service twice monthly using an alternating manual and mechanical method. No precise regular day is allocated.

2. T.P.O. 41

A letter was received from E.N.D.C. advising that the 'replacement tree' is required to be of the same or similar species to the original tree as approved by the Authority. Enforcement procedures

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are available should they be required.

The Council was advised that an application had been made to E.N.D.C. to fell the Wellingtonian Tree on the frontage of 14 High Street, Chelveston. A 'meeting' of the local residents requested that representations be made to E.N.D.C. advising that the consensus of opinion was such that the tree should not be removed. A copy of the letter was sent to all members of the Planning Committee. It was agreed that the Council would pay for an Independent Tree Surgeon Report and hire of Hall for the meeting.

3. Community Charge

Publicity Posters in respect of the above have been displayed on Parish Notice Board.

4. Post Office

The position had been advertised but there has been no response.

5. Highway Matters

It was noted by Cllrs that there had been an improvement in relation to gully clearing and overgrown grass on footpaths being removed. The Clerk was requested to write to the Area Surveyor noting the above and advising of the Councils appreciation.

Current Correspondence

1. Election of County Councillors

Notice of election displayed on Parish Notice Board.

2. Payment of Rates

Poster in connection with above displayed on Parish Notice Board.

3. Election of County Councillors - Notice of Poll

Above notice displayed on Parish Notice Board.

4. D.H.S.S. - Local Information Officer

Details of the above given to meeting and the letter taken by Cllr Mr M L Foulger to give to the Village Hall Committee.

5. Local History News

The above publication was handed in at the Meeting and to be circulated amongst Cllrs.

6. European Parliamentary Election

Notice of above Election displayed on Parish Notice Board.

Planning Matters - out of meeting

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11.7.89

1. Proposed Diversion - Public Footpath

No observations made.

2. EN/89/88 Change of use of Domestic Bungalow to Clubhouse/Changing Room Rushden Golf Club.

No observations made.

3. EN/89/337 Conversion of Existing Farm Buildings to Light and General Industrial Use and Office Use. Poplars Farm, Caldecott.

A letter was written expressing Councils concern to parking and suggested Light Industrial Use only.

Street Lighting

No comments or observations made.

A45 Higham Ferrers/Chelveston

No comments or observations made.

Brook Pollution

It was generally felt by the Meeting that the brook was not 'too bad' but has 'off days'.

Anglian Water Authority

The meeting was satisfied with the progress as at present.

Rural Area Study

In reply to E.N.D.C. letter concerning the above the Clerk was requested to reply advising that the Council totally opposed to the development of the area adjacent to the Public House and any further extension of the Duchy Close Estate.

Accounts

The following accounts were passed for payment out of meeting :

1.	E.M.E.B.	Quarterly account	£217.24
2.	Cornhill Insurance	Annual Premium	30.00.
3.	N.A.L.C.	Subscriptions	59.20.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

1.	A.N. Morris	Chairmans Allowance	65.00.
2.	N.A.L.C.	Spring Conference Fee	6.00.
3.	B. Horne	Tree Surgeon's Report	23.00.

Any Other Business

Cllr Mrs S E Smyth requested confirmation that there was a T.P.O. on the tree in the School House garden.

WICK
12/5/89

Cllr Mr R A Knight advised the meeting that the 'pipes' were blocked in Water Lane - Bidwell 'on the bend'. Richard Reed to be advised by Cllr Mr W Gracey. Cllr Mr M L Foulger advised the meeting that the gulley at Water Lane and Hillside is 'breaking up'. Cllr. Mr W Gracey to contact Richard Reed. Cllr Mr M L Foulger wondered if any of the Cllrs. had seen anything of 'operation Springclean' 22/30 April 1989. Cllr Mr A N Moris had spoken to Enforcement Officer who was to check out whether or not there was access from the layby into the back of 5 Britten Close.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.55 p.m. after it had been ascertained that the date of the next Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council is scheduled for 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday 11th July 1989 in the Village Hall.

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12/5/89

CHELVESTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Present: Cllrs: Mrs P M Hughes
Mr D E Hughes
Mr A N Morris
Mr M L Foulger
Mr W T Gracey
Mrs S E Smyth

Clerk: Mr D Lardner

Apologies for Absence: Cllrs: Mr R A Knight
County Mr D C Lawson
Cllrs: Mr H O Binder
Mrs G Murdin

The Minutes of Annual Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 9th May 1989 having been previously circulated were confirmed as being correct and signed by the Chairman.

Matters arising from those Minutes1. Street Cleansing

A letter was received from the E.N.D.C. referring to their letter dated 4th April suggesting that if there were any further queries to contact Mr Seery on extension 142. The street cleansing of village was satisfactory at present but Cllrs would 'keep an eye' on the situation.

2. Highways Matters

Cllr Mr W T Gracey advised the Meeting that he had had a meeting with Mr Read. They looked into the problems of the ford and Mr Read promised to get the blockage cleared. He has no budget to install larger pipes, apparently this is a 'large' undertaking.

The break up of the gully at the junction of Water Lane/Hillside was noted.

The drain at Bidwell turn, damaged when the new water pipes were installed, was noted.

The blocked drain at the Bidwell junction on the A45 was discussed and the double white lines from here to beyond the Golf Club entrance is being attended to.

A footpath extension past The White House and Mr and Mrs Lines House to include the two new houses up to Holpin's on the A45 will be considered - if funds allow. It may have to be done in stages - if the budget won't allow 'one go'.

Perhaps the most important discussion at our meeting was the possibility of a speed limit through Chelveston. It was discussed at length and Mr Read felt the Council now have a case but of course it is subject to planning and therefore objection(s) by others. It may take up to a year to go through the various stages and the 'limits' would begin roughly where the Chelveston signs are on the main roads into the village and somewhere around Hall View on Water Lane.

3. Community Charge

A further poster was received from E.N.D.C. concerning the above and was displayed on the Parish Council Notice Board.

4. Rural Area Study

A letter was received from E.N.D.C. confirming they had received our letter outlining our comments and observations.

5. Post Office

No further developments.

6. Rear Access - 5 Britten Close

A letter was received from E.N.D.C. advising that there was no evidence of a 'formal closure' of the 'track' in relation to the above.

The Clerk was requested to write to the E.N.D.C. to advise that a personal assurance had been given by Mr Seery that there would be no access whatsoever from the layby into any part of the Estate.

Current Correspondence1. Planning and Transportation Dept.

A letter was received from the Northamptonshire County Council detailing changes in the organisation and structure of the County Councils Planning and Transportation Department.

2. European Parliamentary Election

Notice of Poll received from the Borough Council of Wellingborough in connection with the above.

3. A45 Northampton to St Neots Road

A letter was received from Planning and Transportation Dept. in connection with the above and in particular the 'Chelveston Bends Improvement Scheme'. Details of land ownership forwarded to the Dept.

4. District Council Official Guide

Notification that the 1990 Guide is in the process of being compiled.

5. Local Council Review : Soc. Local Council Clerks Journal : County Structure Plan

The above publications were distributed amongst the Councillors for perusal.

Planning Matters

The following planning applications were received 'out of meeting'.

1. EN/89/388 - Dwelling with garage land adj. 6 Raunds Road, Chelveston

A letter was written expressing Councils concern over the above application

W.C.M.

2. EN/88/1338 Land adjacent Greenacres

Notification received that Homeview Builders have lodged an Appeal against the District Councils refusal of planning permission in respect of the above.

3. EN/89/496 Conversion of Barns, Chelveston Road, Stanwick

No observations made

Street Lighting

Faults in relation to the above had been reported by Cllr. Mr M L Foulger.

A45 Higham Ferrers - Chelveston

No observations made in connection with the above.

Brook Pollution

In general the condition of the brook is satisfactory.

Anglian Water Authority

The meeting was advised that the Gas Board had now 'dug up' the work done by the ~~Gas Board~~ A.W.A

The Clerk was requested to write to the Anglian Water Authority requesting them to advise when the verges between Upper Higham Land and R.A.F. Chelveston would be finished.

Accounts

The following accounts were passed for payment 'out of meeting'.

1.	E.M.E.B.	Repairs	£7. 85.
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The following accounts were passed for payment

1.	Audit Commission	Audit Fee	£36. 05.
2.	D. Lardner	Salary/Expenses	£107. 40.
3.	Village Hall	Hire of Hall	£26. 40.

Any Other Business

Cllr. Mr M L Foulger confirmed to the Meeting that there was a T.P.O. in relation to the tree in the Schoolhouse garden.

Cllr. Mr W T Gracey confirmed that he would contact Mr Seery to invite him to attend the Councils next meeting at 7.00 p.m. in order that there would be an appraisal of the Area Rural Study.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.25 p.m. after it had been ascertained that the date of the next Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council is scheduled for 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday 12th September 1989 in the Village Hall after the informal meeting with Mr Seery.

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CHELVESTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of an Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 12 September 1989 at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall.

Present: Cllrs: Mr M L Foulger
Mrs P M Hughes
Mr R A Knight
Mr D E Hughes
Mr W T Gracey

Clerk: Mr D Lardner

Apologies for Absence: Cllrs: Mr A N Morris
Mrs S E Smyth

Mr W T Gracey advised the meeting that Mr R Seery was unable to attend the Council meeting due to ill health but that he would endeavour to attend the next scheduled Council meeting.

The Minutes of the previous Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 11 July 1989 having previously been circulated were confirmed as being correct and signed by the Chairman.

Matters arising from those Minutes1. Street Cleansing

Councillors advised the meeting that they had received several complaints from members of the public regarding disposal of "garden refuse". Despite the fact that such a service had been provided in the past it was no longer the case. The Clerk was requested to write to the Technical Services Department at Thrapston advising of the Councils concern at the withdrawal of such a service to the Community as a whole.

2. Highway Matters

Councillor W T Gracey acknowledged that the "ford blockage" had been cleared, that he had enquired of the Area Surveyor's Office whether it would be possible to install "sloping railings" to help ease the problem. It was also brought to Mr Read's attention the state of the frontage at the Village Pub and adjacent cottage.

3. Rear Access - 4 Britten Close

The Clerk advised the meeting that he had not received a reply to his letter in relation to a "personal assurance from Mr Seery that there would be no access whatsoever from the lay-by into any part of the Estate".

4. Rural Area Study

A letter was received from the East Northamptonshire District Council thanking Councillors for their comments and observations regarding the above Study confirming that the Council's views will form a valuable input to the final documents which would be prepared over the next few weeks.

W.T.G.
14.10.89

Current Correspondence1. County Structure Plan

Details of the County's Structure Plan alteration No. 1 were given to the meeting.

2. Postal Numbering

A copy of a Plan showing the postal numbering in respect of the three new dwellings, Kimbolton Road, Chelveston were given to the meeting.

3. Direct Services Contract Administration

A letter was received from the East Northamptonshire District Council in relation to the above giving various "points of contact" with various Departments.

4. Public Rights of Way - Questionnaire

A questionnaire in respect of Public Rights of Way was completed and returned to the Area Surveyor at Kettering.

5. Centenary Walk

One of the events which are taking place to celebrate the Centenary of the County Council is a walk by members of staff around the County boundary. The walkers will be seeking sponsorship in support of the charities nominated by the Chairman and will be covering a distance of some 250 miles in 15 days. Details of the route were given to the meeting.

6. Register of Electors

Posters in relation to the household canvass in connection with the preparation of the 1990 Register of Electors have been displayed on the Parish notice board.

7. Transfer of Justices Licence - Star & Garter Public House

Details of the proposed Transfer of the Justices Licence in respect of the above premises were given to the meeting and no observations were made.

8. Churchyards for Wild Life

Details of a Conference to be held at Sywell Country Park on the 30 September in connection with the above were given to the meeting and further details handed to Councillor Mr M L Foulger.

9. N.R.C.C. Questionnaire

A questionnaire in connection with "providing affordable village homes for local people" was completed and to be returned to the Hunsbury Hill Centre.

10. Archaeology Unit

A leaflet which briefly explains the work of the County's Archaeology Unit was shown to the meeting.

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14.11.84

11. Civic Ball

Details of the East Northamptonshire District Council 16th Civic Ball to be held on Friday 20 October 1989 at Wicksteed Park Kettering were given to the meeting.

12. N.A.L.C. - Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the N.A.L.C. is to be held on Saturday 28 October 1989. Councillor Mr M L Foulger indicated his intention to attend.

13. Enterprise Allowance Scheme

A poster regarding the Enterprise Allowance Scheme had been displayed on the Parish Notice Board.

14. Friends of the Earth : N.R.C.C. 1988 - 1989 Report "Grey Book"
The Clerk : Village Viewpoint : Local Charity - Newsletter for
Charity Trustees

The above Publications were distributed amongst the Councillors for perusal.

15. Village Notice Board

A letter was received from Mrs C A Foulger advising that members of the Womens Institute feel that the position of the Notice Board is not prominent enough for it to be as useful as it should be. It was suggested that it be moved to a position outside the shop adjacent to the Post box. Mr and Mrs Pullen have been approached and said they have no objection to the board being placed there. The meeting considered the contents of the letter and agreed that Councillor Mr W T Gracey approach Roger Hill with a view to obtaining a quotation for re-siting of the Notice Board and if the figure not to exceed £60 authority to be given for the work to be done as soon as possible.

Planning Matters

The following planning applications were received 'out of meeting'.

1. EN/89/667 Change of Use - 14 High Street

A letter was written to the Council proposing the Application and was subsequently advised that the application had been refused.

2. EN/89/808 Erection of Detached Dwelling with Conservatory
and Detached Double Garage. Plot adjacent The Woodlands, Caldecott
Road, Chelveston.

No observations made in relation to this application.

3. EN/89/841 - Siting of Caravan for Accommodation : 5 Pokas
Cottages, High Street, Chelveston.

A letter was written proposing the application and was subsequently advised that the application had been refused.

WTF
14.11.89

Street Lighting

Details of the street lighting energy charges from the 1st April 1989 were handed to Councillor Mr M L Foulger. Several faults in relation to Street Lighting had been reported to E.M.E.

A45 Higham Ferrers to Chelveston

The "white lines" were still giving cause for concern.

Pollution

No problems at present.

Anglian Water Authority

Contents of a letter received from the Anglian Water Services Limited concerning "verge re-instatement" was given to the meeting with a suggestion that a site meeting was held between a member of the Parish Council and John Billing to agree if any further action was required. Councillor Mr W T Gracey to make contact.

Accounts

The following account was passed for payment:

1.	E.M.E.B.	Quarterly ACcount	£256.51
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Any other business

No other matters were raised at the meeting.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 8.30 pm after it had been ascertained that the date of the next Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council is scheduled for 7.30 pm on Tuesday 14 November 1989 in the Village Hall after an informal meeting with Mr Seery which is to commence at 7.00 pm.

WTC
14.11.89

CHELVESTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of an Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 14 November 1989 at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall immediately following an informal meeting with Mr C Ray from the Technical Services Department of the ENDC in relation to the County Structure Plan.

Present:	Cllrs.	Mr M L Foulger Mrs P Hughes Mr A N Morris Mr R Knight Mr W T Gracey Mrs S E Smyth
	County Cllr	Mrs G Murdin
	Clerk	Mr D Lardner

Apologies for Absence: Cllr Mr D E Hughes

The minutes of the previous Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council held on Tuesday 12 September 1989 were confirmed as being correct and signed by the Chairman.

Matters arising from those minutes1. Street Cleaning

The Clerk advised the Meeting that he had spoken to ENDC in relation to the collection of garden refuse and it had been suggested that a letter be written to Mr Wise expressing concern and requesting that a 'skip' service be provided.

The meeting agreed that a letter be sent in the terms as above requesting that a skip be placed at the junction with Foot Lane jitty and Water Lane one weekend in four for the period March -October of each year.

2. Highway Matters

No further correspondence received in relation to the above.

3. Rear Access - 4 Britten Close

The Clerk advised that there had been no further reply to the Council's letters sent in acknowledgement to the letter from the ENDC.

4. Parish Notice Board

The Meeting was advised that the Parish Notice Board had been re-sited as discussed at previous meeting.

5. N.A.L.C.

The Meeting was advised that no Councillors attended the Annual General Meeting of the NALC on 28 October 1989.

Current Correspondence

1. National 'No Smoking Day' Promotion

Details in relation to the above which is to be held on March 14 1990 were given to the Meeting.

2. Payment of Rates

Notice regarding the above was displayed on Parish Notice Board..

3. Firework Safety

Notice regarding the above was displayed on Parish Notice Board.

4. Development of Britten Close

A letter was received from NCC advising that the above was being considered for adoption. It was confirmed that the street lighting had been installed and was operating to the satisfaction of the Parish Council.

5. Public Call Office Modernisation

A letter had been received from British Telecom advising that alterations are to be made to Public Call Office on the A45 opposite The Green, Chelveston. No objections were raised at the meeting.

6. Concessionary Travel Token

A letter ^{has} been received from the ENDC advising that the above scheme had been extended to include various organisations/taxi operators in addition to current bus companies.

7. Information to accompany Community Charge Bill

Details were given to the meeting of a letter received by ENDC from the Department of the Environment in relation to the above.

8. Local History News

The meeting agreed to subscribe to the above publication.

9. Volunteering in Northamptonshire Countyside : Local Council Review N.A.L.C. Report 1988-89

The above publications were distributed amongst the Councillors for perusal.

Planning Matters

The following planning applications were received 'out of meeting'

1. EN/89/1138 LB - Pavement Crossing and demolition of part boundary wall and erection of railings on section of wall, The Cottage, The Green.

Observations made concerning the possible danger in relation to access

2. EN/89/1149 - Conversion of existing outbuilding and extension to dwelling - Adjacent Manor Farm Cottage, Caldecott

No observations made in relation to the application.

W.C.

Street Lighting

Details received from E.M.E of advanced notification of anticipated maintenance charges for 1990/91.

A45 Higham Ferrers - Chelveston

The meeting was advised that the 'white lines' were still giving cause for concern and the Clerk was to write again to Highways.

Brook Pollution

No problems at present.

Anglian Water Authority

No problems at present

Accounts

The following account was passed for payment 'out of meeting' :

1.	E.M.E.B.	Quarterly Account	£304.32.
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The following accounts were passed for payment :

1.	R & J Hill	Resite Village Notice Board	£ 69.00.
2.	N.R.C.C.	Local History News	£ 2.00.
3.	D Lardner	Clerks Salary and Expenses	£ 97.34.
4.	M Foulger	Poppy Wreath	£ 9.50

Any Other Business

Cllr Mr W T Gracey advised that the footpath on the A45 from the Village Hall to Chelveston was overgrown. The Clerk was requested to write and advise Highways.

Cllr. Mr R A ^{Knight} ~~King~~ advised that the footpaths in Water Lane : St John's Cottages and surrounding areas had been damaged during Gas Board repairs and the Clerk was requested to advise Highways accordingly.

Cllr Mr A N Morris advised that a 'hole' had appeared outside Redwood Bungalow, Raunds Road and requested that the Clerk write to Highways.

Cllr Mr A N Morris advised meeting that as the Parish Council's representative of the Sawyers Charity a letter had been received from the Charity Commissioners requesting an amalgamation between Sawyers Charity and Four other Charities in Raunds. He requested that the Sawyers Charity be included in the agenda for the next Council meeting.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 9.18 pm after it had been ascertained that the date of the next meeting of the Parish Council would be scheduled for 9 January 1990 and that estimates for the precept are to be discussed at that meeting.

W. King