

City of Sheffield

COUNCIL SUMMONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MONTHLY MEETING of the COUNCIL of the CITY AND COUNTY BOROUGH OF SHEFFIELD will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER, within the Town Hall, Sheffield, on WEDNESDAY, the FIRST day of OCTOBER, 1969, at Two o'clock in the afternoon.

THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS IS PROPOSED TO BE TRANSACTED:—

- (A) Business to be Introduced by the Lord Mayor (Alderman D. J. O'Neill, J.P.)
- 1.—To receive the record of the proceedings of the quarterly meeting of the Council held on the 3rd day of September, 1969, and to approve the accuracy thereof.
- 2.—To receive any communications submitted by the Lord Mayor or Town Clerk, and to pass such Resolutions thereon as the Standing Orders permit and as may be deemed expedient.

3.—Questions:—

- (a) Supplementary questions on Written Questions submitted at this meeting—Standing Order No. 16(a).
- (b) Questions relating to urgent business—Standing Order No. 16(b).
- (c) Questions on the discharge of the functions of the Sheffield and Rotherham Police Authority—Section 11, Police Act, 1964.
- 4.—To consider the Minutes of the proceedings of the undermentioned Committees and any additional Minutes arising from further meetings of Committees which may be presented to the Council pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 14, and to pass such Resolutions thereon as may be deemed expedient:—

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3. Retaining Wall—Oxford Street

After a report by the Town Clerk on his discussions, following the decision of the Policy Committee on 27th August, 1969, (page 257 of the printed Minutes) as to the manner in which the cost of the work should be financed, it was—

RESOLVED: That the estimated expenditure of £4,500 involved in carrying out buttressing and other work to the retaining wall at the rear of houses in Oxford Street in conjunction with the development of the adjacent site for the Housing Committee, be met from the accounts of the Town Planning Committee.

(Revenue Estimates, J4, Item 27)

4. Strategic Route over Pennines

It was reported that the Sheffield Chamber of Commerce had welcomed the inclusion in the Green Paper entitled "Roads for the Future" of a proposal to construct a strategic route over the Pennines following approximately the present Woodhead route. The Chamber had now invited the Corporation to support a case which they had put to the Minister of Transport on the need for the route and urging him to give the proposal the highest possible priority.

The Committee were reminded of the strong representations made over many years on behalf of the Corporation, the Yorkshire and Humberside Economic Planning Council and other interested parties, which had been instrumental in securing approval to the proposal, and agreed that a letter be sent to the Minister welcoming the support given by the Chamber and again stressing the vital need for the early construction of the route.

5. Estates Surveyor's Monthly Report

The Estates Surveyor's monthly report was submitted and arising therefrom the Committee:—

- approved terms and conditions for the appropriation under Section 249(1) of the Sheffield Corporation (Consolidation) Act, 1918, of property in Love Lane to the Health and Welfare Committee;
- (2) agreed to rescind the Resolutions of this Committee of 15th September, 1960, (page 492 of the printed Minutes) relating to the acquisition from Milletts Stores (1928) Ltd. of 203/207, The Moor, and the granting to the Company of a lease of land in The Moor and Forge Lane;
- (3) authorised the payment of compensation under Part II of the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1954, consequent upon the acquisition of 37, Hereford Street;
- (4) agreed to the amendment of the Resolution of this Committee of 17th July, 1969, (page 218 of the printed Minutes) relating to the acquisition of land situated between Stannington Road and Rivelin Park Drive by the substitution, as the names of the vendors, of "Mr. John Ridal, Mr. Frederick Andrew Ridal and Mr. Arnold Ridal" for "F. Ridal & Sons Ltd.";
- (5) approved, so far as concerned the Corporation as ground landlords, plans in respect of development to be carried out at 66/68, Cambridge Street.

6. Planning Applications Referred by Plans Sub-Committee

RESOLVED: That, on consideration of planning applications referred to this Committee, the Plans Sub-Committee be recommended:—

- (1) to grant planning permission in respect of the proposed provision of a pavilion/community centre, caretaker's flat and sports field in Lodge Moor Road for Sheffield District Y.M.C.A.;
- (2) to refuse planning permission in respect of a proposal to develop for residential purposes, approximately 9.5 acres of land in Crimicar Lane comprising the existing Y.M.C.A. sports field.

7. Land at Infirmary Road/Langsett Road and High House Road

Pursuant to their decision on 28th May, 1969, (page 32 of the printed Minutes), the Committee gave further consideration to the question of the future use of land west of Infirmary Road/Langsett Road and land north of High House Road.

RESOLVED: (1) That action be taken at the appropriate time to reallocate, for use as public open space within the next five years, the two areas of land immediately west of Infirmary Road/Langsett Road shown hatched green on the plan now submitted.

(2) That action be taken at the appropriate time to reallocate for light industrial use the land shown hatched grey on the plan now submitted, subject to the retention of a 30 ft. wide amenity

strip of land on redevelopment alongside Langsett Road and the line of the proposed Urban Expressway, and a 50 ft. wide strip of land alongside the River Loxley, these proposals being unlikely to affect before the end of their useful life the residential areas in Capel Street and Rudyard Road not included in the provisional slum clearance programme for the period up to 1986.