MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE OLD MARSTON PARISH COUNCIL

HELD IN THE CHURCH HALL AT 7.30 p.m.

ON TUESDAY 2nd JANUARY 1996

Present were; Mr A T Jones (Chairman)

Mr C W Haynes (Vice-chairman)

Mesdames Cox, Deam, Nurse, Sanders & Stone Messrs Bartleet, Devonport & Phipps

Apologies for absence were received from Mrs Tiwari and Mr Drinkwater

The Clerk Mr L M Garner was in attendance.

Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on the 5th December were confirmed and signed.

Correspondence

The following were noted:
Oxfordshire County Council Environmental Action circular
Oxford City Football F.C. -undertaking to provide better

supervision of car parking

Victims Support-Annual Report
Oxford City Council-Community Nature Plan Meeting-27th Jan 1
Thames Valley Police Authority-Consultation meetings:-

Cumnor 18th Jan 1996
East Oxford 25th April 1996
Wheatley 18th July 1996
Rose Hill 24th October 1996

Oxfordshire County Councillors-two replies to library letter Oxfordshire Rural Community Council-Best Kept Village

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Competition 1995 report

Oxfordshire Association of Local Councils-Bi-monthly circular Old Marston Residents' Association minutes -November meeting.

The Clerk had written to correspond to the contract of the contra

statements made concerning Mill Lane development

It was also noted that the Oxford City Council had not proposed alternative dates for the proposed liason meeting.

Estimates 1996/7

In addition to providing for estimated running costs of 870

It was decided to provide:
For replacement carousel 80

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Hedge cutting Boults Lane
Removing dead trees Boults Lane
Grant to Village Hall for replacement windows

Precept required say

A precept in this sum was signed.

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Accounts

The following accounts were passed for payment

Oxford City Council- Recreation Ground maintenance Public Works Loans Board- Loan repayment

Recreation Ground

It was decided to accept the quotation from Mr D.Ward for trimming the hedge at Boults Lane recreation ground £130 and for cutting back the Burial Ground hedge £80

The Clerk was asked to arrange for returfing under all the swings at the rear of Mortimer Hall.

Highways

A circular was received from Oxfordshire County Council

concerning externally funded traffic calming.

The Clerk said he would endeavour to attend the Oxfordshire County Council meeting at Kidlington on 29th February concerning Highways etc..

It was noted that a street lamp had been damaged in Boults

Lane.

Other Matters

The Vice-chairman, Mr C W Haynes, indicated the he would be prepared to take the Chair of a sub-committee to consider whether the Parish Council should lead a local celebration of the Millenium.

It was noted that the level of Police surveillance had been practically non-existent. The Clerk was therefore asked to write to ask that the level of patrols be increased.

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