

District Council of Lincoln 16 Jan 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 16th January 1948 Present Cr WG Morgan, (Chair) ST Baillie, Jas Doudle, HJ Freeman, KW Ford, AC Trestrail, & P Woods. also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement showed a credit of £4958.18.1

Correspondence - Licence to Occupy Director of Lands advised that licence had been granted to SA Railways Institute for 2 camp sites adjoining Sec 272 Hd Lake W from 1.1.48

Re Closing Road and Water Reserves Hd Wanilla Surveyor General requesting the opinion of Council to closing of portion of road between Sections 82 and Block 2A Hd Wanilla as shown in dark green on Plan and also to the resumption by the government of Water Reserves Nos 1 and 2 in Hd Wanilla. Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods} That this Council agrees to the closing of portion of road as above and also to the resumption by Govt of Water Reserves Nos 1 and 2 Hd Wanilla. carried

Hire Rates for Caravan Secy Highways Dept advising that it has been decided by the Govt to allow a charge of 2/6 per day for use of Sleeping Caravan with pneumatic tyres. recd

Re Phone to Mt Hope EHD Russell with letter from Postal Dept stating that enquiries are being made into the operation of the telephone service between Pt Lincoln and Mt Hope in reply to Council letter requesting same.

Mr RW Pearson MP with a letter from Attorney General in reference to the appointment of the chairman Mr Morgan as a JP.

Summer Period Dest of Vermin Director of Lands wrote re month of February having been declared the summer period for the simultaneous destruction of vermin. Clerk to insert a notice in local newspaper.

16 Jan 1948 Re Flinders Centenary Memorial Chairman Historical Memorials Committee re erection of structures to carry plaques commemorating Flinders visit to this portion of EP and suggesting that one be at Poonindie instead of Louth Bay and that the sites for others at Sleaford Bay Coffin Bay and Halls Bay are satisfactory. Also that the proposed wording for the plaques would be forwarded shortly. Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods} That Council consider Louth Bay quite a suitable site for one to be erected - this being quite a good and popular tourist resort - carried

Loc Govt Conference Secy the Organizing Committee of Local Govt Conference to be held in Adelaide at Town Hall from 8th to 11th March and requesting attendance of Council members.

Donation to Ambulance Trust Secy PtLincoln Citizens Ambulance Trust requesting a donation by the Council to assist in the erection of a Garage to house the recently purchased Ambulance for local use. The building will cost about £200. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Doudle} That Council donate £30 towards the cost of the building for the ambulance . carried

Appointments Hospitals Dept advised that Messrs PS Sinclair & P Woods have been re appointed Councils representatives on the Pt Lincoln Hospital Advisory Committee for 1948.

Surveyor re Surveys CL Alexander advised that he would be leaving for PtLincoln on 19th Jany via Whyalla and would do the survey at Mr Fuss as requested by Council - Overseer to arrange for him to survey the road from North Road to Simmons residence to enable the road to be made on correct position.

Waymouth Motor Ltd advised that their Specialist would leave Sydney on 14th Jany for Adelaide for Hi Lift Patrol Grader for this Council and it would be ready to leave Adelaide for Pt Lincoln by road.

16 Jan 1948 Britstand Patrol Hi Lift Grader About 2nd February and suggested that Councils operator should come from Adelaide to PtLincoln with their man to get used to the machine. Prop Cr Feeman/ Sec Cr Woods} That Council operator be sent to Adelaide to accompany the machine round to PtLincoln with the Specialist. carried

Wages Agreement Secy Local Government Association re Wages Agreement copy of which should reach this office shortly but it has been delayed in printing & signature.

Knapsacks-Simpson & Son advised they were unable to supply knapsack sprays until February.

EP Local Govt Conference Secy EP Local Govt copy of minutes of last conference and particulars of matters since dealt with. Also re next conference at Whyalla on 22 & 23rd March. Crs WG Morgan & P Woods were appointed delegates for the conference at Whyalla on the motion of Crs Freeman & Trestrail.

Loans- Highways Dept advised that a loan of approximately £5200 had been approved for the purchase of Britstand Hi Lift Patrol Grader. Loan-Also that the sum of £833.6.6 had been paid to Waymouth Motor for 10 ft Scarifier Grader as a loan to the Council.

Building Act at Cummins Director of Local Government advised that by a Proclamation in Govt Gazette of 8th Jany the provisions of the Building Act will apply to the Town of Cummins from that date. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That a sub committee be appointed to draw up the necessary bylaws & regulations under the Building Act and submit to Council. carried

Sub Committee Appointed Crs Freeman, Ford, & Trestrail, were appointed as the sub committee

16 Jan 1948 LE Chambers wrote re Fire Fighting Unit at Cummins and his regret that owing to his removal from Cummins he tendered his resignation as Officer in Charge of the Unit as from 24th January 1948 and he hopes to be able to recommend a suitable man for appointment as Officer in Charge in his place. Resolved that the resignation be accepted with regret and Chambers thanked for the services rendered by him during his stay in Cummins.

Transfers Transfers of land registered by Reg General of Deeds Crown to Walter LJC Section 56.57. 60. & 103. Hd Wanilla Crown to Clarkson LE & AJ Sect 102 Hd Wanilla. Crown to Speed RR Secs 81/2. 94. 106. 120. Hd Kiana Crown to Speed TH Secs 103/4/5 121/2 126 Hd Kiana Crown to Speed RR Secs 77. 98. 99. Hd Kiana. Crown to Speed DK Secs 101 Hd Kiana Adams HD to Griffiths EW & LS Secs 54 Hd Wanilla & 469. 474. Hd Louth Murray DP to Brewster LC Pt Sec 47a Hd Louth Eastern AC to Harding RL Pt Sec 189 Hd Louth Robinson to Crown (Minister of Lands) Secs 5.6.7.16/7. 21/2. 65 Hd Wanilla Mason GW to Crown (Minister of Lands) Sec N Hd Wanilla Heidenreich ML to Woodfield CJ Lot 132 of Blk 15 of 3d Cummins Walker JA & Meaney to Myers AD Secs 74 to 75 Hd Kiana Radford J Estate to Radford FW Secs 84 to 87 94 Hd Warrow Block 6 Hd Uley altered to Sec 19 Hd Uley Prop Cr Doudle/ Sec Cr Freeman} That Clerk make the above alterations in the Assessment Book carried

Soil From Road-Corporation of PtLincoln requested permission to remove 100 yds soil from North Road near Tiatucka for top dressing the oval. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Doudle} That permission be granted. carried

16 Jan 1848 Cresco Fertilizer Ltd wrote again re another entrance to their section 48 Hd Shannon and requesting Council to reconsider their previous decision. received Report-Overseers report for month read. Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Freeman} That the Overseers report as read be adopted. carried

Chassis for Caravan Re purchase of a chassis for a new caravan. This was left to Cr Baillie and Overseer to purchase if suitable.

Cr Woods requested that the hill between Derringtons & Hydes be graded down when McDonald has his dozer there. Granted

Notice of Motion Cr Trestrail gave notice of motion to move at the next meeting of Council. " That this Council petition the Governor for the D/C of Lincoln to be divided into into two Separate Councils, The Hundreds of Mortlock, Cummins, Shannon, and Mitchell, to be severed from the District and be declared a separate Council and the Hundreds of Lincoln, Uley, Sleaford, Flinders, Louth, Wanilla, Lake Wangary, Warrow, Ulipa, and Kiana be retained as the D/C of Lincoln . This to date if possible from 1 July 1948.

Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Freeman} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment. General a/c £645.1.5 Government Grants a/c £159.14.2 carried

WG Morgan

District Council of Lincoln 20 Feb 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 20 February 1948 Present Cr WG Morgan (Chair) ST Baillie, Jas Doudle, HJ Freeman, KW Ford, AC Trestrail & P Woods. Also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement showed a credit of £5981.5.7

Correspondence - Land for Road-Town Planner with copy of plan 108/48 portion of Lot 7 of Sec 3a. Land to connect from GG Parfitt for road (corner)

Pipe Across Bitumen Road Highway Dept - Re permission for S.M McFarlane to lay a pipe under the Bitumen Road No 9 between Section 54 & 55 Hd Lincoln and conditions to be carried out. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Council issue a licence for SM McFarlane to lay the pipe subject to the conditions laid down by Highways Dept . carried Secy EP Local Govt re booking accommodations at Whyalla at conference.

Re Transfer of Trailer Pump Pt Lincoln Commr Civil Defence with copy of letter to him from Town Clerk re Council taking over Trailer Pump from Corporation. Clerk replied that Council agreed to take same over on conditions it was stored in its present shed near Fire Station. Commr also- re co operation of pump crew and Fire Controllers

Camp Site-Director of Lands advised that Licence for camp site at Kellidie Bay granted to MM Ellis fom 1.1.48

Value of Land. Roads to be Closed Louth Re roads to be closed in Hds Lincoln & Louth - Surveyor stated it is necessary for purchase price of land contained in roads to be closed is to be stated on application under Roads O & C Act.

Price for Land in Closed Road Clerk had written to owners interested asking them to submit a price to the Council and the following were the offers received. A-R-P Mattner WP - 1.2.25 at Little Swamp £3 McFarlane SM 8 acres at Little Swamp. £15 to be increased to £24 Telfer Bros 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ at Coomunga £3 A-R-P Richardson RF 1.0.35 at White River £8 Secy Tennants Estate 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac at Tallala Whites River £3 per acre = £55.10.0 Resolved that SM McFarlanes land be increased to £24 = £3 per acre, and if Telfer Bros is Freehold this price be increased to £5

Electric Light Pole Dorward CL Cummins requested permission to erect a Elect Light Pole on footpath in front of his premises at Bruce Terrace Cummins. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That Clerk advise that Overseer will see Mr Umlauf re position of the pole and will

advise later on. Also re building - Point out that Cummins is now under the Building Act and application will have to be made to the Council for a permit giving all particulars.

Re Site of Fire Alarm Siren Cummins DH Blacker Fire Controller re site of Fire Siren with a letter from PMG Dept stating it cannot be installed on P.O premises and Blacker requested Council to request permission from Commr of Police to erect same at Police Station until the Council building is erected to house the Fire Equipment. Application re [?? ?] Police Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That application be made to Commr of Police for permission to erect the Siren at Police Station Cummins and also for him to issue instructions for the Officer in Charge at Cummins, to operate the Siren when a call to a fire is made. Carried

Application to PMG Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Council make application through Mr Russell MHR to the P M General for permission to erect a Fire Alarm Siren at the PO Cummins and that same be operated by the switchboard attendant . carried

20 Feb 1948 Re Road Lease Edillilie JH & EV Lloyd made application to lease the road on eastern side of railway yard at Edillilie - To be leased for grazing purposes only for 2/6 per annum.

Re Land From Institute for Conveniences Cummins Secy Cummins Institute re Public Conveniences at Cummins Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That Council ask the Institute Committee if they will be prepared to have sufficient land for the erection of male & female conveniences say 20 ft x 12 on each corner of rear of their block for 21 years . carried

EP Local Govt - Itinerary for Conference at Whyalla, also replies to Mr Christian MP in reference to Association request from last Conference. received

Vermin Destruction JW Green re Vermin not being destroyed on adjoining land Notice be sent to WS Watherston to fill in burrows and destroy.

Badge Day Morialta Protestant Childrens Home for permission to hold a badge day- on a sale day - (Cummins) Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That permission be granted. carried

Re Flinders Centenary Memorial Royal Geographical Soc. Historical Memorials Committee with wording for plaques in connexion with Flinders (Memorial) Centenary for approval, and suggest 8th April as day for the unveiling of Cairns. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That the site

Halls Bay be altered to Point Drummond, also that in view of labour & material storage & the difficulty of obtaining cement the structure cannot be completed by 8th April 1948 and suggest the unveiling be postponed until Pioneer Day 1949 otherwise will try and arrange a date later in year. carried

Karkoo Phone Hours EHD Russell advised the extension of hours of Karkoo telephone exchange. recd

20 Feb 1948 Tubercular Soldiers re Badge Day Transfers of Land Land Transfers Registered Crown to Hinton HRH Secs 46 & 47 Hd Mitchell Mullner JTC to Mullner DI & AK Hd Mitchell Aird AD to Traeger DAL Lot 133 of 15 of Sec 3a Cummins Elder Smith & Co to D/C Lincoln Land for Road Blk 9 of 3a Cummins Education Dept to D/C Lincoln Land for Road Blk 7 of 3a Cummins Sheehan RM to Sheehan GL Pt Sec 2w Hd Cummins Watherston RO to Watherston Hilda Secs 212/3 Hd Louth Docking CR to Docking AJ & AT Secs " Kennett ML to Harris Dan Sec 120 Hd Lincoln Prop Cr Doudle/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Clerk enter the above alterations in the Assessment Book carried

Sale-Re Barco Hammer Prop Cr Wood/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Barco Hammerbe offered to Arch Chief Dept for £20. If no sale offer to PL Corporation carried.

Sale-Prop Cr Freeman /Sec Cr Trestrail} That old road roller at Cummins be sold to Cummins Race Club for £10. carried

Unauthorized use of Council Plant The unauthorized use of Council Power Loader, Petrol and Gravel by CK Norton was reported - A serious view of this action was taken by the Council and prosecution was advocated but it was decided that before taking action a letter be written to Norton for an explanation, and in any such case in the future Prosecution be instituted against the offender at once.

Trailer Offered for Sale An offer of a "trailer" by Mr Gaskill of Cleve for £32 was received Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Ford} That the trailer be purchased.

20 Feb 1948 T & CG Proude re bad state of road near Halls . received Report Overseers report read Prop Cr Doudle /Sec Cr Woods} That Overseers report as read be adopted. carried

Car Chassis for Caravan Re Old AEC car for chassis for caravan - The purchase of this from MA Bascombe for £50 or less was left to Cr Baillie to purchase at best price.

Re Damage to Hi Lift Auto Patrol Grader (Britstand) Re Hi Lift Auto Patrol Grader (Britstand) damaged during

working demonstration by Waymouth Motor Coys Specialist, G Marsh. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That a wire be sent to Commr Highways to withhold payment of purchase money pending the grader being repaired and damaged parts replaced by new parts and Highway Dept written to explaining the position. carried Also write Waymouth Motor Coy stating Council require all damaged parts replaced by new parts.

Re Condition of Fire Truck at Cummins - Left to Councillors and Overseer to inspect truck and confer with operator Cr Freeman referred to land granted for Soldiers Memorial Park at Yeelanna and that they required position of 3 chain road adjoining, 2 chains in width, to be closed and included in the Park. Clerk to advise that this was previously agreed to by the Council. Cr Freeman asked that the following work be done - gravel at Kapinnie Road Crossing - 5 chains patching on Brimpton Lake Road near Greens 8 miles of New Road between Sec Hd Shannon and Brimpton Lake - Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That application be made to Highways for a Special Grant

Application for Grant of £2000 to make 8 miles of road from Sparsley Settled Land Fund for this road adjoining Secs 19. 20. 21. 22. Hd Shannon & 21/2/3 Hd Mitchell. carried

Application for Grant Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Doudle} That application be made to Highways for a Special Grant of £3000 for approx 20 miles of new road on Sleaford Road under the same fund. This having been inspected by Mr Cockburn Dist Engineer. carried

Application Road on Main Road Schedule Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Freeman} That application be made to Highways for New West Road to be placed on Main Road Schedule as all Mail buses and heavy traffic between Pt Lincoln & Streaky Bay use this road. carried

Phone Service Resolved that Clerk write to PMG stating Council is still waiting a reply to their request through Mr Russell MHR for an improved phone service to Mt Hope.

Resolved that an inspection of the District be made on Wednesday & Thursday 10th & 11th March. Mr Cockburn Dist Eng be invited to accompany the Councillor.

Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods} That Council notify the Commr of Highways that the Council is in favour of an additional Councillor for Louth Ward. carried unanimously.

Prop Cr Morgan/ Sec Cr Doudle} That a letter of Sympathy be sent to Mr NV Jacobs & Family - Council Auditor for their recent sad loss of their son Phillip. carried
Motion by Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods} That this Council petition the Governor for the District Council of Lincoln to be divided into two separate Councils by the Hundreds of Cummins, Mortlock, Shannon, and Mitchell, being severed from the District.

and be declared a Separate District Council and the balance of the district remain the District Council of Lincoln - if possible this to date from 1st July 1948.
carried unanimously

Prop Cr Baillie// Sec Cr Doudle} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment . Gen a/c
£1019.14.0 Govt Grants a/c £788.0.8

WG Morgan 19 Mar 1948

District Council of Lincoln 19 Mar 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 19th March 1948 Present Crs WG Morgan, (Chair) ST Baillie, Jas Doudle, KW Ford HJ Freeman, AC Trestrail & P Woods. also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement showed a credit of £6637.16.10

Correspondence Road on MR Schedule- Highways Dept advised that request re Kaldow Brimpton Lake Road is receiving consideration and also the request that New West Road be added to Main Road schedule. Purchase Britstand Payment - Highways stating that the payment of purchase money for Britstand Hi Lift Patrol has been withheld pending Council instruction. Additional Councillor -Highways-That letter from Council re an additional councillor for Louth Ward had been received. Additional Grant Highways That an additional grant of £800 had been allotted for Flinders Highway No 9.

Special Grant Bus Routes- Highways Dept that a special grant of £925 had been approved for school bus routes in Hds of Cummins & Shannon provided the Council contributes £925 which is to be paid into credit of Govt Grants a/c as Fed Aid - District Road. The Councillors for Mortlock & Shannon Wards agreed to this payment. Re Siren Commr of Police re conditions on which the fire siren could be installed at Police Station Cummins. held over

Re Road Shannon-Cresco Fertilizer Ltd requesting a suitable track be made on road between railway line and Sec 48 Hd Shannon. Resolved that Council is unable to do anything to this road at present but when possible to do something it will be again considered.

19 Mar 1948 Royal Commission on Transport RW Pearson MP advised the Royal Commission on Transport will sit at PtLincoln to take evidence on 12th April 1948 - Clerk to advise Mr Pearson names of those to give evidence.

PL Citizens Ambulance Trust thanking Council for their donation

Flinders Memorials- Chairman Historical Memorial Committee - stating they do not favour a memorial to Flinders at Point Drummond and they prefer Mt Hope as the site and request Council to reconsider this site. He also requested the finalising of the memorials as soon as possible this year and that Council will name a date for the unveiling and plaques will be forwarded. Tenders Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Council calls tenders for the erection of Cairns at Louth Bay, Coffin Bay, Sleaford Bay, and Mt Hope. carried

Bushes on Road Deputy Director Posts & Telegraphs -
Notice re the removal of scrub interfering with telephone
line on Poonindie - Koppio Road. recd

Nominee on Assessment Book Executor Trustee & Agency Coy
nominating LG Bushby as the Representative in Assessment
Book and Voters Roll for Levi Estate, Block 127 of Sec 52
Hd Lincoln and also WR Cave Estate Lots 77 & 81
Edillilie. Prop Cr Wood/ Sec Cr Ford} That this
alteration be made in Assessment Book & Voters Roll.
carried

Re Wattles I Winch requested permission to strip wattles
on West Main Road No 7. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr
Freeman} That permission cannot be granted. carried

Erect Gate on Road M Aikenhead requested permission to
erect a gate on road between Sections 20 & 25 Hd
Mitchell. Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods} That permission
be granted subject to Sec 375 of Loc Govt Act and also to
cancellation on notice by Council. carried

19 Mar 1948 Re Garbage Rate E H Parker wrote re garbage
rate and consider the charge should be a flat rate for
each premise. Also re opening up a road across Railway
through from Butchers shop to Mill. Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec
Cr Baillie} That the garbage rate be considered when
declaring rate for next year and that Council again
approach Railway Superintendent re road across Railway
yard. carried

Land from Road for Recreation Park - Yeelanna Secy
Yeelanna Recreation Park Committee requesting consent
of Council for a strip 2 chains wide of 3 chain road on
western boundary of Sec 107 Hd Shannon to be closed and
granted to the Committee as portion of the Recreation
Park. Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Council
agree to the request and a strip of road 697 links long 2
ch wide between the town & Sec 107 as shown on plan be
granted as portion of Recreation Park . carried

Land Leased for Public Convenience at Cummins Secy
Cummins Institute advised their Committee agreed to
lease to the Council for 21 years at a nominal rental of
1/- one shilling per annum, the necessary land at rear of
the Institute for Public conveniences to be erected. Crs
Ford & Trestrail deputed to make enquiries re places for
the necessary building and report to Council.

Re Building Application PM Bonney Cummins, application
for permission to erect a 6 roomed house on Lot 27
between Light Road & Durdin St Cummins. Prop Cr Woods/
Sec Cr Doudle} That Cr Ford & Trestrail be appointed a
committee to carry out the provisions of the Building Act
in Cummins. carried

PJ Gibson submitted a plan of proposed alteration to shack at Kellidie Bay for approval.

19 Mar 1948 EP Local Govt Association - Agenda of 20th Annual Conference to be held at Whyalla on 22 & 23rd March Road Order Adjourned Surveyor General with copy of notice and plan re closing of road - portion of Solly Terrace Cummins adjoining Block 7 of Sec 3a as published in Govt Gazette 9th Febry 1948. Objection to the closing of the road unless pedestrian right of way is granted to her through the land. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That owing to an objection being lodged against the closing of the road - the order to be passed be adjourned until the next meeting of Council on 16th April 1948. carried Letter be written Miss Hill advising her to apply to Minister of Education for a R of Way as shown on plan. Transfers Land Transfers of Land registered by Reg Gen of Deeds: Easton NA to Harding AJ Pt Secs 103 & 200 Hd Louth Giffin LM to P.L & N.S Racing Club Pt Secs 10 & 511 Hd Lincoln Enright MG to Corporation of Pt L Secs 391/2 " Paech PV to Paech GAA Sec 57 17/5 Hd Kiana Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods} That Clerk make these alterations in Assessment Book . carried

Re Reduction in Supervision Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Baillie} That Council ask the Minister of the recent pay reduction - the rate of supervision on Govt Grants & quote latest information. carried Donation Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Doudle} That the usual donation of £1.1.0 be donated to the Tubercular Soldiers Aid Soc. carried Report Overseer report read. Prop Cr Doudle/ Sec Cr Woods} That Overseers report as read be adopted. carried

Resolved that a ruling be obtained from Secy Local Govt Association on "Council Depots" in relation to Wages Award.

Rooter to be Purchased Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Freeman} That a Le Tourneau Model S3 Hi Lift Rooter as quoted be purchased from Tutt Bryant for £484.8.4 at Adelaide Works and that application be made to Commr Highways for a loan of the purchase money. Carried

Grading-Cr Doudle reorted that 1 ½ miles of grading be done on road between Section 2.3 - 5 of Hd Ulipa. Pigs on Road-Cr Woods asked that A King be written instructing him to keep his pigs off road as complaints have been received.

Chairmans Long Service as Councillor Cr Woods drew attention to the need of Assistance in Council Office and this was held over until next meeting. Cr Woods drew

attention to the fact that at the end of June the Chairman Cr WG Morgan has served 42 years continuously as Councillor and as Chairman since March 1938 and he considered his service should be suitably recognised. Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Doudle} That it be recommended to the proper authorities that his services should be recognized. carried.

Hydrants-A Freeman stated that hydrants & keys are required by Fire Controller at Yeelanna. Cr Freeman stated that he was agreeable to Shannon Ward paying its share towards Grant for Bus Routes. Cr Trestrail also agreed to this for Mortlock Ward.

Spec Grant HSF Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That application be made for a Special Grant of from Sparsely Settled Areas Fund, for road from Sec 31 Hd Shannon District, south of Sec 2s Shannon, 34 & 38 to 39 Hd Mitchell to serve land recently taken up. carried

Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Doudle} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment -- Gen a/c £1310.6.10 Govt Grants a/c £1682.16.4

WG Morgan

District Council of Lincoln 16 Apr 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 16th April 1948 Present Crs WG Morgan (Chair) ST Baillie, Jas Doudle, KW Ford, HJ Freeman, AC Trestrail & P Woods, also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting confirmed Financial Statement showed a credit bal of £5757.9.2 Correspondence Re Supervision Highways Dept advised that since 1939, supervision has been calculated in terms of which, that as grants increase, supervision decreases. received

Re Petition Advertised Director of Local Government- that a notice of Councils petition that the Hundreds of Cummins, Mortlock, Shannon, and Mitchell be severed from Council area and be formed into a separate district council - has been published in Government Gazette of 18/3/48 and a similar notice is to be published in a local newspaper and advise the Director the name & date of the Newspaper in which it is published. recd Clerk advised that this had been done

Additional Funds Main & Wanilla Swamp Secy Highways Dept - acknowledging receipt of application for additional funds for Main Road 323. Also application for additional funds for Wanilla Swamp on road from Flinders Highway to Edillilie. recd

Hire Rate Patrol Highways Dept advised that the hire rate to be charged on Malcolm Moore Patrol Grader (C) to be 7/6 per hour, including 4/- depreciation. recd

Bridge Commr Highways with formal notice of intention to construct a 6 cell bridge over Peelina Creek at Sec 3a Hd Cummins. recd

Re Building Director of Highways calling attention of Council to regulations under Building Act - that after 1.2.48 only a person holding a Building Surveyors

16 Apr 1948 Certificate can be appointed as a Building Surveyor (or to carry out the duties of a Building Surveyor. recd Scrub Near Ry Crossing
Yeelanna Superintendent SAR PL- re scrub on road obstructing view near south end of Yeelanna Railway Yard which need cutting back for public safety. Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Freeman} These to be cut back . carried
Vermin in Haystacks at Cummins Director Primary Producers Assistance Dept - re haystacks at Cummins & stated that their supervisor had reported on 18/3/48 that these stacks were in good order - Previous complaints on inspection had proved to have had no foundation in fact - Clerk to reply that a special inspection of these stacks were made by all Councillors accompanied by the Medical Officer of Health on 11th March 1948 when it was found

that they were full of rats & mice - hence previous letter requesting that the vermin be destroyed.

Hospital Contribution- Hospitals Department gave notice that Council contribution to PtLincoln Hospital for current year to be £238.18.9 which is to be paid to the Director General Medical Services before 31st May 1948.

Royal Commission RW Pearson MP advised that owing to the illness of 2 members, the visit of the Royal Commission on Transport to PtLincoln to hear evidence has been postponed until July or August next. recd

Road Sign Winters Hill Secy PL Tourist Association requested permission to erect a suitable sign Winters Hill Lookout on the road at the turn off from Main West Road to Winters Hill. Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Baillie} That permission be granted. carried

Secy Brimpton Lake Agricult Bureau - re rough state of local roads and asking if a grader could be made available for farmers to do some of the grading.

16 Apr 1948 Also to know why the grader did not grade more of the road on the last trip and if the road from Kaldow to Brimpton Lake School is to be made. Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That reply no grader available for loan at present - Patrol grader will be there soon and will do what can be done by it Carried

Re Site of Siren Cummins EHD Russell M.H.R. with a letter from Deputy P.M.G. re the erection of the fire siren at Cummins PO, and the Council renting a line to a suitable site to operate the siren - Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Clerk send to Postal Dept for Contract Form as suggested and also write to Cummins Institute Committee requesting permission to erect the siren on Institute property. carried Copy of letter re same to be sent to Fire Committee through Fire Controller

Arinco Building Bennett & Fisher advised that owing to shortage of material the delivery of the Arinco Building ordered by Council will be indefinitely delayed. recd

Re Gates Across Road MG Wilson Warunda applied for permission to erect 3 gates across the road north of his property Sec 102 Hd Wanilla recently cleared & made. This was held over for a report by Overseer.

Pipe Across Road GJ Whillas requested permission to lay a 1" water pipe across road between Sections 86 and 170 Hd Lincoln. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That permission be granted under usual conditions. Carried

Donation-Adelaide Childrens Hospital - appeal for funds Resolved that donation of £2.2.0 be passed on motion of Crs Trestrail and Woods.

Cummins Agricultural Bureau re petrol tickets for persons attending Bush Fires. Clerk to advise the position

16 Apr 1948 Surveyor General with copy of a letter from him to Miss ID Hill re pedestrian Right of Way through school land at Cummins and stating that Council can now proceed with the order to Close Road being portion of Solly Terrace Cummins. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That road being portion of Solly Terrace as marked green & marked A on plan No 39 be hereby declared Closed, as per attached order . carried

Proposed by Cr Trestrail Seconded by Cr Ford 16 Apr 1948 Whereas at a meeting duly held this 16th day of April 1948 under the provisions of the Roads (Opening and Closing Act 1932) having been adjourned from 19th day of March 1948, it appears to The District Council of Lincoln that the piece of land hereinafter mentioned is no longer required for the purpose of a road. Notice as required by the said Act having been complied with, and no valid objection to the closing of the said road having been made. Now therefore we the District Council of Lincoln by virtue of the powers given by the said Act, order that about three chains of old road in the Hundred of Cummins, county of Flinders, being that portion of Solly Terrace in the town of Cummins, dividing allotment 46 of portion of Section 3A in L.T.O. plan No 1861 from Blocks 7 and 9 of portion of said Section in L.T.O. plan No 1860 as delineated coloured green and marked A in a map deposited with the Surveyor General, shall henceforth discontinue and cease to be used as a road, and do further order that the said piece of land shall be vested in the Minister of Education. carried unanimously

Re Congestion at Goods Shed & Wharf PL Branch Agricultural Bureau stating they had written Mr Pearson MP pointing out the chronic state of congestion of cargo at PtLincoln Goods Shed and Wharf, requesting him to bring the matter before the appropriate authority. They requested the support of the Council in this matter Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Council support the request to Mr Pearson and ask the Bureau to arrange for some one to give evidence to the Royal Commission on Transport on this matter when the Commission sits at PtLincoln in July or August . carried

Pipe across Road Miss DA Hill requested permission to lay a $\frac{3}{4}$ " water pipe under the road near J Fuss property. Resolved that permission be granted under the usual conditions.

Revd AP Pugh wrote re the unsatisfactory Electric light system at Cummins which at times leaves the town in darkness. Reply that Council will take the matter up with the Proprietor and also point out the difficulty of obtaining an efficient Plant.

16 Apr 1948 Subdivision Plan of Lot 37 Town planner submitted Plan No 692/48 being a subdivision of Lot 37 of Section 3a Cummins into 2 lots A & B for Councils approval or refusal, also asking if this lot is in a shopping area. Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That the plan be approved and advise Town Planner that the shopping area has not yet been defined but that there is a shop on portion of the allotment. carried Cost of Removing Light Poles An account received from Umlaufs for removing telephone poles - £49.19.0 - Overseer stated that Council employees assisted to remove most of the poles. Clerk to return a/c and state the price is exorbitant and request a detailed statement. Re Trucks at Bush Fires Cronin Bros a/c for taking trucks to bush fires. Clerk to reply that although they appreciate what they have done but Council are unable to take any responsibility for payments - only where a truck is employed by Fire Controllers to convey Council fire equipment

Report Overseers report was read Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods} That the Overseers report as read be adopted. carried Old Timber re Bridge Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Freeman} That the timber from bridge near Cummins be brought to Pt Lincoln Depot. carried

Overseers Salary Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods} That Overseers salary be increased by £52 per Annum as from 1st January 1948 making same £2 per week above present award rate. carried

Applications for Junior Clerk- Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Doudle} That applications be called for the position of male junior clerk for Council office - salary at award rates. carried

Cr Freeman requested that about 60 chains of Kapinnie Road that has been washed out, be repaired . This to be done

16 Apr 1948 Re Additional Fire Controller Cr Freeman requested that Council apply to the Minister for permission to appoint an additional fire controller for Karkoo. This to be done

Re Closing Road Cr Freeman stated that the road between Sections 30 and 23 29 & 31 Hd Shannon is not required or

necessary and Council write to Cresco Fertilizers Ltd owners of Sec 30 and ask if they would consent to this road being closed. Clerk to write

Re Street Lights-Cr Trestrail referred to the complaints to street lights at Cummins and asked that SR Furnell be asked to take notice and report to Council on the lights next month. This to be done

Re State of Fire Truck Cr Trestrail asked that the Fire Committee at Cummins be written to through the fire controller DH Blacker re state of fire truck and state that Council consider the best thing to do is to dispose of truck if it is not suitable for the work required Agreed to

Cement for Conveniences Re conveniences - 3 tons of cement be ordered for the construction of public conveniences at Cummins.

Request-Trust Homes Cummins Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That Council write to Housing Trust and request that consideration be given to the building of 10 Trust homes at Cummins which are urgently needed at once. carried

Copies of Minutes- Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Freeman} That until a junior clerk is appointed - the Clerk endeavour to get copies of Council minutes typed and sent to each councillor at least 1 week before the next meeting. carried

More Assistance at Cummins PO Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Council request the PMG through Mr Russell MHR that more assistance be provided at the Cummins PO as the present staff is quite

inadequate to cope with the amount of business transacted there. Carried. Re AA Haines- Re Overseers Report of A.A Haines debiting Council with more loads of gravel than the number recorded by the Power Shovel operator, and also for extra mileage than carted. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods} That a letter be written to Haines stating "From information put before the Council, we regret that we feel duty bound in the execution of our duty to the Ratepayers, to ask you to relinquish your association with this Council. If however you would care to meet the Council at our next meeting, with a view to moderate yourself, we would be pleased for you to do so."

Carried. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Doudle} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment. General A/c £1389.12.8 Govt Grants A/c £1364.8.11. Carried. The matter of Nominations for Councillors being due on 8th May was overlooked, and subsequently the Chairman appointed the Clerk, Alfred H Taylor as Returning Officer

to conduct the Annual Election of Councillors. Prop Cr
Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That the appointment of AH Taylor
as Returning Officer be endorsed. Carried. WG
Morgan Chairman 21.5.48

21 May 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 21st May
1948 Present Crs WG Morgan (Chair) ST Baillie, Jas
Doudle, KW Ford HJ Freeman, AC Trestrail, & P Woods. also
Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer R W Doudle. Minutes of
previous meeting confirmed Financial statement showed a
credit bal of £4889.0.9

Correspondence Loan for Britstand Patrol Highways Dept
advised that the sum of £5260 had been paid to Waymouth
Motor Coy as a loan to the Council in payment of
Britstand HiLift - Motor Patrol as requested on 6th May
1948.

Grant for Sleaford Road -Highways Dept. Advised that
approval had been granted for a grant of £3000 for the
construction of the Sleaford Road from Federal Aid -
Rural Areas Fund.

MR 323 9 Highways Dept advised that approval had been
given for £200 to be transferred from Grant for Main Road
42 to Main Road No 323 to allow this road to be
repaired. Grant -Highways Dept advised the allocation of
£500 to re gravel the causeway at Wanilla Swamp and extra
pipes, and also pipes at Warunda from Federal Aid
District Road Fund.

Hire Rate -Highways Dept advised the approval rate of
hire for Britstand HiLift Patrol is £1.1.0 per hour
including 13/- depreciation.

New West Road -Highways Dept advised that Councils
request for New West Road to Harders Corner to be placed
on Main Road schedule cannot be approved but favourable
consideration will be given for funds to be allotted for
1948/49 for this road from District Roads Fund.

21 May 1948 Kaldow Brimpton Lake Road Highways Dept
stating considerations will be given to the request for
funds for Kaldow - Brimpton Lake Road when the allocation
is being made for 1948/49.

Waterworks Reserve (Sec 19 Uley) Director of Lands
advised that Section 19 Hd Uley had been dedicated as a
Waterworks Reserve under the care of the Minister of
Works. Gazette 26.2.48 (Sec 5 Crown Lands Act 1929/44).

Visit to PL Hospital - Hospital Board Hospitals Dept
advised that Chief Secy Actg Director Gen Med Services &
Secy Hospitals Dept will visit PtLincoln on Wednesday 26
May & would visit PL Hospital at 11 am and would meet one
or 2 members of PL Advisory Committee to discuss
matters. Cr Woods to meet them as representative of this
Council

Re Congestion at Wharf & Sheds RW Pearson MP
acknowledging receipt of Councils letter re congestion of

goods at Railway sheds & wharf and that he has taken up the matter with the Minister - Efforts have been made to relieve the position and will advise later the results.

Re Staff- EHD Russell MHR with a copy of letter from PMG re short staff at Cummins PO & stating the matter will be investigated.

Telephone Line-Deputy PMG Engineering Branch re cutting timber from trees at Cummins interfering with telephone lines.

Re Closing of Road Hd Shannon Cresco Fertilizers Ltd stating they have no objection to the closing of road between Section 23/31 and 29/30 Hd Shannon & that they would be prepared to take over the portion of the road adjoining Sec 30. Clerk to arrange for plan to be drawn up by CL Alexander for the Closing of this road. ORK Borgmeyer also requested the closing of the road and he will take over the portion adjoining his property.

21 May 1948 Re Trust Homes for Cummins-Manager Housing Trust in reply to Council letter - Consideration will be given to the matter of the erection of Trust Homes at Cummins and an officer of the Trust will visit Cummins to obtain the necessary information as to the needs and possibility of building same.

Cronin Bros Tender for Fire Equipment Cronin Bros in reply to Councils letter - stating they were requested by the Officer in charge of Cummins Fire Unit to take equipment to the fires mentioned, and asked the Council to reconsider the matter. Council considers a payment at usual hire rate of truck & driver for the hours they stated on the a/c as a fair charge.

Pipes Across Roads GB Ritchie requested permission to lay a water pipe under the road between Sec 3 Hd Wanilla and 2w Hd Uley. CK Ritchie requested permission to lay a 1" water pipe across road between Section 4 Hd Wanilla & 2w Hd Uley. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Doudle} That permission be granted to both GB & CK Ritchie to lay the pipes as requested subject to the usual conditions & to the satisfaction of Overseer. carried

RF Cockburn thanking Council for their congratulating telegram on him obtaining the American Medal of Freedom.

Re Closing Road Hd Lincoln-CH Whillas requested the consent of Council for the road between Sections 257/8 and 163/4 through his property being closed as this is not required. ST Baillie as Executor of Estate of T Murray asked that the continuation of this road through Sections 364/5/6/7 be also closed. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Council agree to the closing of the road

through the sections mentioned in the requests. (Clerk to arrange for plans to be drawn for closing of same).

Carried.

DJ O'Sullivan re road Wangary to Edillilie requesting same be widened & graded where bad. Overseer had replied to this letter.

21 May 1948 Re Evidence for Transport Committee Secy Stock Owners Assoc requesting that their branch be allowed representation at the enquiry by Royal Commission on Transport when in PtLincoln. This was agreed to - the names of those to give evidence to be supplied as required by the Commission.

Fire Fighting Equipment Kaldow Secy Kaldow Fire Fighting Unit re ordering equipment for fire fighting. Clerk to advise that list of equipment required must be submitted to Council for their approval so as to keep within the limit of funds available.

Re Street Lights Cummins- SR Furnell - Report on Cummins Electric Light as requested also W Umlauf in reference to this matter. Clerk to reply that they have had a check made on street lights - which are not being kept in accordance with your agreement with the Council and if this is not done the Council will have to enforce the penalties in accordance with the agreement.

Charge for Moving EL Poles in Street- Umlauf W re charges for moving poles in Phillip Street. Reply Council cannot pay at the rate charged by you and especially in reference to sinking pot holes for which they cannot pay mechanics rate of pay.

CD Spencer requesting an additional street light at Railway Cottages Cummins - owing to the unsatisfactory lighting no additional street lights will erected at present.

Adelaide Wheel & Rim Works re converting wheels & axles for caravans - Left to Overseer to arrange.

LG Assoc re Mens Wages a/c Secy Local Govt Assoc re increase of 3/- per week in mens wages from 1st May also report of half yearly meeting held on 12 March last and the Aust Municipal Journal as official organ of the Association.

21 May 1948 Secy Cummins A & H Socy re small charge for use of building by Council employees of 1/- per man per week. Council agreed to this charge.

Re MA Bascombe & Purchase of Old Truck PJ Kelly for MA Bascombe returning Councils cheque of 1st March £50 posted to MA Bascombe in payment of old AEC Truck sold by

Bascombe to Council which he now disputes, stating he did not sell the engine - This was left to Overseer and CR Doudy to arrange best terms of settlement.

Minutes of Conference EP Local Govt Copy of Minutes and business of Annual Conference held at Whyalla on 22nd March. Recd

Re Salaries of Officers- Secy EP Local Govt Officers Assoc re recent award giving workmen a substantial increase in wages which the Council staff have not received making a Gangers wages higher than the Clerk or Overseer and asking Councils to consider the Officers salaries. After discussion - Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Doudle} that the Clerks salary be increased to £450 per annum as from 1st January 1948. carried

Fire Unit & Equipment Cummins DH Blacker Fire Controller Cummins re Fire Truck Resolved that Clerk write asking that a meeting of Fire Committee be called to consider the whole position of trailer pump truck & equipment, and submit a recommendation to the Council re sale of truck and or return of trailer pump - The 2 Councillors for Ward will also attend the meeting.

Re Overhauls for Winning Crew DH Blacker re Competition to be held and winning crew being sent to Adelaide to compete and asking Council to donate overhauls to each member if crew appointed for Adelaide. Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Ford} That Council donate overhauls to each member of winning crew the same as last year. carried

District Council of Lincoln 18 Jun 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 18th June 1948 Present Crs (WG Morgan (Chair) ST Baillie, Jas Doudle, KW Ford HJ Freeman, AC Trestrail & P Woods. Also Clerk AH Taylor and Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement showed a credit of £3572.5.10

Re Loan for Purchase of Rooter Correspondence -- Highways advised that approval had been granted for an advance of £500 to purchase a Le Tourneau Hi Lift Rooter. Clerk reported that draft in payment of the loan of £492.15.7 had since been paid into Councils current a/c -- Cheque to be drawn to Tutt & Bryant.

Re an Additional Dist Council Director of Local Govt advised re application of Council for Hds of Mortlock, Cummins, Shannon, & Mitchell to be severed from this Council and be declared a separate Council and stating the petition must come from a majority of the Ratepayers of the Hundreds concerned and not from the Council. Also that the proposal has been objected to by Tumby Bay D.C.

Re Long Service of Cr Morgan MA 147/47 RW Pearson MP in reference to Councils letter re the long service to the community of Mr WG Morgan as Councillor for the years - he has made representations to the Premier Mr Playford, which will receive the consideration of the appropriate authorities.

Re Handling Goods at Ry Goodshed & Wharf RW Pearson MP - in reply to letter- stating the Railway Commr has completed plans for improving the shunting and handling of goods at PtLincoln Goods shed - including lengthening the shed by 50 ft. Also that the SA Harbors Bd are considering of the erection of an additional jetty to cope with the increase in shipping.

Additional Fire Controller The Secretary advised that the Minister of Agriculture had approved of an additional Fire Controller being appointed by the Council making 16 in all.

District Council of Lincoln 18 Jun 1948 Fire F Units at Karkoo CJ Wagner Secy Fire F Committee at Karkoo stating the plant ordered by them - Clerk stated the rate for Shannon Ward had now been over-spent. It was resolved that Council authorise the purchase be limited to 8 semi rotary pumps which have been received and one Kelly & Lewis pump (or a similar unit) for this year.

Destruction of Vermin Director of Lands advised the month of July had been proclaimed the winter period for

simultaneous destruction of vermin - Clerk to advertise in local newspaper

FC Lloyd to Town Planning Appeal Board President of Local Govt Assoc requesting the vote of this Council to the nomination of Assoc Secy FC Lloyd as a member of Town Planning Appeal Board. Resolved that Council vote for Mr Lloyd

Secy Brimpton Lake Bureau re roads in that area

Timber on Road Obstructing View Secy Mt Hope Bureau re timber on road near Mt Hope Railway obstructing the view of approaching vehicles - Overseer reported this had been attended to.

Re Road near Kapinnie AG Green stating that he would shortly be fencing his block when a gravel pit will be on the road. Also requested permission to erect a bypass on the road on north end, the ramp can be inspected there - Resolved that the Overseer inspect and report at next meeting.

Tender for Cairn Tender for the erection of Cairn for Flinders Memorial at Sleaford received from E Follett for £15.10.0 - Council to obtain the cement (4 bags) Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Doudle} That this tender be accepted. carried

Deputy Prices Commr - Circular in explanation of regulation order No 3308 re State House building material without a permit

District Council of Lincoln 18 Jun 1948 Transfers of Land Transfers of land registered at Lands Titles Office Crown to Morgan & Son Section 218 Hd Warrow Sawyer M & AG to Holland CE Blocks 87/8 of Sec 63 Hd Lincoln Shipard KS to Coats JL . DK & LB Sec 41 Hd Wanilla Murray JT Est to Murray DP & Baillie ST as Trustees Secs 162. 164 . 364/5/6/7 Hd Louth Cresco Fertilizer Co to Hodge HG Sec 34 Hd Mitchell Wilson RR to Roediger BC & VC Sec 104 Hd Shannon McSweeney MS to Symons KJ Lot 21 of Blk 1 of Sec 3a Hd Cummins Prop Cr Doudle/ Sec Cr Woods} That Clerk make the above alterations in Assessment Book . carried

Guarantee Drs Salary Dr MG Gratton. Letter & Statement of Receipts & Expenditure for year ending 29.2.48. duly certified & showing a deficit of £56.10.2 under Council guarantee for 12 months also stated the amount of Guarantee is not sufficient under present conditions. Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Council pay Dr Gratton the sum of £56.10.2 being the difference between his gross receipts and the Guarantee. Also to state that if Dr Gratton intends to apply for an increase

in the guarantee for the current year - the Council will not make a decision but will be guided by the wishes of ratepayers of Mortlock & Shannon Wards . carried

SR Williams, G Morriss & others re bad state of Halls Gully Road

Occupier MH Doudle applied to have his name inserted as occupier of Block 5a Hd Ulipa (R Hawsons) Now Section No 105 Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That MH Doudle be inserted in the Assesment Book as occupier of Section 105 Hd Ulipa. carried

Stock on Road Proper Bay Secy PL & NS Race Club re stock of Karoukus being on road at Proper Bay & thence on racecourse. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods} That Karoukus be ordered to keep his stock off the road & Race Club Notified that they can impound stock trespassing on their property. carried

18 Jun 1948 Closed Road to SAR CL Alexander - Forms for signature of Landholders for purchase of Land in Roads to be Closed Hd Lincoln & Louth. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Council agrees to the land on the road over Ry line at Coomunga to be closed, being vested in SA Railway Commr . carried

Machy Loan Highways Dept stating the total of Loan to Council in connexion with plant as follows: HD7 Tactor £1550, PCU £200. Dozer £250 Total £2000

Rates & Arrears Struck Out Proposed Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That the following rates on property purchased by or surrendered to Crown - be struck out: Assessment 247 Louth Blk 1 Hd Wanilla in error this has been paid £8.10.0 Assessment 781 Yalluna Pty Ltd Hd Wangary £16.11.11 Assessment 376 Ex SA Hill Lot 37 of 2w Cummins 10/3 Also arrears on Sec 12 Hd Flinders £ 9.18.8 Carried Total £27.0.10

Re A/c for Moving EL Poles Re a/c for moving Elect Light poles in Phillip St Cummins Prop Cr Ford /Sec Cr Trestrail} That Council offer to W Umlauf £40 in full settlement of the above a/c . carried

Special Meeting Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Freeman} That owing to the Election the next meeting be held on 9th July as a Special Meeting & the following meetings on 30 July & 20th August 1948. carried

Report Overseers Report Read Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Doudle} That Overseers report as read be adopted . Carried

Re Price of Power Shovel for Sale Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Overseer negotiate with AA Malcolm for the sale to him of Power Shovel and report to next

meeting. Also get the N.SP price allowed for same.
Carried

Re Telephone Poles on Foot Path Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Council write to P.M.G requesting that the telephone poles in McFarlane St in the centre of foot path be moved to the edge of footpath to enable the footpath to be constructed. Carried

District Council of Lincoln 18 Jun 1948 Re Road Signs Prop Cr Woods }that as advertisements have been put on road direction signs, it was resolved that a notice be inserted in PL Times That advertisements and any other writing on road signs is not allowed.

Phone Service to Mt Hope Cr Woods requested that the PMG be again written to in reference to unsatisfactory telephone service to Mt Hope. This to be done.

Fire Controller Shannon Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Hiram Longmire be appointed an additional fire controller for Hd Shannon. Carried

Request- Cr Freeman also requested that holes on Main Road near Karkoo be attended to . This to be done.

Re Slaters Road Cr Trestrail requested that RW Paynter be written to for information re transfer of Road closed & exchanged with AJ Slater Sec 20 Hd Cummins. plan 35 (11/11/41) Request Cr Ford stated that Mr Dahlitz requested that more gravel be put on Marble View Road. Overseer to attend Also that Mr Badman expressed his thanks for work done on his road. Cr Baillie requested that Commr Highways be written to re an extra Councillor for Louth Ward. He also asked for pipes to be put on road to Louth Bay Jetty

Accounts Prop Cr Doudle/ Sec Cr Woods} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment - Gen a/c £1584.18.10. Purchase of Rooter from Loan £492.15.7. Govt Grants a/c £877.6.1. Carried

This being the last meeting that Cr Doudle will attend owing to his retirement, He expressed his appreciation of the assistance given to him during his term as Councillor by the Chairman Councillors & Staff and wished them all the best for the future. The Chairman responded & wished Mr Doudle the best of health etc for the future and also thanked all Councillors & staff for their support during the past year & stated he would be sorry to lose Cr Doudle. Crs Ford, Baillie, & Trestrail responded.

WG Morgan

Minutes of meeting held on 30th July 1948 Present Crs WG Morgan (Chair) ST Baillie, KH Ford, HJ Freeman, DK Speed, AC Trestrail & P Woods. Also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Finances Financial statement showed a credit of £1909.0.3

Correspondence Director of Lands advised that Section 3a Hd Mitchell is held by Land Grant to Trustees of Kapinnie Hall.

Licence of S.S Land Director of Lands advised licence issued to AG Strudwick of Edillilie to occupy Sec 2 Hd Mortlock at a fee of £350 and also Sections 5/7. 16/7. 20/2. & 65 Hd Wanilla at £300, both to 31st Jany 1949 _ Strudwick to pay Rate during currency of licence.

Foot Crossing at Cummins Supt SAR in reply to Councils request _ advised that the opening at the Railway foot Crossing to CWA Rest room at Cummins will be widened to allow perambulators being taken through -- Clerk replied he had advised CWA and M & B Health Assoc.

Wangary Phone Exchange EDH Russell MHR -- advising that the hours of attendance at Wangary Telephone Exchange had been increased to 9 am to 9 pm Monday to Friday & 9 till 1 on Saturday.

Sale of Front End Loader Deputy Prices Commr stating the maximum sale price allowed for Council Power Shovel is £712 (including freight to PtLincoln) This being 10% off cost price)

Re Phone for Siren Cummins PMG Department with application form for phone work with drop switch indicator to be submitted in reference to the instalation of a Siren at Cummins. This to be completed

30 Jul 1948 Basic Wage Increase Secy Local Govt Association advising that the basic wages of employees is to be increased by 3/- per week from 1st August.

Evidence for Tranport Commission AL Derrington, Secy Stock Owners Assoc Pt Lincoln stating it is proposed to give evidence before the Royal Commission on Transport when they visit Pt Lincoln and that T Kidman and AL Derrington will submit the evidence on Freighting, Jetty Handling, and Handling of Wool Grain & Stock on E.P.

Fire Rate Mortlock Ward for Fire Truck Secy Cummins Fire Fighting Committee at Cummins stating that at a recent meeting of ratepayers of Mortlock Ward, it was resolved that a Fire rate of 6d be levied on the Hundreds concerned, for the purchase of a suitable Fire Truck the said rate to be levied for 3 years. He also requested

a full statement of Receipts & Expenditure of Fire Rate up to 30 June 1948 for Mortlock Ward.

Re Rates & Roads on Thistle Island C Wade of Thistle Island re rates - and requested that Thistle Island be struck out of Council area. Also wrote in reference to the roads on the Island and that nothing has been done to them with rates collected. Clerk to write to Wade stating that Councils previous offer to consider the payment for work done on his roads if he submits a statement of work done and cost of same. Also that the Council would like Mr Wade to call on the Council and talk the matter over with them at one of their meetings.

Park Lands Preservation League Hon Secy Parklands Preservation League on the prevention of the Alienation of Parklands & Reserves -- Clerk to reply that Council are in sympathy with the object of the League and suggest they write to Secy Parks & Gardens Committee at Cummins on the matter.

Stray Dogs & Petrol Tax Letters from H W Tossill Kadina in reference to stray dog nuisance in towns and that the matter be handed over to the Police Dept. And also re Petrol Tax being all allotted for Road Improvement

30 Jul 1948 Re Stray Dog Nuisance Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Council write to Minister of Local Govt requesting that matter of the stray dogs menace in towns be handed to the Police Department to proceed against the owners of stray dogs. Carried Report Overseers report was read Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Ford} That the Overseers report as read be adopted. Carried

Re MA Bascombe sale of AEC truck Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Speed} That Councils solicitor write to MA Bascombe to compel him to complete the contract of sale to the Council of secondhand AEC truck chassis as agreed. Carried Stones on Road Cr Speed requested that the big stones left on road at Mt Hope be removed while the gang is there. Granted Requests Cr Freeman requested that about 60 chains of dozing be done on the road east of Railway line opposite Sec 48 Hd Shannon. Granted. Also that about 30 chains of dozing be done on road to Sec 40 Hd Cummins granted Purchase of Shed at Cummins Proposed Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Freeman} That Council agree to purchase an iron shed from Mrs Ford for housing the fire fighting equipment at Cummins for the sum of £100 which is now under offer to them. Carried

Doudy re AA Hains reinstating. Resolved that CR Doudy be notified that AA Hains has gone to Adelaide for medical treatment for weeks, and possibly months, and ask him to act for the Council accordingly.

Re Sale of Power Shovel. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods} That Council dispose of the front end loader for ASP price-£712 Carried Garbage Rate Cr Ford brought up the matter of the garbage rate at Cummins but this was left over until the General rate is being decided

30 Jul 1948 03 Jul 1948 Appeal- Re United Nations Appeal for Children in Europe -- This was left to Cr Ford to make arrangements for collections in Cummins area.

Request Cr Baillie stated that about 3 miles of road to Dockings badly needed grading and that if Council would supply the grader - Docking would do the work. Left to Overseer

Re Councillors Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods} That Council write again to the Minister of Local Govt re an extra Councillor for Louth Ward. Carried Re Raising the Assessment 15% Re raising the assessment - following the appointment of the Clerk to revise the Assessment . Cr Trestrail prop/ C Woods Sec} that Clerk be instructed to increase the Assessment on a 15% basis. Amendment by Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Speed} that the increase be 12 ½ %. The amendment was lost and motion carried by 4 votes to 3.

Accounts Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment General a/c £828.1.5 Govt Grants a/c £423.8.10 carried

WG Morgan

District Council of Lincoln 9 Jul 1948 Minutes of meeting held 9th July 1948 Present Crs ST Baillie, KW Ford, HJ Freeman, WG Morgan, DK Speed, AC Trestrail, & P Woods. Clerk reported that result of annual election Crs WG Morgan & Ford were reelected for Warrow & Mortlock Wards, and DK Speed elected for Ulipa Ward - by a majority of 2 votes. Allowance to Chairman Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods} That the Chairmans allowance for current year be £35 paid quarterly in advance. Carried Chairman Prop Cr Baillie /Sec Cr Ford} That Cr WG Morgan be again appointed Chairman. Carried Cr Morgan took the Chair and thanked Councillors for his appointment. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement showed a credit of £2584.11.8

Grant Correspondence - Highways Dept advised that approval had been given for an expenditure of £500 in constructing approaches to new bridge at Peelina Creek and up to £1000 for improving the waterway of the creek. Expenditure to be from Council funds to be claimed for under DO numbers & separate paysheets kept. Director of Lands advised that Water Reserves Nos 1 & 2 Hd Wanilla have been resumed by the Crown as per proclamation of 27.5.48.

Re Building Surveyor Secy Minister of Agriculture re Licenced Building Surveyors and that if none are available for appointment - arrangements may be made with Adelaide City Councils Surveyor as a part time Building Surveyor.

Account W Umlauf agreed to accept £40 in full settlement for removing E light poles in Phillip St Cummins, and also for the payments for street lighting to be credited against arrears of rates until rates are paid.

9 Jul 1948 Donation Mothers & Babies Health Assoc requested the renewal of Councils donation towards the Cummins Centre Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods} That Council donate £5.5.0 for current year. Carried

Re Crossing to Rest Room Cummins Secy M & B Health Assoc also CWA at Cummins, pointing out the inconvenience to mothers with their babies, owing to the narrow openings at the crossing over Ry line to the CWA rest room - and reported that the openings be enlarged to allow prams to go through Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Council approach the Railway Dept requesting them to have the openings widened to allow prams to pass through. Re Tree Planting Cummins Agricult Bureau requested the support of the Council in connexion with tree planting - 1. By setting aside areas. 2. By Clearing same. & 3 By

supplying protecting material. Resolved that Council are willing to assist where suitable sites are submitted to the Council and approved by them. Re Fire Siren Cummins Secy Cummins Institute wrote stating their committee had agreed to Council erecting a fire siren on Institute property. The Council to be responsible for erecting and maintenance of same. Notice of Motion Secy Local Govt Assoc re Notice of Motion for the annual meeting in September. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That Notice of Motion be submitted as follows "That the maximum rate that can be declared under Local Govt Act Section 239 be increased from 3/- to 4/- and under Sections 234 II (a) and Section 240 be increased from 3/6 to 4/6. This being necessary owing to the increased cost of all road work and wages etc. Carried Lawyers Letter re AA Haines Villenerve Smith & Harford on account of AA Haines requesting Council to reconsider Haines position and reinstate him, otherwise legal proceedings for damages wrongful dismissal will be instituted.

9 Jul 1948 Re Employed CR Doudy Councils Soliciter waited on the Council and gave his advice on the position following which it was prop by Cr Trestrail & Sec Cr Woods} That Council agrees to reemploy AA Haines as Health Inspector at Cummins, and street cleaner at Cummins. This offer be made through Councils solicitor without prejudice. Carried

Transfers of Land Transfers of land registered at Lands Titles Office Jones AL to Head JM PtBlks 34. 38.39. (D of Sec 16) Hd Lincoln Parfit LM to Feltus LM to Lock AE Lot 58 Coultas Puckridge EM & Anr to Agars SH Sec 104 Hd Warrow Puckridge EM & Anr to Puckridge EM Sec 108 Hd Warrow Parker EH to Parker EH & AG Lot 2 of Sec 3a Cummins Woodfield E & Anr to Letton AJ Lot 10 of 8 of Sec 3a Cummins Roediger BC to Rowe LV Lot 48 of 2w Cummins Public Trustee to Quinn AP Lot 22 & 31 Edillilie Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That the Clerk make the above alteration in Assessment Book Carried Assest Revision Committee -Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Baillie} That all Councillors be appointed to Assessment Revision Committee . Carried Meetings Prop Cr Freeman /Sec Cr Trestrail} That a special meeting be held on 30 July and the following meeting on 3rd Friday in each month at 10 30 am. Carried Travelling Allowance- Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Speed} That Councillors travelling allowance be 7/6 first mile and 1/3 each additional mile - one way. Carried

Sign Cheques- Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods} That all Councillors sign cheques - and that all cheques be signed

by any two Councillors and countersigned by the Clerk .
Carried

Solicitor Retained-Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Freeman} That CR
Doudy be retained as Councils solicitor. Carried

Revise Assessment Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Speed} That the
Clerk AH Taylor revise the Assessment at a fee of £5.5.0.
Carried

District Council of Lincoln 9 Jul 1948 Overseers report
was read- Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That
Overseers report as read be adopted . carried

Clerk was instructed to write to Lands Dept re ownership
of Sec 3a Hd Mitchell. Also to write to B Ness & JR
Winstanley thanking them for their contribution of land
to widen the road from Flinders Highway to near
Kapinnie Also to write to Local Govt Assoc for advice re
protection of employees in such a case as the recent
conviction against MH Gibbons tipping gravel on wrong
side of road. Also write Lands Dept and enquire the
Authority for the erection of shacks at MS 108 & MS 109
Hd Lincoln, between the District Road and highwater mark
opposite Section 99 Hd Lincoln.

Requests Cr Woods requested that 12" pipes be put in
across the road between Secs 252 and 253 Hd Lincoln. Cr
Freeman asked that repairs be done on road adjoining Sec
16 Hd Shannon also on road to Rodgers Section 27 Hd
Mitchell. Cr Trestrail reported on a Ratepayers meeting
held at Cummins which was very gratifying to the 3
Councillors - 80 ratepayers being present. The request of
Dr Gratton for a guarantee of a gross salary of £1000 was
considered reasonable, The outcome of which an agreement
to guarantee £1000 from 30 June 1948 to 30 6.1949 being
drawn up and submitted to the Council at the next meeting
-- There was also a unanimous decision to go on with the
Petition in reference to the division of Council area or
transfer the office to Cummins. G Baillie reported that
street at North Shields had been fenced across by GR
Baillie. This has been done without authority
evidently. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Baillie} That the
following accounts as read be passed for payment General
a/c £949.3.4 Govt Grants a/c £491.8.0 carried

WG Morgan Chairman 30.7.48

District Council of Lincoln 20 Aug 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 20th August 1948 Present Crs WG Morgan (Chair) ST Baillie, KW Ford, HJ Freeman DH Speed, AC Trestrail & P Woods. Also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RA Doudle Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement showed a credit of £1589.19.2.

Correspondence Grant Coffin Bay Rd Highways Dept advised that a special grant of £700 had been allotted for Coffin Bay Road (Supervisor £5) Advance Highways Dept advised that an advance of £1000 would be made in anticipation of Main Road Grant. Fed Aid for current year. Secy Highways regretted the charge of £250 had been made on Bulldozer which had been purchased from Tutt Bryant and not from Dept. Concrete Culverts- Highways Dept with formal notice of intention to construct 4 reinforced concrete culverts on M Road No 42 at Section 66. 64. 1w & 36. Hd Cummins.

Grant in Aid- Highways Dept advised that the amount of Grant in Aid allotted for current year is £804.

Re re-locate road Surveyor General re relocating the 3 chain road running through Block 3A Hd Wanilla (Wm McFarlane Lessee) and putting it further north. If so the present portion would have to be closed as Crown Land. Requesting Council's attitude to the change Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} that Council have no objection to the proposal. Carried

District Council of Lincoln 20 Aug 1948 Re Petrol Tax Collected Russell EHD, MHR with letter from Actg Fed Treasurer (JJ Dedman) to Hon EJ Ward outlining Fed Govt attitude in respect to Petrol Tax and in reply to Councils request that the tax be spent on road improvements.

Re Councillor Louth Ward H & L5D 847/47 Secy Minister of Local Government in reference to Councils previous letter in reference to Petition for an additional Councillor for Louth Ward. Stating that the matter cannot be reopened at this time other than by a petition as provided by the Act.

Re Qualified Building Surveyor to assist Council Town Clerk Adelaide re the services of qualified Building Surveyors from Adelaide City Council staff assisting Councils in giving names of those available and suggestion as to remuneration, but the arrangements must be made by this Council with the officer concerned. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That application be made to Minister of Local Govt for exemption of Council from the provision of Qualified Building Inspector. Also that SR

Furnell be appointed Building Inspector subject to the consent of Minister of Local Govt . Carried

Phone Service Mt Hope EHD Russell MHR with letter from PMG stating the improvements that have been made in the telephone service between P.L and Mt Hope and intermediate offices.

Plan Surveyor General with plan and notice re closing roads in Hd of Lincoln & Louth to be dealt with on 17th September

Permanent Marks Surveyor General in reference to Permanent Marks and outline of position of these marks and necessary coverings for their preservation.

Occupier CF Starke applied to have his name inserted in Assessment Book as Occupier of Sec 31 Hd Mortlock P. Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That request be granted. Carried

District Council of Lincoln 20 Aug 1948 Lease Road -WP Mattner request to lease the road on South of Sec 171 Hd Lincoln was granted.

Resignation PJ Houston tendered his resignation as Fire Controller for Hd Warrow owing to leaving Coultas to reside in Pt Lincoln. Cr Woods /Cr Baillie} That resignation be accepted with regret and Mr Houston be thanked for his past services to the Council & district. Carried

Transfer of Land Bagots Executor & T Co advised that Lot 9 & 10 Louth Bay had been transferred from Mr AK Goodes Estate to EA & RF Goode & HK Best.

Road Accident AH Puckridge wrote re accident that he had on West Main Road when his car overturned where grading was in progress. Clerk to reply that Council regret that he had an accident and that it appears that the work being done was purely a maintenance job similar to Patrol grader work and also that Council employees are instructed to take all precautions to prevent accidents occurring where work is in progress

Patrol Roads before Cycle Race Secy P.L.A Cycling Club re their 100 mile cycle race in Sept and asking if the roads that they traverse could be graded prior to that date. Overseer to arrange if possible to patrol the roads about that time.

Light at Rear of Cumm Institute Secy Cummins Institute stating that a light had been erected at the rear of the Institute which is connected with street lights & cost £6.10.0 per year and requesting Council to refund them this amount. On the motion of Crs Ford & Trestrail, the request was granted. Public Conveniences Secy also wrote requesting that the building of public conveniences

at the rear of Institute property be expedited. Reply this has been held up for completion of plans etc and they will be commenced as soon as possible.

20 Aug 1948 Donation requested- Secy Cummins Institute also requested a donation from the Council towards Institute funds. Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Ford} That Council finances will not permit a donation being made at present but the matter will be again considered at a later date. Carried New Truck for Fire Fighting Equipment Cummins The Chairman Cummins Fire Fighting Committee appointed to go into the matter of a fire truck, recommended the purchase of a 4.5 ton Dodge truck fully equipped for fire fighting purposes from Blacker & Blesing for the sum of £1180, and requesting Council to arrange for payment of a deposit of £900 on the truck and the balance on completion and delivery of the truck fully equipped. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That Council agrees to the purchase of the truck for £1180 but owing to the financial position will not be able to provide the £900 until the Rate has been declared for current year and finance arranged, in approximately 6 weeks time. Carried Insure Truck Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That the Fire Fighting Committee at Cummins be requested to arrange for the insurance of the Dodge truck to its full insurable value immediately on taking possession of same. Carried

Call Tenders Prop Cr Speed/ Sec Cr Baillie} That tenders be called for the purchase of the old S.H Dodge truck now at Blacker & Blesings -- no tender necessarily accepted. Carried

Councillor Louth Ward Secy Minister Local Govt re previous petition for an extra Councillor for Louth Ward, which the Minister did not grant and stated "The matter cannot now be reopened other than by a petition in accordance with the Act"

Re Lease of Land Proper Bay Rd. Nicholas & Economus made application for lease of ground at Proper Bay, being portion of road Closed for lease to SA Fishermans Cooperative which has not yet been accepted. Clerk reported that he had written the SA Fishermans Coop

20 Aug 1948 asking them if they intend to exercise the option to lease the land and if not the offer will be withdrawn. This was endorsed by Council. Nicholas & Economus application held over for a reply from SA. F. Coop.

District Engineer Highways with agreement for signature by AG Strudwick to dispose of land for 3 chain road on

eastern boundary of Section 4 & 61 Hd Mortlock with plan of same. Recd

Transfers Transfers of land registered at Deeds Office Cooper RJ to Solly H Sec 276 Hd Louth Durdin F.E to Bonney PH Lot C of Pt Sec 2w Cummins Dodd AW to Savings Bank of SA (A) Pt Lot 6 of Sec 2w Cummins Reed SM to Reed JR Lot 59 of Sec 2w Cummins Slater AJ to Slater EM Lot 8 of Blk 8 of Sec 3a Cummins Murton RW to RAOB Centenary Lodge 183 Lot 9 of Blk 8 of Sec 3a Cummins McSweeney to Green EMH Lot 20 of Blk 1 of Sec 3a Cummins Blacker WR to Cock KT Lot 46 of Blk 1 of Sec 3a Cummins Prop Cr Baillie Sec Cr Freeman That Clerk enter the above alterations in Assessment Book. Carried Secy Fire Fighting Committee Warrow Ward stating rate payers do not require a special fire rate this year for Warrow Ward . Recd

349/48 Highways Dept advised the approval of the following grants under Fed Aid Roads Rural Areas: Coffin Bay £700 Road No 9 to No 42 (Wanilla S) £300 Deviation to Bratten Way Main £100 New West Road £1600 Council contribution £300 Freeman Road £300 Council Contribution £300 £ 3000 £ 600 Supervisor £79 . Recd MB Dunstan & LW Kelly requested grading to be done on road adjoining Sections 28 . 38. 39. Hd Mitchell 1 ½ miles. Council will endeavour to have this done in the near future.

20 Aug 1948 Petition AC Daley & 9 other Ratepayers petitioned for the grading of the road between Sections 38. 36.34. on North and 30. 33. 32 on South Hd Mitchell & that this be done before harvest. Reply Council are endeavouring to obtain a grant from the Govt for this road.

Petition re Grading WA Roesler, LW Kelly, & 13 others complaining that road job in their district have not been completed and asking when they will be completed and whose responsibility it i.s Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Freeman} That Council realise the difficulty they have experienced and also they have every confidence in their Overseer. They expect the heavy plant will be in that district before long and a complete survey will be made of their requirements and see what can be done . Carried

Railway Flood Water Openings RW Pearson - Letter to him from Secy Minister of Railways re flood waters Cummins, and that plans have been completed for lowering the inverts of existing openings and to provide additional openings. Cr Ford/ Cr Trestrail} It was resolved that Council write Minister of Railway requesting that the project outlined in this letter be held in abeyance and the project submitted to Ry Dept in November 1947 for an

opening under Ry line opposite Section 30 Hd Mortlock be a prior operation as Council consider this more essential job than the one mentioned . Carried

Public Phone Box Mt Hope-Prop Cr Speed/ Sec Cr Woods} That Council support the report from Mt Hope that a public telephone box be installed at Mt Hope as at present the phone is operated in the front room of a private residence. Carried

Fire Unit Cummins Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie} That Council send a letter of congratulation to Cummins Fire Unit for their success in the competition recently held at PtLincoln (on 14th) Carried

UNAC Appeal Cummins Cr Ford reported on the success of the appeal at Cummins on behalf of UNAC when over £90 was collected. Resolved that Mr Jenkin & Rev Trenorden be thanked for their efforts in this appeal.

Requests Cr Ford. That the patrol grader do the road to New Show Ground Also the road from Saleyards to Siviours be graded Also on Mr Drummond road near EGL Blackers And that a standpipe be again erected at Furnells Corner for use of ratepayers. granted

Overseers Report was read & adopted on the motion of Cr Woods Sec by Cr Speed It was agreed that the Overseer take his Holiday from 27 August

Reports Cr Woods- That repairs be done on Happy Valley Road - Lincoln Springs to cemetary. Also on road to Coomunga Siding Also that CK Ritchie be requested to move Jinker from Main Road No 9. Granted.

Cr Speed reported that the Mt Hope Hall Committee are agreeable for the Flinders Centenary Memorial Plaque to be put on Mt Hope Hall if it is so desired.

Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Baillie} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment Gen a/c Govt Grants a/c carried WG Morgan Chairman 17.9.48

District Council of Lincoln 17 Sep 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 17th September 1948 Present Crs WG Morgan (Chair) ST Baillie ,KW Ford ,HJ Freeman DK Speed, AC Trestrail & P Woods, also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement showed a credit of £1388.11.0

Correspondence ____ Building surveyor Highways Dept to Chairman asking to be advised the action taken by Council to obtain a Certificated Building Surveyor. Also to advise if SR Furnell is an officer of the Council & particulars of his qualifications. Reply Council have found it impossible to obtain a certificated Bdg Surveyor in the district. Furnell is a part time employee of the Council and has had considerable building experience having erected numerous buildings in the district & Council have confidence in his ability.

Land from Reserve for Road. Highways asking if Council have any objection to about 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ acre acres being taken from Recreation Reserve No 76 Hd Mortlock for the purpose of a road 3 chains wide on Western side of Railway line. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That Council have no objection to a strip 3 chains wide being taken for a Main Road. Carried

Main Road grant Highways Dept advised the Main Road Grant allotted for this year total £7600 including £31 Supervision.

Re Flood waters Minister of Railways in reply to Councils letter re flood waters near Cummins -- Councils request will receive consideration.

Phone Mt Hope Telephone Branch PMG Dept stating that the matter of a 'Telephone Box' at Mt Hope Exchange will be investigated and Council duly advised.

District Council of Lincoln 17 Sep 1948 Re Site for Fish Factory SA Fishermens Co Operative re site at Proper Bay - They had written to JC Dunn for a report, and the matter will be dealt with at their next meeting and advise Council immediately.

R A A re tree Royal Automobile Assoc of SA re tree on side of road near The Fountain being too close to the formation. Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods } That Clerk reply -- That the road passes through an avenue of trees, from which Council considers all dangerous trees have been removed, and road considered safe for traffic. Carried

Royal AA to supply signs Royal AA also offered to supply warning signs for use where road work is being carried

out, free of cost viz "Slow Road Up" & "Detour" Right & Left sign. Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods } That Council thank them for their offer which the Council will be pleased to accept. Carried Suggest Royal AA Branch on EP. Also suggest to the Assoc that they open up a branch on lower Eyre Peninsula, in consideration of the great advance of the area during the last few years and is still increasing in importance. Carried. Secy Local Govt Assoc with copy of Legal Opinion re Truck on wrong side of road when tipping road material.

Re Noxious Weeds Secy P Lincoln branch of Agric Bureau re destruction of noxious weeds with a copy of a Notice issued by Tumby Bay D/C. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Baillie } That Council are not in favour of a special date for this purpose but will endeavour to have the destruction of Noxious Weeds increased. Carried.

Donation Minda Home appeal for donation Motion Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Ford } That £1.1.0 be donated as usual. Carried
C Wade re roads on Thistle Island - received

17 Sep 1948 Lease road A & F Puckridge made application to lease the road between Section 124 Hd Warrow and Secs 207/8 Hd Lake Wangary. Request granted under usual conditions. EP Local Govt Assoc - Replies received to a number of resolutions passed at the last Annual Conference held at Whyalla on 22-3-48. Roads closed Hds Louth & Lincoln Closing of roads Plan No 40 Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Baillie } That the roads as delineated coloured green and marked A. B. C. D. E. F. G. on plan No 40 deposited with the Surveyor General are no longer required as roads, and are hereby ordered to be closed in accordance with the provision of Roads (Opening & Closing) Act and portion of same sold, portion surrendered to the Crown, & portion vested in the SA Railway Commissioner . Carried

Transfers land Transfers of land registered by Reg General of Deeds. Murton RW to Dodd WA Lot 21 of Sec 2w Cummins Mickan LK & Anr to Mickan LH Pt Sec 21 Hd Cummins Mickan LK & Anr to Mickan AC Pt Sec 21 Hd Cummins AMSCO Ltd to Geue EW Lots 8. 9. 14. of Sec 3a Hd Cummins Jericho FJ to Jericho NA Pt Sec 17NE (496 acres) Hd Cummins Cronin MP to RAOB GLE GLSA Centenary Lodge Lot 31 of Sec 2w Hd Cummins Walsh MJ to RAOB GLE GLSA Centenary Lodge B of Lot 30 of 2w Hd Cummins Whait JD to Coffey PJ Lot 4 Edillilie Ritchie CK to Crown (Minister of Works) Sec 2 Hd Wanilla Barraud FC Est to Barraud Dons SL Secs 143.150. 43. of 1/29 436/7 .440 Hd Louth. Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods } That Clerk make the above alterations in Assessment Book. Carried

Lord Mayor of Adelaide re finance the Royal Visit .
Received

Court of Appeal Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods} That
Assessment Revision Committee sit as a Court of Appeal to
hear appeals on 15 October 1948 at 2 pm.

17 Sep 1948 Assessment adopted New Assessment as revised
by AH Taylor was presented to Council. Prop Cr Freeman/
Sec Cr Baillie} That revised assessment of £69,807 as
presented by AH Taylor be adopted as the Assessment for
year ending 30 June 1949. Carried

Re Visit of Secy H & L Govt. Crs Woods & Freeman & Clerk
reported on the visit of Mr R Davis Secy to H & L Govt
and the various items explained by him in connexion with
Machy Loans and working costs. Also that they had agreed
on behalf of the Council for a monthly payment of £175 &
instalment off present Machy Loans due.

Repayment of loans Prop Cr Morgan /Sec Cr Trestrail }
That the action taken by Cr Woods & Freeman & staff be
endorsed . carried

Advertise for Junior Clerk Prop Cr Ford /Sec Cr Woods}
That Council again advertise for a Junior Clerk for
Council office (in PL Times & Advertiser) First class
salary according to age & ability. carried Following the
Overseers report being read it was adopted on the motion
of Crs Woods & Speed.

Re Terms for Sale Power Shovel Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr
Woods} That AN Malcolms offer to purchase Power Shovel
for £712. Terms £212 down and £50 per month be
accepted. Fee for revising assessment Prop Cr Woods /Sec
Cr Baillie} That the payment to AH Taylor for revising the
assessment be increased from £5.5.0 to £10.10.0 in view
of the extra work involved in increasing same by
15%. Carried. Report- Cr Speed requested that the road to
Walkers be repaired Also reported that Vermin are bad in
Lake Hamilton. Notice to destroy to be issued. Request-Cr
Trestrail reported that the Park Committee requests
permission to plant trees on Main Road from Railway yard
to the New Bridge. Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Baillie } That
Council have no objection but being

17 Sep 1948 a Main Road, considers the consent of
Highways Department should be obtained. carried

Close road portion of Slaters Court Cummins Prop Cr
Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That the portion of Slaters Court
to the south of Hall St Cummins be closed and remain the
property of the Council. carried

Permission to erect fire shedProp Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford } That Council grant permission for the fire shed recently purchased to be erected on the south west corner of the above road to be closed, and a notice to be erected "Road Closed to Traffic". carried

Request Cr Trestrail requested that the footpath in front of Messrs Low & Trigg be repaired. Overseer to attend to this.

General Rate Mortlock 2/9 Other wards 2/6 Differential Cummins 9dProp Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That a general rate of 2/9 including 6d fire rate be declared on the Assessment of Mortlock Ward and a General rate of 2/6 including a 3d fire rate be declared on the Assessment of the remaining Wards and differential rate of 9d on the Assessment of Cummins Town for the year ending 30 June 1949. carried

Accounts Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Freeman} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment. General a/c £721.1.6 Govt Grants a/c £1294.1.8

WG Morgan

Minutes of meeting held on 15th October 1948 Present Crs WG Morgan (Chair) HJ Freeman, DK Speed, AC Trestrail & P Woods. Also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Apologies from Crs Baillie & Ford for non attendance. Minutes of Previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement showed a credit of £958.8.2

Correspondence Confirmation of Arrangement re Payment of Loans Highways Dept confirming arrangement made by Mr Davies with Council re monthly repayment of loans and increased rate of Machinery Hire & depreciation to assist in the payment of loans.

PL Hospital Advisory Committee Secy Hospitals Dept requesting nomination of 2 representatives of the Council on PL Hospital Advisory Committee in place of PS Sinclair & P Woods who retire by effluxion of time on 31.12.48. Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Speed } That Messrs PS Sinclair and P Woods be again nominated for the position. Carried

3022/47 2930/142 -Shacks at Proper Bay Director of Lands (with sketch of site) in reply to letter, stating that shacks at Proper Bay have been erected without authority and to see their representative Mr J Taylor in reference to them. Rec'd. Royal AA. Royal Automobile Assoc of SA in reply to Councils letter re the establishment of a branch of their Assoc on Eyre Peninsula, stating the position and that the request could not be complied with at present.

Re Royal visit to SA & PL - Corporation of P Lincoln requesting Councils support to a letter asking that the itinerary of the Royal Visit to SA include Pt Lincoln. Motion by Cr Freeman & Woods that Council support the request was carried.

15 Oct 1948 WCA premium increase New Zealand Insurance Coy re increased WCA premiums to cover increased Benefits as per Act passed 1947 and a/c for balance of premium due £8.12.9. Recd & cheque passed for payment.

Inspection re Trust Houses Cummins HT 429 SA Housing Trust re visit of their representatives to Cummins on 7 Oct when they were met by Cr Trestrail and others, and Cr Trestrail reported that Mr Hastings was satisfied that the request for houses was justified and that he promised to report favourably for a number of houses to be erected by the Trust.

Phone line KB LeBrun KB LeBrun requested permission to erect a telephone line from SW corner of Sec 16 to SW corner of Sec 27 Hd Mitchell. Prop Cr Freeman /Sec Cr Speed } That permission be granted under the usual conditions. carried

Names to enter as Occupiers The following requested to have their names inserted in Assessment Book as Occupiers of the various Sections. GE Jolly as Occupier of Section 41 Hd Shannon HR Spaim as Occupier of Section 45 Hd Mortlock MW Strudwick as Occupier of Section 4 Hd Mortlock Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Freeman } That requests be granted and Clerk enter their names in Assessment Book . carried

Resignation as fire controller M Murchison tendered his resignation as fire controller for Hd Mortlock. Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Freeman} That resignation be accepted with regret and thank Mr Murchison for past services . carried

Re Cape Tulip at Tod JFW Jericho Koppio pointing out that the Noxious Weed Cape Tulip is prevalent on Section 306 Hd Louth, nearly in bloom and a menace to the district. Notice to destroy to be issued to owners.

15 Oct 1948 5827/47 Closed roads WangarySurveyor General with plan of roads proposed to be closed through "Mortlocks Farm" Property Hd Lake Wangary, recently purchased for Close settlement for Councils approval. Prop Cr Morgan/ Sec Cr Woods } That Council agree to the roads as shown in green being Closed, but desires a road to be provided from Main Road at B to point C as shown on plan. Carried

Site Wanilla Township & Roads to Open & CloseAlso plan of roads proposed to be Opened & Closed near Wanilla Ry Siding and showing the site of proposed Survey of Allotments for Wanilla Township for Council approval. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Council agrees to the proposed Closing of roads marked green & opening of roads marked pink as shown on plan submitted. Carried

187/48 Order for Signature & SealSurveyor General "Order in duplicate" to Close roads in Hd of Lincoln & Louth for Council Seal and Signature as ordered on 15.9.48 These were duly signed & sealed.

Transfers Transfers of land registered by Reg General of Deeds Elders Trustee & Ex Co to Whitehead JR Secs "Winters Hill Property " Hd Lincoln Elders Trustee & Ex Co To Luedeke AA Pt Sec 14 Hd Lincoln Elders Trustee & Ex Co To Burnett WW Pt Sec 14 Hd Lincoln Rollond AD To Geue EW Lot 15 of Sec 3a Cummins Symonds KJ To Greene EMH (Mrs) Lot 21 of 8 of 3a Cummins Hill SA To Elder Smith & Co Lot 18 of Sec 2w Cummins Prop Cr Wood/Sec Cr Speed} That Clerk make the above alterations in Assessment Book. Carried. Re Yeelanna Memorial Park Hon Sec Yeelanna Memorial Rec Park Committee re the appropriation of land

and future ownership of Proposed Recreation Park at Yeelanna as follows. (A) Land sold to Park Committee and held by them in Fee Simple (B) Dedicated by the Crown as a Memorial Park and control vested in "D/C of Lincoln". The Committee favour the proposal B and the Park then being leased by Council to Park Committee.

15 Oct 1948 Memorial Park Prop Cr Freeman /Sec Cr Trestrail } That Council agree to the land being dedicated as per clause B and vested in the Council and the land leased by the Council to the Committee to control the Park in accordance with the Rules of Incorporation and the Local Govt Act. Carried

Re Factory Site Proper BaySecy SA Fishermans Cooperative Ltd re land for Factory Site at Proper Bay and requesting that the matter be held in abeyance for an additional period to allow their committee to investigate the matter. Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Speed} That this be left in abeyance until 31st December 1948 before which date definite arrangements must be made for leasing the site if required. Carried

Re Division of Sec 4 Hd Shannon Roediger Bros requested the division of Sec 4 Hd Shannon viz Roediger AE Eastern Half Sec 4. 994 acres. approx Value 4760 Roediger Bros Western Half Sec 4. 993 Acres approx Value 4460 Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail } That this alteration be made in Assessment Book. Carried

Report -Overseers report was read & adopted on the motion of Crs Woods & Freeman.

Purchase Land KapinnieProp Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Speed } That the land Sec 3a Hd Mitchell site of Old Kapinnie Hall be purchased by the Council for £12 as offered. Carried

Dozer hire-Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods } That hire of dozer & driver for private construction be £2.10.0 per hour.

Re road to Saunders - Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Speed } That Council write again to Corporation of PL re making of road at Sec 14 Hd Lincoln to AE Saunders, requesting this be treated as urgent as Saunders is a Registered Milk Vendor. Carried

Phone line on road Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That Freeman Watkins &Proeve be granted permission to erect a telephone line along the road between Section 17 & 18 Hd Shannon . Carried

15 Oct 1948 Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods} That V Lars be instructed to move his camp from the Street at Yeelanna.

Carried Cr Freeman requested that some covering be done on road near Sec 23 Hd Mitchell. Left to Overseer Purchase of land Cummins Re Closing of Road Slaters Court Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods} That Council agrees to purchase portion of Lot 41 of Sec 38 from Mr Carr for £37.10.0, and also a strip of land from Mr A Waters from Lots 42 & 43 for a right of way - Cr Trestrail to negotiate . Carried

Re shed for FF Cummins Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Speed} That the minute passed last meeting be rescinded, and the Fire Fighting Committee be empowered to erect the shed on any portion of the land instead of the SW corner. Carried Cr Trestrail reported that an agreement between Council and Dr Gratton re Guarantee be drawn up - This to be done by CR Douady.

Legal exp Resolved that the legal expenses in connexion with the proposed division of Council be borne by the whole Council.

Junior Clerk salary £3 Clerk reported that he had engaged Miss Nancy Sawyer as Junior Clerk. Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Speed } That Council pay Nancy Sawyer £3 per week Carried.

Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods } That the following accounts as read be passed for payment - General a/c £1510.9.5 Govt Grant a/c £1486.2.6 Carried

WG Morgan

District Council of Lincoln 19 Nov 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 19th November 1948 Present Crs WG Morgan, (Chair) ST Baillie, KW Ford, HJ Freeman, AC Trestrail, DK Speed, P Woods. also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting read & approved Financial statement showed a credit bal of £77.9.4

Correspondence Dist Engineer for Highways suggesting Council make formal application to Commr for a concrete Ford to be constructed at Departmental expense on road between Section 6c & 7s Hd Cummins -(Town end of Pelina Creek) Clerk reported he had done this. Later, Highways wrote giving formal notice of their intention to construct this Ford commencing about 15.11.48.

Standpipe Cummins.- R/E Western Water Dist re Councils application for a standpipe to be supplied at corner of Warrow Road and Walkom St, stating they will supply a 1" standpipe on usual conditions and completion of application form. The form was completed by Clerk & fee paid.

Royal tour - Telegrams re Royal Tour from _ Whyalla Town Commission requesting a protest from Council to

cancellation of Visit to Whyalla, and Murat Bay D/C requesting support to their request for Royal Party to land at Ceduna on their way to WA -- Both requests were supported.

Report -Blacker & Blesing Cummins report on hold up in repairs to Britsland Patrol through a small spring - petrol pump having to be obtained Interstate.

Royal AA- Royal Automobile Assoc expressing appreciation of the interest displayed by the Council in their activities and services rendered to motorists etc and repeating that it is not practicable for them to open a Branch on EP at present.

District Council of Lincoln 19 Nov 1948 Re Reserve No 262 in Tallala - Secy Tennants Estate in reference to roads recently closed through Tallala Estate and stating the Trustees desired the Water Reserve No 262 adjoining the closed road to also be closed and be included in their property. Clerk to reply

FF equipment - Commissioner of Police requesting a list of Fire Fighting Equipment held by the Council - This was supplied by Clerk. Re -3 Unit radios for FF - Also re the purchase of 3 Unit Radios for use of Fire Controllers. Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford } That 3 units be obtained if satisfactory for use by Mortlock Ward.

Subdivision - Surveyor General- Plan of subdivision of Part Sec 19 Hd Cummins No Sec Nos 77 & 78 Wildeloo Estate for Close Settlement. Space reserved Ronney PH requested permission to reserve a space in front of his business premises for loading & unloading goods - Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Ford} That permission be granted to Mr Bonney to reserve a space 10 ft wide for loading as requested. Carried

Camp sales - Director of Lands - List of Licences granted for camp sites at Mt Dutton Bay in Section 230 Hd Lake Wangary.

Phone line- McCracken PL requested permission to reconnect telephone line on M Rd No 313 where previously erected near JF Carters. Granted

Re Blackberrys - Green JW Spring Valley PL complaining of blackberry bushes being cut down on road from Little Swamp to Charlton. Recd

Proctor HG requested permission to lay a water pipe across the road between Sections 22 & 31 Hd Shannon. Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods} Request be granted under usual conditions. carried

19 Nov 1948 Re Road -Wright WT & Others- Requested that road along Hundred line Ulipa & Kiana be repaired. Prop Cr Speed /Sec Cr Baillie} The request was earnestly considered by Council and they will try and have something down as soon as possible. carried

Re Whyalla- PL bus service - Franklin Harbor D/C requested the support of this Council in approaching Owens & LeBrun to run the Pt L- Whyalla service on alternate days to those running mail service -- Council considered the matter not within the jurisdiction of this Council.

Re making Jeanes St - Petition from AW Siviour & 14 Other residents requesting that portion of Jeanes St be cleared & formed from factory to Solly Terrace. Prop Cr Ford /Sec Cr Trestail} That something be done as soon as possible. Carried

Commr of Police re supplying radio equipment for Fire Fighting Units.

Re Noxious Weeds- District Engineer Waterworks stating the action taken by him to destroy Noxious weeds at Tod Reservoir (Cape Tulip etc)

Re Planting pines PL to Coffin Bay -Corporation of P Lincoln suggesting that Pines be planted along the road from Pt Lincoln to Coffin Bay and requesting cooperation of Council in plowing a furrow on road side so that seeds may be planted. Receiving consideration.

Balance sheet- Highways Dept re statement & balance sheet & Machinery returns. Waiting for Audit.

Royal AA re issuing a camping & caravan guide & adv in same.

Green Patch Road- Flavel M wrote re road from Green Patch to Charlton. This was held over for later consideration.

Local Govt Assoc - Minutes of half yearly meeting held on 17.9.48 . Also Circular re 2/- rise in Basic Wage as from 1st Nov. Recd

19 Nov 1948 Transfers Transfers of land registered by Reg General of Deeds Dearman FW to Dearman HW Sec 89 Mitchell & 103 Hd Shannon Laube CH to Kay JE Sec 37 Hd Shannon Schramm AE to Schramm Jean A Secs 404. 405 Hd Louth Crown to Burnett EJ Sec 479 Hd Louth Crown to Dorward Chas Sec 381.447/8 Hd Louth Myers SH to Lock KC Sec 2a Hd Warrow Ness B to Oliver RJ & FM Sec 45 46 Hd Kiana Prop Cr Woods /Sec Cr Baillie } That Clerk enter the above alterations in Assessment Book. Carried

Occupiers Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Speed} That the following names be inserted in Assessment Book as occupiers of property as requested by them . carried EL

Porter Lot 6 Bellwood . R Ross Sec 92 Hd Shannon WW
Gerschwitz to Sec 15 Hd Cummins. EJ Harder Sec 36 Hd
Mortlock. T & L Brown Pt Sec 2w Hd Cummins. WH Umlauf Lot
349 Sec 3a Cms. OA Evans Lot 74 of Sec 2w Hd Cummins . WR
Carter Lot 41 of 2W Cms. JR McKnight Lot 48 of Sec 2w HD
Cummins .EH Dear PF 3 of 2w Cms FJ Harris Pt Lot 6 of Sec
3a Hd Cummins. CJ Stacey 143 of [17] of 3a Cms. MK
Jackson Lot 3 of Sec 3a Hd Cummins. JL Buxton Lot 72 of
2w Cms.m PH Edwards Pt Sec 3a Hd Cummins. D King Lot 12
of 2w Cms. KD Mudge Lot 40 of Sec 2w Hd Cummins. J Ramsay
57 2w Cms. OM Dempster Lot 12 of Sec 3a Hd Cummins. RG
Evans 73 of 2w. Carried

Report-Overseers report readProp Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr
Freeman] That Overseers report as read be adopted .
Carried.

Unsatisfactory servicing Prop Cr Ford/ Sec Cr Woods }
That Council write to "Britsland Coy" re unsatisfactory
performance and servicing of Britsland Motor Patrol. Also
to Blacker & Blesing for a more detailed statement of
accounts for work done . carried

19 Nov 1948 Fire controllersProp Cr Morgan/ Sec Cr Woods
} That Mr JJ Haggarty be appointed Fire Controller for Hd
Lake Wangary, at Coffin Bay subject to his consent to
act. Carried Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Ford} That Charles
F Starke be appointed Fire Controller for Hd Mortlock in
place of M Murchison (who has resigned) subject to his
consent. carried

Re Vermin (circular) Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Baillie }
That the following circular be printed"Owing to the fact
that the rabbit menace in Council area was under
reasonable control, the authorised officer has not been
re engaged. It has been brought under my notice that your
property is badly infested with vermin and you are hereby
required to take immediate steps to rectify the matter.
By order AH Taylor District Clerk . Also a notice to
local paper.

Ry yard fence Mt Hope Prop Cr Speed /Sec Cr Woods} That
Council write to RE, SAR . Pt Lincoln requesting that the
fence on Southern & Western boundary of Railway yard at
Mt Hope be repaired immediately. Carried

Fence on road Road 43 ft instead of 66 Cr Freeman
reported that it has been found that the road between
Section 33 and 69 Hd Shannon, a school bus route is only
43 ft wide between fences instead of 66 - Clerk to write
to the owners H Banns and WE Wagner requesting that this
fence be moved on to the correct boundary. Left to Cr
Freeman to contact owners. Also that complaints received
that K Lawrence in carting stumps, has allowed stumps to

fall on to the road and left them there. Clerk to write to Lawrence pointing out this is an offence and it must not be allowed to occur again.

Land purchased at Cummins Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods} That land at Cummins being purchased from Messrs J Cam and A Waters and expenses incurred in closing portion of Slaters Court be considered as Council property and proportioned to all Wards. carried

19 Nov 1948 Building at Slaters Court Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Freeman} That the cost of the building being erected at Slaters Court Cummins be shared by Cummins Fire Fighting Fund and the Council - The building to be for the use of both the Council and Fire F Committee. carried

Rex pump Prop Cr Baillie/ Sec Cr Woods } That following a request from Fire Fighting Committee the Council purchase one 10M Rex pump from Tutt Bryant for Louth Ward. carried
Re Sale Dodge Truck Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Baillie}
That Mr JW Haymans offer of £220 for the purchase of S/H Dodge truck Reg No 131 090 be accepted . carried

Accounts Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Speed} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment -- Gen a/c £1151.3.9 Govt Grants a/c £1696.18.7 carried

WG Morgan Chairman 17.12.48

District Council of Lincoln 17 Dec 1948 Minutes of meeting held on 17th December 1948 Present Crs WG Morgan (Chair), ST Baillie, KW Ford, HJ Freeman, AC Trestrail, P Woods. Also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer RW Doudle. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed Financial statement shows a credit of £2412.9.8

Grant - Correspondence - Highways Dept advised that £1000 had been granted for Main Road No 42 (Edillilie-Kyancutta) for completion of construction. Recd

Petition advert in Gazette - Director of Highways advised that notice of petition from owners of property in Mortlock & Shannon Wards, praying that the Hundreds of Cummins Mortlock, Shannon & Mitchell be severed from the district and be made a separate district - viz the District of Cummins, was published in Govt Gazette of 9.12.48 . Recd

Standard warning sign - Secy Highways Dept advised that approval had been given to fabricate a standard warning sign (Tee Junction) for erection of New West Road and No 9 , to be supplied free of charge. Highways dept stating Councils Letter of 26-10-48 receiving attention. Secy Minister of Agriculture re New Regulation under Noxious Weeds Act. Waymouth Motor Coy explaining the delay in servicing Britsland Patrol.

British Standard Machinery Coy Sydney- also in explanation of above. Tutt Bryant in reply re cost of 'Roster' shoes.

Police Dept re radio sets for Fire Fighting units

District Council of Lincoln 17 Dec 1848 Fishermans Coop re works - SA Fishermans Co Operative Ltd stating they are unable to establish a fish processing works at Proper Bay at present, as previously intended. This was held over until Jany meeting. CF Starke wrote accepting the position of Fire Controller for Hd Mortlock. Re Fire Controllers Gazetted - Clerk reported that JJ Haggarty had verbally consented to act as Fire Controller at Coffin Bay and that both appointments had been published in Govt Gazette of 9.12.48.

Re railway culverts MR 42- RF Cockburn -copy of a letter he sent to Minister for Highways in reference to culverts under railway line at New Bridge and at Tribbecks corner on MR No 42. Received

Road near Moodys - Secy Agricult Bureau Pt Lincoln requesting the opening up & grading of from Green Patch past Moodys & Charlton Gully to Soldier Settlement land Hd Wanilla. The Council will endeavour to have this road incorporated in a General Road scheme for making roads

through newly surveyed Soldier Settlement land and Newly Settled Areas.

Re burning cut timber on roads - Secy Stock Owners Assoc requested Council to have trees & sent cut & left on roads by PMG Dept and road Gangs- burned during burning season as when left on roads they become a bush fire menace - Cr Trestrail/ Cr Woods} Clerk to write to PMG Dept requesting that the linesmen be instructed to burn, during burning season all bushes & scrub cut by them.

Jericho FJ re overhanging trees on road Wanilla to Koppio. Overseer to arrange for cutting of same

Stiggants JC re road to his place and payment of his rates

17 Dec 1948 Re road through Tod Water Reserve - FJ Jericho re Council providing a road from Tod Pumping Station to Sec 203 Hd Koppio. Prop Cr Trestrail /Sec Cr Baillie } That FJ Jericho be advised that such a road would not serve any other Ratepayers and the expense is not warranted & suggest they approach Tumby Bay D/C. carried

Re Noxious Weeds - Agricultural Bureau Pt Lincoln with plans of Hds of Lincoln, Louth, and Wanilla, on which is marked locations of various Noxious Weeds for information of Council and assuring the Council of their support in any effort to prevent the spread of the said weeds . Recd Deputy Director Posts & Tel stating all C/W property is exempt from Council rating. Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Trestrail} That the assessment of PMs residence at Cummins as passed at last meeting be cancelled as the Assessment was not ratable. carried

Building materials regulations - Director Building Materials summary of Building Act Regulations with the latest alterations to same.

Re drain across road at Wemyss & Robinsons - Wemyss WD in reference to Councils letter to Mr Owen occupier of his property re drain across the road & stating that he had in 1939 received permission to have the drain there. Prop Cr Freeman /Sec Cr Speed } That reply - In view of this road being placed on Main Road schedule the Council propose to make this road suitable for modern traffic, do away with obstructions and run the water on both sides of the road. carried

Fence Mt Hope Ry - Superintendent SA Railways stating that as requested repairs will be carried out to fence at Mt Hope Station Yard

Road to freezers from New West Rd - Mr RF Cockburn stating he had received a request from PL Corporation to

open up a road from New West Road direct to Freezing Works & asking Councils views and suggestions as to a suitable route. Resolved that Council favour the scheme and an inspection

17 Dec 1948 be made by Chairman Cr Woods & Overseer
Transfers Land - Reg Gen of deeds- Transfers of land
Registered Crown to Roesler WA Sec 41 Hd Kiana Merchant
HE to Mattner WP Sec 142 Hd Lincoln Robinson AA to Laube
JB Sec 137-138 Hd Louth Will AE to Coats JL & TC Sec 42
43 Hd Wanilla R. O. A. B. GLE Cms to Guy VA Lot 9 of Sec
Cummins Geue CG to Carr JW Lot 41 - Sec 3a cummins Hall
EO to Geue EW Lot A of Pt Lot 37 of 3a Cummins Polglase H
to Murton R & HW Pt Sec 3a Cummins Hayman JW to Hayman JF
& KW 2/3 of Sec 25 Hd Cummins Crown to Kroemer EW & J Sec
50. 52 Hd Shannon Skipworth AE Est to Skipworth GNE &
Bagots Ex Co Sec 5B " Prop Cr Woods /Sec Baillie } That
Clerk make the above alterations in the Assessment Book .
carried

Balance Sheet - Statement of receipts & payments and
Balance Sheet for Year ending 30 June 1948 duly Audited
were laid before the Council and read. Prop Cr Baillie/
Sec Cr Freeman } That the statement and balance sheet for
year ending 30 June 1948 be adopted. carried

Overseers report was read Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr
Baillie} That the Overseers report as read be adopted.
carried

Re purchase of Utility - Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Woods}
That the Overseer be empowered to put the position to
Mr Cockburn of the purchase of a Utility in place of 5/6
ton truck as previously sanctioned by H & LG. carried
Prop Cr Woods/ Sec Cr Speed } That Council obtain their
Solicitors advice re injury to workman CP Parker by
assault while in his tent supplied by Council. carried

17 Dec 1948 Requests Cr Freeman that Council contact
Waterworks Dept re position of their waterpipe on road
between Secs 33 & 69 Hd Shannon which is only 43 ft wide
instead of 66 . To be done.

Date of meeting - Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr Freeman }
That Council meet every 4 weeks from this date until 20
May 1949, instead of 3rd Friday as at present . carried

Cars to be Parked Cummins - Prop Cr Trestrail/ Sec Cr
Speed} That all cars must be "parked" in Cummins Main St
from Feircloughs to Blacker & Blesings corners.
carried Re concrete pipe - Cr Trestrail stated that Mr AL
Slater requests that a concrete pipe on road near
Wildeloo be removed ___ Overseer to inspect & report.

Cr Ford drew attention to bad condition of Cummins end of Warrow Road. Overseer stated it is intended to regrade this road shortly.

Accounts Prop Cr Freeman/ Sec Cr Woods} That the following accounts as read be passed for payment. General a/c £1080.8.5. Govt Grants a/c £1187.2.7 . carried

The Chairman thanked the Councillors for their cooperation during the year and also the staff, and wished them all the compliments of the season which was reciprocated. WG Morgan Chairman 14.1.49