

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 15th January 1937 Present Councillors Jas O'Shanahan (Chairman) Jas Doudle, J C Harder, W G Morgan, & C K Ritchie. Also Clerk A H Taylor & Overseer K S McFarlane.

Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed.

Financial Statement presented showing Cr Balance £362.9.0

Correspondence. Highways & Local Govt. Advising that Standard School signs had been approved for erection at Mt Hope School and that they would be forwarded at an early date.

Vermin Destruction Lands Department wrote pointing out that the month of February is the Summer period for Simultaneous destruction of Rabbits. Resolved that D Green authorised Officer be instructed to commence an inspection of the District at once.

Port Lincoln Corporation wrote re guide post having been removed on Main North Road and also re Advertising of Show Boat on Guard Posts. Received

Chief Secretary in reference to the Nomination of a Representative to the Central Board of Health also from

President Local Govt Association advising that Mr F C Lloyd was a Candidate for re election and requesting the Councils Support.

Proposed by Cr Morgan that the Council Nominate Mr C F Lloyd as a member of Central Board of Health. Sec Cr Doudle. Carried.

Secy Local Govt Association requesting notification of Any Notice or Motion or other business for the Half Yearly meeting of the Association to be held in March. Received.

Penalty Interest. State Bank advised that the method of charging penalty Interest on Loans had been altered in Sections 8 & 15 of Vermin Amendment Act No 2317 of 1936. Such alterations to take effect from 26th November 1936. Received.

Secy E P Local Govt Assoc stating that the advice received from the Association Solicitor was to ignore the log of increased wages received from A .W. U Sydney recently.

Re Graphite Ltd. Department of Mines advised that the area of Mineral Lease now held by Graphite Limited is 40 acres this being the only Lease held by them. Resolved that on Assessment No 37 the Assessment be reduced to £10 from £103 in accordance with the request by Graphite Ltd received at the last meeting of the Council.

G G Crawford forwarded a copy of letter dated 9 May 1936 in which Covenant to Purchase Lease No 11940 was surrendered and requesting the cancellation of the Assessment of the property being Sections 46.94.96 & 328 Hd Lincoln. Resolved that this Assessment be struck out - the Property having reverted to Crown.

P J Houston made application for the Lease of Water Reserve No 4 adjoining Section 137 Hd Warrow containing 40 acres. Application granted @ 4d per acre.

Flame Thrower - Harris Scarfe Ltd submitted price and description of Flame Thrower as requested. Received.

S A Tractory Coy submitted price of Tractor & particulars of working costs.

Mrs N A Bristowe Poonindie requested permission to erect a light fence to protect trees planted by her on Road in front of her property. Resolved that permission be granted.

F S Shipard & Others Charlton requested that grubbing and grading about 20 chains of road between Sections 442 and 443 Hd Louth be done while the road is dry. Prop Cr O'Shanahan that some grading be done on this road. Sec Cr Morgan. Carried.

Accounts - Proposed Cr Doudle that the following accounts as read be passed for payment. Sec Cr Harder. Carried

State Bank Fencing	
Loans	£93.1.10
General	£185.15.10
TOTAL	£278.17.8
Gov Grants	
A/c Federal Roads	£226.12.10
Main Roads	£54.6.6
District	
£135.6.3	TOTAL £416.5.7

Prop Cr Doudle that the Council make an inspection of the road on the West Side of Lake Hamilton and that the Commissioner of Highways be advised and Inspector Ayling be invited to accompany the Council on the inspection. Sec by Cr Ritchie. Carried.

Cr Ritchie requested that further repairs be done on road to J W Chapmans as the work done was not sufficient. Resolved that the amount to be spent be increased to £10.

Cr Harder asked that the road to E W Jones and also the one by Firth's be done up before long. Resolved that Tenders be called for metalling on both roads.

Also that repairs on Edillilie - Koppio road at the creek near Tumby Bay boundary be done. Resolved that this be repaired.

O'Shanahan proposed that our grader and man be available to Tumby Bay Council on road near our boundary if required when he is working in that locality on Koppio Road. Carried.

Prop Cr Harder that the Authorised Office under Vermin Act 1931, D Green be instructed to commence an inspection of the District at once, particularly Louth & Mortlock Wards. Sec Cr O'Shanahan Carried.

Overseers Monthly report was then read and adopted on the motion of Cr Ritchie. Sec by Cr Harder

Jas O'Shanahan Chairman 19.2.1937/

District Council of Lincoln Minutes of Meeting held 19th February 1937

Present Councillors Jas O'Shanahan (Chairman) Jas Doudle, J C Harder, W G Morgan & C K Ritchie. Also Clerk A H Taylor & Overseer K S McFarlane.

Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed.

Financial Statement presented shown a cr Balance of £587.12.6

Correspondence Highway & Local Govt in reference to Bridge on Main West Road at Lake Wangary and requesting the Council to maintain same temporarily pending an opportune time to undertake reconstruction. Clerk to advise that repairs had been effected and that since writing further breakages have occurred in the decking which has again been repaired.

Highways Dept in reference to St John's Wort on land in H C Wollastons Estate & roads adjoining. Clerk to reply that they have been destroyed on road adjoining.

State Bank of S A. Statement of amounts due by Council on Fencing, Netting, & Water piping Loans, as at 1st February 1937.

Correspondence Contd Secy E P Local Govt Association pointing out that owing to the increase in Basic Wage - the wages of Council employees is increased by 7d per day.

S R Mason Cummins requested permission to lay water pipe across the road to his property. Resolved that this be granted

A.M.S.C.O.L. advised having taken over the Butter Factory at Cummins from W H Clark as from 14th January 1937, and that they propose to instal new Plant and extend the business and pointed out that the approach to the Factory is impassable in Winter & requesting that same be improved. Resolved that the road be graded as soon as the plant is available.

W Mahoney in paying his rates for current year, requested that the fine imposed for late payment last year 3/10 be remitted. Resolved that this be remitted.

Goldsborough Mort & Co re Byles Bros arrears, and requesting that the payment of these be extended for 12 months. Received.

Darling Mrs C A in reference to rate on Islands held by her. Received

Vermin Inspector. D Green - Weekly reports of properties visited.

W J Cousins Submitted plan & specification of Wood & Iron house lined with Fibrous Plaster from Mrs C A Munro at Yeelanna on Lot 31. Received

Local Government Association Half Yearly report and Agenda Paper for next meeting to be held on 12th March 1937. Also copy of Legal Opinions July to Dec 1936. Received

Re Inspection of Lake Hamilton Road - Clerk was instructed to write and invite the Commissioner Highways to accompany the Council on this inspection.

Department of Lands - Transfers Land Crown to K J Hyde Sec 159.160.443. Hd Lincoln 1104 Ac Presbyterian Assembly to A C Eastern pt sec 18 Hd Louth Crown to H A McLeod Sec 120 Hd Louth A L Guiel to State Bank of S A Mortgage Sec 24 Hd Mitchell D Harris

to Wm K Koch Mortgagee Sec 16 Hd Mitchell Crown to Ben Ness Sec 45 46 Hd Kiana Crown (Perper Lease) to A R Lowe Sec 23 Hd Shannon O A Hall to A H Lange Sec 39 Hd Shannon G Bull (Deceased) to Sarah Bull) Sarah Bull to G Cliff Lock)Lot 16 Coultas Prop Cr Harder that Clerk made the necessary alterations in assessment Book. Sec Cr Morgan Carried.

Accounts - Prop Cr Doudle Sec Cr Ritchie that the following accounts as read be passed for payment. Carried. General a/c £142.11.10 Fencing & Netting Loans £174.17.1 TOTAL £317.8.11 Govt Grants A/c Federal Roads £339.17.19 Main Roads £139.10.11 District Roads £102.19.4 TOTAL £582.8.1

Cr Doudle requested that the timber be cut back on the Kapinnie - Yeelanna Road near Howells Sections 10 & 11 Hd Mitchell. The Overseer to have this done.

Cr Morgan requested that the road from Wangary to Edillilie near W Sheppards be grubbed & graded.

Tractor - Proposed by Cr Ritchie that Council purchase a R D H Holt Diesel Tractor and the Highways Dept be requested to advance the purchase money under the conditions previously stated by them and that they be requested to order same at once. Sec by Cr Harder. Carried.

Overseers Monthly report was received and adopted on the motion of Cr Harder. Sec by Cr Doudle.

Tenders - The following Tenders were received.

Contract 95 - 9 chains metalling near E W Jones King CA. £4.17.6 per chain. accepted Biggins Bros. £ 6.9.7 per chain. Hinton Bros. £7.0.0 per chain.

Contract 96 - 30 chain metal or rubble near Firths Page J C Rubble. £1.18.0 . accepted Page J C Metal £4.5.0 King C A Metal £4.7.6 King C A Rubble £1.15.0 Biggins Bros Rubble £4.16.6 Biggins Bros Metal £5.18.6 Hinton Bros £6.15.0 Matthews

Contract 97 - Delivering 1500 C Yds Rubble on Main West Road near Warrow Page J C . 2/3 cyd . accepted Matthews T & J. 2/2 - 2/8 - 2/9 King CA. 2/5 Matthews J K. /2/5. 2/9. 3/3.

Jas O'Shanahan CHairman 19.3.37/

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 19th March 1937

Present - Councillors Jas OShanahan, (Chair) Jas Doudle, JC Harder, W.G Morgan & CK Ritchie, Also Clerk AH Taylor , Overseer KS McFarlane.

Minutes of previous meeting Read & Confirmed.

Financial Statement presented. Showing Cr Bal of £1353.15.10

Correspondence Highways & Loc Govt asking for further particulars of length of road Edillilie - Cummins requiring top dressing & estimated Cost. Clerk to give necessary information.

H & L.G. calling attention to proclamation in Govt Gazette re Bread Act 1936 - which comes into operation on 1st April 1937

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Highways Dept Advising that the Tender of A. Simpson & Son for the supply of Dog Discs for 1937/8 had been accepted.

Highways Dept in reply to letter of 27th Febry re assistance to purchase a RD4. Tractor, & stating the amount including Sales Tax and Transport charges must be stated before same can be approved. Also form of Authority to pay the account to be signed on behalf of the Council.

S.A Tractor Coy in reference to the supply of the Tractor with order form for signature.

Superintendent of Railways stating in reply to letter of 9th inst that an inspection of the drain & c at Yeelanna Dam would be made.

Correspondence (Cont) Tumby Bay Council thanking this Council for their offer of the use of Pony Grader at Koppio.

Inspector General of Hospitals with notice that the amount of Contribution required on account of Port Lincoln Hospital for year ending 30 June 1937 is £143.6.4 which must be paid before 31st March 1937.

EL Robinson wrote in reference to road from Section 16 Hd Shannon to Yeelanna.

WB Klein wrote in reference to road from Ningana to Yeelanna.

J.D. Whait wrote about the holes left by persons taking sand from the road at the Railway Crossing between Edillilie & Warunda making the road dangerous to traffic.

B. Shah Cummins in reference to an offensive odor from Hotel Premises and also the State of the road in front of his premises. The former was dealt with by Board of Health & road is to receive attention.

E. Myers pointed out that the recent rains had caused deep holes to be washed in the road between his residence & Mr Locks. Resolved that Overseer have timber removed so that the traffic can deviate from where the road is bad, as this road cannot be done at present.

JH C Wilkinson & G.L OConner owners of Section 171 Hd Lincoln requested that J.C Wilkinsons name be inserted as authorised to vote on their behalf. Clerk was authorised to make this alteration.

Agricultural Bureau Green Patch wrote again requesting the Council to call a public Meeting to discuss the best means of eradicating St Johns Wort. Meeting to be held after Clerk has written the Bureau suggesting Council Chambers as place of meeting and asking the most suitable day & time for the Public Meeting to be held.

Clerk DC Meadow's stating that they find that stocking the land with Sheep the best method in their District for eradicating St Johns Wort.

Goldsborough Mort & Co on behalf of JJ Hyde requesting remission of fines for late Payment of Rates. Resolved that in view of notice inserted in local papers in February stating that fines would not be remitted, that the request be refused.

Tubercular Soldiers Aid Socy. Annual appeal for funds Prop Cr. Harder Sec Cr Doudle that £1.1.0 be granted the same as previously. Carried.

Department of Lands Transfer AY. Richardson To HJ Blacker Sec 2E Hd Cummins AWB Walkom To D. Harris Lots 47.48.49 of Pt Sec 3A Cummins L Simons To LA Sampson Lots 66.67 Edillilie Prop Cr Harder that Clerk make the above alterations in Assessment Book Sec Cr. Morgan, Carried

Proposed by Cr Jas Doudle Whereas at a meeting duly held under the provisions of the Roads (Opening and Closing Act, 1932, this nineteenth day of March 1937, it appears to us the District Council of Lincoln, that it is expedient and necessary that the lands hereinafter described should be opened as a new line of road, and it having been proved that the notice required by the said Act has been duly given, and that all other requirements thereof have been complied with, and no valid objection to the opening of such new line of road having been made: Now, therefore, we the District Council of Lincoln thereby, by virtue of the powers given by the said Act, order that all that strip of land one chain wide, in and along the whole of the western boundary of Section 13 Hundred of Mitchell, as delineated, coloured red, and numbered 1 on plan deposited with the Surveyor-General shall be forthwith opened as a new line of road.

Dated this Nineteenth day of March 1937

Seconded by Cr W.G. Morgan and duly carried

Jas O'Shanahan Chairman AH Taylor District Clerk

D Green Authorised person report of inspections for month and results thereof.

Accounts. Prop Cr Ritchie that the following accounts as read be passed for payment. Sec Cr Doudle , Carried General A/c £345.14.10 Netting & Fencing Loans £294.18.2 TOTAL: £640.13.0 Govt Grants Account Federal Roads £469.3.5 Main Roads £68.1.6 District £62.2.8

Cr. Doudle requested that about 1mile of grading be done from Myers Gate to Vigars Hd Kiana. Resolved that this be done

Cr Ritchie asked that the Pony grader do a few days grading on road to JJ Hydes. Resolved that some grading be done when grader is there. Also that that the road to CJ Whillas be graded a little further than at present. This to be done when grading.

Cr Harder asked that about 15 chains of Sand grading be done on road from Coomaba to CH Laube's property. Overseer instructed to inspect and peg out.

Cr Morgan asked that Something be done to road near E Myers as soon as the plant is in that locality. Resolved that this be done. Also road to C. Shepperds This is also to be done.

Overseers Monthly report read. Prop Cr Harder Sec Cr Doudle that Overseers report be adopted. Carried Resolved that the rate of pay for Horse Hire be 3/5 per Horse per day Jas O'Shanahan.
Chairman 16.4.37/

District Council of Lincoln Minutes of Meeting held 16th April 1937

Present Crs Jas O'Shanahan (Chair) Jas Doudle, JC Harder, WG Morgan & CK Ritchie. Also Clerk AH Taylor.

Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed

Financial Statement presented showing Cr Bal of £925.10.6 Correspondence Secy to Minister of Local Govt advising that the Minister, Hon AP. Blesing will be visiting Port Lincoln on Friday 23rd inst and desires to meet the members of the Council at 8pm. Clerk reported that following Phone Conversation with the Secretary, the time of meeting was altered to 3pm. The action of the Clerk was endorsed.

Inspector Ayling enclosing itinerary of his tour of Eyre Peninsula commencing at Port Lincoln and requesting the Overseer to meet him on Thursday 22nd inst to inspect West Main Road & proceed to Elliston. Received

Director of Lands requesting a report on the result of the Summer period of Simultaneous destruction of Vermin. Clerk advised having furnished the information asked for which had been acknowledged by the Director.

Unemployed relief Council in reference to the Scheme for employment of Youth and requesting the assistance of the Council in placing the Scheme before any youth that they may know of that are eligible.

S.A. Tractor Coy in reference to order for Tractor. Also Pro Forma Invoice of cost of Tractor landed at Pt Lincoln. Received Manager Credit Financier Dept, State Bank Stating the amounts that are due for Principal & Interest on loans under Vermin Account. Loans for Fencing & Water Piping Acts. Recd

Mgr. Credit Financier Dept requesting consent to an easement be given to Commr Waterworks to enter upon a strip 60-6 Links wide in NE Corner of Section 17 Hd Mortlock. Prop Cr JC. Harder That this be approved. Sec Cr Doudle. Carried

Director of Local Govt in reference to Noxious Weeds generally and requesting a report as to the position in this District and steps the Council are taking to control the nuisance. Inspector to submit a report.

Dodd & Polglase Cummins Advising that Petrol Bowser had been removed from footpath in front of their premises and requesting a refund of portion of Licence fee paid. Clerk was instructed to state that the Council have no power under the Act to make a refund.

LG Minhard requested to roll & burn scrub on Pillana Road for about $\frac{3}{4}$ of Mile from Cummins - Warrow road. As this scrub is at present a harbour for Vermin and there would be no danger of drift as the soil is heavy red Loam. Prop Cr Harder that permission be granted. Sec Cr.Doudle. Carried

Bhola Shah in reference to fines which he has now Paid. Received

C.Wade in reference to rates paid by him on Thistle Island. Clerk to reply that Council will be prepared to consider a reduction in the Assessment When the New Assessment is being prepared.

Secretary Coronation Committee With Suggestion for the method of Celebrating same in Country Towns and requesting the Co Operation of the Council in this respect. Received

Director Aust War Memorial Board in reference to Photo of His Majesty the King. Received.

Secretary Betting Control Board enclosing copy of Application from F.B. Vaughan for registration of premises at Railway Terrace Cummins for the opinion of the Council regarding the situation of the premises. Cr Harder moved that a reply be sent stating that the Council considers the premises applied for are Suitable for the purpose. Seconded Cr Morgan . Carried

N. Beames in reference to rates for Horse Hire - Overseer to explain to Beames that there has been no reduction.

Union Engineering Coy re Road Roller Matter to be held over for the present.

Secy Adelaide Childrens Hospital - Annual appeal for funds. Prop Cr O'Shanahan that Council donate £1.1.0 as usual. Sec Cr Morgan . Carried

T Proude in reference to crossing at Charlton Creek & stated that if a bridge cannot be built at present, a curb on the lower side is required.

Resolved that the Overseer have a kerb put in.

Surveyor General advising that the Number of Section 22S Hd Mortlock has been altered to No 72 - 1186 Acres.

Prop Cr Morgan that the following accounts as read be passed for payment- Sec Cr Harder . Carried State Bank (Loans A/C) £43.3.1 General A/C £206.0.9. TOTAL: £249.3.10 Govt Grants A/c Federal Roads £ 396.2.6 Main Roads £80.13.0 N. S. A Roads £ 154.9.10 . TOTAL: £631.

Overseer's report was read by Clerk - Prop Cr Ritchie, Sec Cr Harder that Same be received & adopted. Carried

Cr Doudle requested that a days work be done on Dunstans road near Wannans. Resolved that this be done

Cr Cr Ritchie stated that complaints had been made re the state of Proper Bay road that had been graded some time ago - This is the result of the combined dry weather since the grading was done. Resolved that as soon as rain comes to set the grading down- -the Overseer have the holes filled in.

Cr Ritchie stated that a large proportion of the roads leased by Theakstone Bros are over country that is useless for feed and requested that the rate be reduced - Resolved that as the rate could not be reduced a portion would be remitted next year.

r Harder requested that some holes on road from EW Jones to Pillana School be filled in. Resolved that Overseer have 3 of 4 days work done.

Cr Harder also requested that some holes on road to Nosworthys from Firths Corner be filled in. Overseer to have these filled in with rubble.

Cr Morgan reported on the bad state of the Lake Wangary Bridge - Chairman Stated that Mr Richmond of Highways Dept had recently

inspected the bridge and quite likely the Council would hear from Highways Dept on the matter shortly -

Clerk reported that he had written to Mr Manson in reference to the bad state of the ramp on the Main West Road near Kiana. and that Overseer reported that Mr Manson had repaired the ramp.

Jas O'Shanahan Chairman 21.5.37/

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 21st May 1937

Present Cr Jas OShanahan (Chair) Jas Doudle, JC Harder WG Morgan & CK Ritchie also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer KS McFarlane. Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed

Financial Statement presented showing a credit Bal of £583.17.0

Correspondence - Highways Dept advising that from 1st July next the following charges are to be made against grants and provision for other work performed by Council for the Department Machinery & plant - an hourly charge to be made for use of machinery on all work to cover all costs except Drivers Wages Tools, Equipment etc. A charge of 2% on labor to cover purchase repairs and renewals. Insurance of Workmen _ A charge of ¾% on labor to cover this.

Director Local Government drawing attention to regulation published in Govt Gazette of 15th April declaring the plant known as Prickly Pear _ to be a Noxious Weed.

Woods & Forests Dept with prices of Trees asked for in letter of 12th April which were required by Mr JR Winstanley for planting on the Road at Mt Drummond to value of £1.16.0. Moved by Cr Doudle that Mr Winstanley be supplied with the trees asked for. Sec by Cr Ritchie . Carried

S McCracken Cummins asked if Council will supply trees for planting in street at Cummins near his residence _ It was resolved that the Council

will supply 1 Dozen trees to Mr McCracken for that purpose.

JK Manson advising that he was renewing the ramp at Lake Hamilton as requested in Councils letter to him.

Secy Court Lincoln AO Forresters Lodge stating that they desire to discontinue the use of Council Chamber for Lodge meetings from the end of present quarter. received

Bagot's Executor & Trust Coy requesting that the fine of 5/7 imposed on Miss J Radford's Estate for late payment, as the rate notice had not been posted to them as previously requested. Resolved that under the circumstances the fine of 5/7 be remitted.

FJ Jericho pointing out that there are several holes on the Cummins - Yeelanna Road about 2 miles from Cummins that require attention. received

W. Watkins requesting that the road in front of the New Hall at Yeelanna be repaired before the opening day on 26th June. Resolved that the road be repaired in front of the Hall.

Clerk reported that he had written the Commr Highways requesting an additional grant of £200 for dragging on the Main Roads for the balance of the financial year as the Main Road Grant has been overspent.

Director Farmers Assist Bd _ Statement and proposed Scheme of Adjustment under Primary Producers Debt Act 1935/36 of Phillis Bros - Yeelanna

CR Kerley - Statement of Scheme of Arrangement for him to carry on for 1937/38 Season under Supervision of Geo. C Peters as Trustee for Creditors.

Allan Green made application to lease 3 chain Road for 90 chains South from Two Wells Hd Mitchell with permission to put a ramp and gate across same. Also for permission to put a ramp and gate across the road between Sections 7 and 56 Hd Mitchell. Resolved that application be granted @ 2d per acre.

Dept of Lands - Transfers of Land Simes Wm To Cash Donemich O's Sec 11 Hd Uley Simes Wm To Cash Donemich O'S Sec 1198 Hd Lincoln Dunn GW to Mason Gordon W. Sec N Hd Wanilla Public Trustee To Harris Florence M.M Sec Pt 332Hd Louth Crown To Darling Geo W Sec F. Hd Louth Murray Catherine To Baillie Gladys M Sec Pt 189 Hd Louth lots 3.4.8 Green Josephine To Harding DL Sec Pt 387 Hd Louth 5 acres Brice WE (Deceased)To Ex T & Agcy Coy of SA Sec18 Hd Mitchell Wannan ER (Bankrupt)" Griel AE (assigned) Sec 28 Hd Mitchell Crown To Wennall T.V. Sec 72 Hd Mortlock William WD To King George VI Sec 5 Hd Cummins Filmer AT To Stephenson Colin K Sec Pt 23 Hd Cummins Ockenden CL To Rough Leigh Lot 16 ofSec 2w Hd Cummins Prop Cr Harder that Clerk make the necessary alterations in Assessment Book - Sec Cr Doudle . Carried

Moved by Cr Morgan that the following accounts as read be passed for payment . Sec by Cr Ritchie - Carried General £439- 10- 10 State Bank Fencing Loans £ 79- 3- 9 £ 518- 14- 7

Govt Grants A/c Main Roads £89.5.4 Federal Roads £124.2.9 District Roads £139.5.7 Total £352.13.8

Cr Doudle stated there was a bad patch on the Main Road near Mt Hope which needed attention. Overseer to have this repaired.

Cr Ritchie requested that some breaking down be done on the road near Tulka - Resolved that a fortnights work be done there.

Cr Harder mentioned that repairs to the road at Lollers previously promised - should be done at once. Overseer to have a weeks work done there.

Cr Harder also asked that the Pony Grader be put on the Cummins - Edillilie Main Road at once. Resolved that 1 weeks grading be done.

Cr Morgan moved that the Council apply for a licence Free of charge for portion of Section 29 Hd Warrow containing 1 Road 9 Perches, being Crown Lands on which there are several graves so that it can be fenced off - Sec by Cr Doudle. Carried.

Overseers Monthly report was received and adopted on the motion of Cr Doudle, Sec by Cr Ritchie.

Clerk reported that Crs Jas OShanahan Louth Ward, CK Ritchie Lincoln Ward, and Jas Doudle, Mitchell Ward, retire on July 1st by effluction of Time.

Moved by Cr O'Shanahan that AH Taylor be appointed Returning Officer at the usual fee for the Annual Election of Councillors. Sec Cr Harder. Carried.

Jas O'Shanahan Chairman 19.6.37

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 18th June 1937

Present Crs. Jas OShanahan(Chair) Jas Doudle, JC Harder W.G. Morgan & CK Ritchie. Also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer KS McFarlane.

Financial Statement Presented showing Cr Bal of £.

Clerk reported the result of Nominations received for Councillors. Louth Ward, Jas OShanahan (re-elected). Lincoln Ward CK Ritchie re-elected, & Mitchelle Ward, Jas Doudle re-elected.

Correspondence. Highways Dept advising that a Special Main road Grant of £200 had been allotted for general Maintenance of Main Roads as asked for.

Highways Dept in reply to letter of 22nd March. Stating that a Federal Aid Grant of £150 had been allotted for covering with rubble, portion of Cummins - Edillie road previously graded.

Highways Dept Stating that Inspector Ayling advised that a trial section of blinding from Taunto Swamp be put down, with a view to using same later, on constuction work.

Wangary Bridge Highways Dept Advising that Survey of Wangary Bridge had been completed and plans were being prepared for reconstruction of same - Later notice was given that the work of reconstruction would be commenced on 7th June.

Tractor - Highways Dept Stating that approval had been given for a loan of £808 being granted the Council for the purchase of a RD 4 Diesal Tractor - The amount being

repayable in Five equal Annual instalments, with interest @ 5% on the outstanding balance. Working accounts to be opened and charges raised as outlined in Circular letter of 1st June 1937.

Main Road Schedule - Highways Dept submitted a new Main Road Schedule which it is intended to adopt by proclamation under Section 30 of Highways Act.

Maximum Load - Highways Dept drawing attention to proclamation published in Govt. Gazette of 20th May 1937 which provides that the maximum load which my be carried on any vehicle on any road on Eyre Penisnsula is Six cwt per inch of the total width of Tyres.

Commr. Highways Stating that following representations made by the Council to the Hon The Minister of Local Government to be relieved of Any Contribution towards the Cost of Improved HighwaysIt is considered that there are no grounds for granting relief from the present charges.

Vermin Destruction - Director of Lands pointing out that the month of July is gazetted as the Winter period for Simultaneous destruction of Vermin.

District Engineer, Waterworks, in reference to road from main Koppio Road leading to Tod Pumping Station where it crosses the Tod River. The Chairman reported having inspected this with the overseer and arrangements had been made for filling in the holes. District Engineer - Western Water District enclosing sketch of proposed work where the Tod Main crosses the Main Koppio - Cummins Road near Hd Cummins boundary ,for the approval

of the Council. Approval granted for work to be done as outlined in the letter and sketch.

SB Blacker requesting that the council have his Fencing Loan Capitalized - Clerk to write to State bank in reference to this.

F.W Radford applied to lease portion of road along the eastern boundary of his property Section 94 Hd Ulipa. Lease granted 36 Acres @ 2d.

E.H. Lines Stating that he is unable to pay his rates at present and would be prepared to work same out.

WB Walkom requesting that the Cummins - Mt Hope road be grubbed from where previous grubbing was done, to the Western boundary of Hd Cummins. Resolved that something be done later on.

Tree Planners Association. Stating the Membership fee & they hope to enroll this Council as a member. Received

C Wade in reference to the rating of Thistle Island.

W.J Stokes - Cummins in reference to Dog Registrations and requesting that he be appointed Sole registrar in the district Patrolled by him. Resolved that no alteration in the Deputy Registrars be made at present.

Mrs W.J. Sampson Stating that she is unable to pay her rates until her Fathers Estate is finalized.

Director of Lands Stating that a Licence will be prepared shortly placing the Old Grave Reserve - Section 29 Hd Warrow, under the control of the Council as requested in letter of 27th May.

Copy of letter from Clerk to Superintendent S.A. Railways in reference to the drain made by Railways Dept across road, and leading to Yeelanna Railway dam, making the road dangerous, and requesting that pipes be placed there or drain filled in. The action of Clerk was endorsed.

CR Douady. Statement of Rates Collected to date.

Land Department - The following Transfers

Dorward LA. To Baillie R.A.G. Part Sec 189 Hd Louth Polden Wm. To Moody Marjorie I. Sec 379.380 Hd Louth Manios P. To Sinclair P.S. Block 49 Hd Lincoln Coward T.W. To Puckridge P.L. Sec 102 Hd Lincoln West Coast Coy To Preuss Eugene Blocks A.B Pt Blk 37 -38 of Sec Hd Lincoln Smith W.M. To Smith Edward B Sec 327 Hd Lincoln Smith W.M. To Smith Edward B Lots 25/6.29.32 of Sec 1A Bellwood Crown To Whait J.D. Sec 64 Suburb Edillilie Crown To Lawrie G & A Sec 40 Hd Mortlock (Perpt) Walkom AWB To Cronin Annie M. Lot 37 of Sec 3A Hd Cummins Walkom AWB To Walkom OBC (Mrs) Pt Lot 1 of Pt Sec 2W Hd Cummins Stevenson Cora To Lowe Marjorie T (Mrs) Pt Lot 44 of pt Sec 2W Hd Cummins Shah Jesse To Bryant Hannah J Lot 35 pt Sec 2W Hd Cummins Alterations of Section Nos Sec 5 Hd Cummins New No 60. 2177 Acres Sec 28N Hd Cummins New No 61. 1042 Acres Sec 109 Hd Louth Harbors Bd Reserve on Point Boston {A R P. 0.2.17} Prop Cr. Morgan that Clerk make the necessary Alterations in Assessment Book. Sec Cr. Doudle. Carried.

Accounts - Prop Cr. Harder, Sec Cr. Ritchie that the following accounts as read be passed for payment.
Carried. General A/C £288.0.4 Fencing & Netting Loans State Bk
£34.14.7 = £322.14.11 Government Grants A/C Federal Roads
£34.19.8 Main Roads £78.19.0 = £113.18.8

Road Plant - Following a report by Councillors who accompanied the Commissioner Highways to Lake Hamilton on his recent visit, and the statement made by the Commissioner in reference to the Plant required to carry out the programme of the Five year Plan of the Government - Cr. Morgan moved that the Council take the necessary steps to obtain a loan from the Highways Dept sufficient to purchase the balance of Two road plants on the same terms and conditions as was granted for the purchase of Tractor already ordered, and also for the purchase of a 2 Ton Tip truck. Seconded by Cr. Ritchie. Carried.

Clerk was instructed to obtain prices of various makes of Motor Trucks, also grader, Roller & Plow.

Cr. Harder stated that there is a very bad patch on EdillilieKoppio Road near Carters that is almost impassable. Resolved that this be repaired at once.

Cr Morgan Stated that there are some bad holes on Main West Road, between Wangary and Warrow that require filling. Resolved that these be filled as soon as possible.

Overseer's Monthly report was received and on the motion of Cr. Ritchie, Sec by Cr. Doudle, same was adopted.

Cr. OShanahan Moved that the Telephone Dept be authorised to raise the Telegraph line where it crosses the road at the deviation near the 21 Mile on West Main road, to the necessary height for safety. Sec Cr. Morgan. Carried.

Prop Cr. Doudle that the next meeeting be held on Friday 9th July instead of 16th to comply with Local Govt. Act requiring a meeeting of the council to be held within 10 days of an Election. Sec Cr. Harder. Carried

Summary of Years Work was submitted by the Overseer Mr McFarlane. WG Morgan Acting Chairman 9/7/37/

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 9th July 1937

Present Crs. Jas Doudle, JC Harder ,WG Morgan, & CK Ritchie, also Clerk AHTaylor & Overseer KS McFarlane

An Apology was received from Cr OShanahan who was absent through illness.

Chairmans Allowance Prop by Cr Morgan that this be £15 payable in two half yearly payments the same as last year. Sec by Cr Doudle . Carried

Chairman Cr Morgan prop Cr OShanahan as Chairman. Sec by Cr Harder . Carried

Acting Chairman. Prop by Cr Harder that Cr Morgan act as chairman during the absence of the Chairman . Sec Cr Doudle. Carried

Financial Statement presented showing Cr Bal of £369. 17. 0

Signing Cheques. Resolved that all Councillors sign cheques as previously.

Assessment Revision Committee - Resolved that all Councillors comprise the Assessment Revision Committee.

Revising Assessment Resolved that the Clerk AH Taylor revise the Assessment at the usual fee.

Correspondence Highways Dept advising that Commissioner will favourably consider an application from the Council for a loan of approximately £2500 to cover the cost of purchase of the major items of plant listed The loan to be for 5 years at 5% interest on the outstanding balance. Also that it will be necessary to state the actual amount required for each item. Also make and type of the various machines. and the date it is desired that the amount be paid to credit of District Funds. Council was also urged to order the complete plant as early as possible.

Aerodrome. Corporation of Port Lincoln wrote requesting the Council to share the annual cost of renting & maintaining the Aerodrome at Little Swamp. Moved by Cr Ritchie that Council agree to pay up to £20 as half cost of maintenance on conditions that Council is consulted on any business pertaining to the management and any revenue received is credited against costs. Seconded by Cr. Doudle. Carried

Annual Conference - Secy EP Local Govt Association advised that the next Conference would be held at Cowell on 30th August 1937 and requesting that Delegates be appointed and their names submitted, also any matter that the Council wishes placed on the Agenda Paper. Councillors CK Ritchie & JC Harder were appointed Delegates to the Conference at Cowell.

Auditor - The Secy EP Local Govt Assoc submitted the name of Mr NV Jacobs who has applied to the Association for the position of Auditor.

to the various Councils on Eyre Peninsula Resolved that Mr NV Jacobs be appointed Auditor for 2 years from August next @ £10 per Annum and that the Secy of the Association be notified.

Local Government Assoc of SA. Secretary wrote asking if this Council has any "Notices of Motion" or other business that it desires brought before the Annual Meeting in September next. Recd

School Committee - Cummins The Secretary wrote asking permission to plant trees in Street at Cummins and also asked if the Council would have the holes for same dug and and tree guards erected. Resolved that permission be given to plant the trees, but the Council could not contribute to the cost of planting and protecting them.

State Bank in reference to S B Blacker's request to have his Fencing & water Pipe Loan Capitalized and stating that it is advisable - if the Council intends to make similar application on behalf of any other Settler - that they all be included in the one request.

Stokes WJ in reference to Councils letter of 19th June and stating that he will carry on the same as last year.

Director of Lands - Stating fees required in connexion with opening of New Road through Section 13 Hd Mitchell Clerk reported that he had written to Mr Vigar requesting payment of the amount required.

Accounts - Moved by Cr Doudle that the following accounts as read be passed for payment. Sec by Cr Ritchie . Carried General a/c £204-0-3 Government Grants a/c Main Roads £62-6-10

New Machinery Letter received from S.A. Tractor Coy confirming the order for a second R.D.H. Catterpillar Tractor for £801-10-5 plus Freight Delivery September.

Graders- Clerk reported that on receipt of the letter from Highways Dept one 8D Champion Armstrong Holland Scarifier Grader had been ordered from Implement Coy. Resolved on the motion of Cr Harder, Sec by Cr Ritchie, that another 8D Champion Grader be ordered at once and that a 20" Blade be ordered instead of 15" as usually supplied. Motor Truck - Prop Cr Harder that the offer of City Motors Ltd be accepted for one Two Ton Bedford Tip truck as specified for £278.6.6 and Chevrolet Truck, Delivery at Port Lincoln. Sec Cr Ritchie. Carried

Rollers- Moved by Cr Ritchie that one Roller be purchased from Forwood Down & Co as specified @ £190 plus Sales Tax FOB Port Adelaide, and one Roller from Hawke & Co Kapunda as specified for £175 plus Sales Tax FOB. Clerk to communicate with Hawke & Co in reference an allowance on old roller at Kapinnie as a trade in before ordering new roller. Sec Cr Doudle. Carried

Brattenising Plows - Resolved that 2 Plows be ordered from Excell & Son at price quoted £57-10-0 each.

Cr Harder stated that there was a bad patch on the CumminsKoppio Main Road . Overseer to inspect this.

Overseers Monthly report was received and adopted on the motion of Cr Harder. Sec by Cr Ritchie.

It was resolved that Council advertise for Tractor Driver, man for grader, and Truck Driver.

Chairman WG Morgan 13/8/37

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 13th August 1937

Present Cr WG Morgan (Chairman) Jas Doudle, JC Harder, CK Ritchie. Also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer KS McFarlane.

Apology received & (Accepted with regret) from the Chairman Cr Jas O'Shanahan who was absent through illness.

Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed.

Financial Statement presented showing a Cr Balance of £265.12.11 Auditors Report with Statement of Receipts & Expenditure and Balance Sheet for year ending 30 June 1937 was presented. Cr Ritchie moved that the Balance Sheet and Auditors report be adopted, and that the matter of the two Netting Loans mentioned in the report be held over for further consideration later. Sec Cr Harder. Carried.

Correspondence. Highways & Local Govt gave notice of their intention to reconstruct the bridge at Sections 137 & 139 Hd Warrow, on West Main Road. This to commence on 26 July 1937.

Commissioner Highways, An amended definition of the West Main Road which it is intended to include in the revised Main Road Schedule - This embraces the road on the West side of Lake Hamilton in lieu of the present Main Road on East Side.

Correspondence cont Highways dept drawing attention to proclamation under the Bread Act 1935, in Govt Gazette of 1/7/37 - and also stating that arrangements have been made for Samples of Bread to be analyzed by the Dept of Chemistry . free of charge to the Dist Councils. Main Road Grant Highways Dept. Advising that an amount of £900 had been allotted by the Commissioner for the Maintenance of Main Roads in this District for year ending 30/6/38.

District Postal Inspector / Kadina wrote pointing out the bad state of the road from Yeelanna to Brimpton Lake, which is traversed by the Mail conveyance twice weekly. Also that the road is almost impossible during wet periods, and unless repaired, would cause disruption in the Mail service. Prop By Cr Harder that as the Council have no funds available, application be made to the Commissioner of Highways for a Special Grant of £500 for the purpose of grading about 17 Miles of this road, and covering where necessary. Sec by Cr Ritchie. Carried. Implement Coy. Stating that they proposed to give a demonstration with a 'Speed Patrol' at Cowell during the Annual Conference and asking when this Council's representatives would arrive at Cowell. Clerk reported that he had supplied the information asked for.

Forwood Down & Co acknowledged receipt of order for Road Roller, & stated that they would endeavour to deliver same by the end of August.

Correspondence Cot City Motors Pty Ltd acknowledged receipt of order for one 2 ton Bedford Truck.

Corporation of Port Lincoln, acknowledged receipt of letter of 11th July, in reference to Maintenance of Aerodrome. EP Local Govt Assoc - Secretary forwarded Copy of Minutes of last Conference held at Streaky Bay. Moody Mrs M.I. advising that she will be closing the fence round her property on 30th September, when

there would be no road through to Charlton Hall. Resolved that the matter of clearing the road on the boundary of her property be left over until next meeting - Overseer to inspect and report on same. Radford FW Coultas - complained that the Warrow - Cummins Road, adjoining his property is being used as a sheep run, causing damage to his fences and danger to travelling public. Prop CR Doudle that Mr P.V Paech be written to stating that he must keep his sheep off the road, otherwise further action will be taken. Sec Cr Harder. Carried. Petition from E Whitlock Jones & Others, that the road to Pillana Lake from the Cummins- Warrow road, be graded and that an inspection of the road be made, while it is in the present wet condition.- Resolved that the Overseer & Cr Harder inspect the road. Manager C.O.R wrote in reference to supplying Oils & Fuels

McFarlane WM. made application to lease the road on South boundary of Section 218 Hd Lincoln, and also to place a gate at the boundary between Secs 218 and 53. Application granted, under the usual conditions, in accordance with Local Govt Act 1934. 3 @ 3 acres. Radford FW Coultas, made application to lease the 3 Chain Road East and North of Section 79, (between 79 & 90) Hd Ulipa. Application granted under the usual conditions. 48 acres. Wagner WE made application for the lease of 3 Chain road between Sections 17 and 69 Hd Shannon, and also for permission to erect Two Gates and two Ramps across this road - Application granted under the usual conditions. 24 @ 4 acres. Assessment - The revised Assessment was presented. Moved by Cr Jas Doudle that the revised Assessment of £38,050 be adopted. Seconded by Cr JC Harder. Carried. Next Meeting - Moved by Cr Harder that the next meeting of the Council be held on Thursday 9th September at 11.30 instead of 17th Sept. Seconded by Cr Ritchie. Carried. Travelling Allowance - Moved by Cr Harder that Councillors Travelling Allowance be 1/- per mile one way as previously. Sec Cr Doudle. Carried.

Transfers Land- The Lands Dept advised the following transfers had been granted. Crown to Jas & JF O'Shanahan Sec 131 Hd Louth. Crown to JF O'Shanahan Sec 205 Hd Louth. Low EL & another to Borthwick FH Sec 44N, 52,53 Hd Wanilla. Robertson Alice to State Bank Pt Sec 39 Hd Wanilla. Robertson Alice to State bank Pt Sec 3 Hd Lincoln State Bank to Lines Lorna B Pt Sec 39 Hd Wanilla. Mortlock FR (deceased) to Scarfe EE & Elders Trustee Co Secs 1.2.4.5.7 Hd Wangary. Puckridge AHA & Ava to Riley RJR Secs 163.164 Hd Warrow. Myers LJ to Doudle Wm Secs 56.57 Hd Warrow. Myers LJ to Doudle Wm Lots 9.10./1/12.21/2/3/4 Hd Coultas. Melville AOM to Ford Doris G Sec 6B Hd Cummins. Roberts JD to Mickan Mrs WEH Lot 17 of Pt Sec 2. Hd Cummins Dollard N another to Dollard RB Lot 26 of pt Sec 2W Cummins. Walkom AWB & another to Slater AJ Sec 8.9 Cummins. Est. Peters GC and Est Kerley CR to Cresco Fertilizers Ltd, Sec 29, Hd Cummins. Pfeiffer RP to Lear SM & RG Sec 7N Hd Cummins. Moved by Cr J Doudle that the Clerk make the necessary alterations in Assessment Book - Sec Cr Ritchie, Carried. Accounts. Moved by Cr Ritchie, Sec Cr Harder that the following accounts as read be passed for payment. C

Overseers Monthly report was received - Cr Harder moved that Overseers report be adopted and that action be taken against

those who do not comply with the order to destroy St Johns Wort.
Sec by Cr Ritchie. Carried.

Salt. Resolved that Clerk obtain 3 Tons Salt from Adelaide for the destruction of St Johns Wort. Cr Doudle asked that a few days work be done on the Mt Drummond Road and also on the Hundred line between Kiana & Ulipa. Resolved that this be done. Cr Ritchie asked that 3 days work be done on road near Millers Lime Ltd, and also that about a fortnights work clearing be done between Sections 3A and Hd Uley. Carried. Cr Harder asked that 3 days work be done near Pillana Siding with Truck. Granted. Cr Morgan asked that a washout on the road at Kellidie Bay be repaired. Granted. Applications for the position of Tractor Driver, Truck Driver, and grader man were considered, and the following wre appointed to the various positions:- Tractor Driver C.P Ashman. Truck Driver Ray A. Agars Grader Man EL Walsh. Jas O'Shanahan Chairman. 9/9/37

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 9th September Court of Appeal

Present Councillors, Jas. O'Shanahan (Chair), Jas. Dondle J.C Harder, WG Morgan, & C K Ritchie

Appeals received from I E Tancock per Bank of Adelaide, Lots B.E.F.G of Part 3A Cummins Moved by Cr O'Shanahan that the Assessment be reduced from £16 to £10. Seconded by Cr Harder. Carried

HC Wollastons Estate per Bagot Executor & Trustee Coy Sections 330, 333, 432/3/4/5 and Secs 437 and 439 Hd Lincoln Moved by Cr Ritchie that Sections 330, 333, 432/3/4/5 be reduced from £22 to £15 and that Sections 437 and 439 remain at 11 Pounds as at present. Seconded Cr Morgan Carried

Morgan WG L G H and Elders - Notice of Appeal to Local Court against the Assessment of Sections No 74 to 78, 80 to 117 & Block Fbe, Fbw Fa.. G. H. B, Hd Lake Waugary Received

[signed] Jos. O'shanahan, Chairman 15.10.37/

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 9th September 1937

Present Councillors Jas O'Shanahan (Chair), Jas Dondle, J.C Harder, W.G. Morgan & C.K. Ritchie, also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer K.S. McFarlane

Meetings of previous meeting read and confirmed

Correspondence Highways Dept advising that the Commissioner had approved of a loan of £2,105 being made available to assist the Council in the purchase of a Holt RDH Tractor, Two ArmstrongHolland 8D Graders, one Forward Down Road Roller & a Hawke & Co Drag Roller - the above amount having since been credited to District Funds. The request for loan to cover 2 Ton Bedford Truck was held over, it being pointed out that half the amount of trade in on Chevrolet Truck would need to be paid to Govt. Grants Account.

Highway Dept advising that the work of extending the Cutout at Sections 137 and 140 Hd Warrow on West Main Road would be commenced on 23rd August and formal notice of Same attached Director of Lands requesting a report as to the action taken by the Council, and the results obtained in connection with Winter period of simultaneous destruction of Vermin. -Clerk reported that he had supplied the information

Correspondence (Cont) District Engineer - Western Water District asking the approval of the Council to the crossing under the 3 Chain road near S.E. Corner of Sec 8E Hd Cummins as outlined in their letter Approved

District Engineer - W. Water Dist. (2 letters) in reference to building up the road leading to Ted River Pumping Station where the Department have recently laid 3 lengths of 18" concrete pipes. Resolved that something would be done when funds would permit

Local Government Association - President's report and agenda of Annual Meeting to be held on 17th Sept. also report of half yearly meeting & statement of receipts & expenditure together

with Legal Opinions obtained from 1 Jany to 30 June 1937 Cr Harder was appointed Delegate to Annual Meeting on 17th Sept Deputation to wait on Hon Minister of Agriculture - Secy wrote advising that at a public meeting held at Cummins on 31 Aug, it was resolved that a deputation to wait on the Minister to ask for assistance for improving the roads round Cummins and asking the Council to appoint a Councillor or Councillors to form part of the deputation Resolved that Cr Harder represented the Council

Petition from CK Stephenson & 9 other ratepayers asking for a special grant for improvements to Cummins - Mt Hope Road, which is almost impassable on wet weather - Resolved that nothing can be done at present

Commercial Bank Manager Cummins requested that an entrance for a motor car to the Bank premises over the footpath be made and also that a permanent footpath be constructed in front of the Bank premises - Resolved that a pipe be put in.

L. A. Sampson Edillilie requesting that the street be grubbed at his recently erected residence Overseer to inspect.

A R Lowe requested that the arrears £1.1.0 on Section 23 Hd Shannon which were due when the land was allotted to him by the Crown be remitted Prop Cr OShanahan, Sec Cr Harder that the arrears be remitted Carried

Mr M J Morgan applied for the lease of road between Sections 166/7- 168/9 Ltd Wangary also stone reserve between Sec 163 and 166 Hd Wangary 16 acres @ 2d Granted

J W Lennard submitted a report in reference to stray cattle on the road Received

Application for the supply of Fuel & Oils received from the various suppliers - It was resolved that supplies be obtained for 3 working months each from the following. Shell Coy Vacuum Oil & C.O.R in that order

Accounts, Moved by Cr Doudle that the following accounts as read be passed for Payment.. Sec Cr Harder Carried General a/c £132.3.6 Machinery a/c 1639.1.6 £1771-5-0 Govt Grants a/c Main Roads A/c £78.13.0

Estimate of Receipts & Expenditure for year ending 30 June 1938 presented Moved by Cr. O'Shanahan that the estimate be adopted and a General Rate of fifteen pence in the Pound be declared Seconded by Cr Harder Carried

Cr. Ritchie asked that the road between Sections 2m-2wc Hd Uley be graded when the grader is going through Also that about 1 days work with the Truck putting gravel on this road This to be done

Cr Harder moved that Tenders be called for the supply of gravel for the Cummins-Edillilie Road Sec Cr Ritchie Carried

Cr Morgan stated that some holes required filling on Main road near Wanilla Forest Reserve This to be done

Also that when the grader is going up the West Road a short piece of grading be done on the road from Main Rd to Mena Grange This to be done

Overseers report was received & Cr Morgan moved that same be adopted. Sec Cr Ritchie Carried

Old Timber at Wangary Bridge. The offer of JJ Doudle of £4 was accepted

[signed] Jas O'Shanahan Chairman 15.10.37/

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of meeting held 15th October 1937

Present Councillors Jas O'Shanahan (Chair) Jas Doudle, J C Harder, W G Morgan, & C K Ritchie, also Clerk A H Taylor Overseer K S McFarlane.

Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed..

Financial Statement presented showing a debit Bal of £8.13.5 on General A/c & credit of £159.1.0 on machinery a/c.

Correspondence. Highways Department with formal notice of Completion of the reconstruction of Bridge on Main West Road at Lake Wangary on 24th September 1937. Received

Highways Department advising that the amount allotted under Federal Aid Roads Agreement for West Main Road No 9 is £4000. Also that the amount allotted for Roads in Newly Settled Areas for year ending 30.6.38 is £1200.

Commr Highways in reply to deputation which recently waited on the Hon Minister of Local Government - stating that although there appears to be urgent need of improvement of Roads in the District near Cummins, the local rating is kept much below these needs, and as the Government has been allocating very substantial grants, under the present conditions it is not practicable to make larger allocations, but the position would be improved if the Council raised its Assessment and rating.

Correspondence (Contd) Director Local Government wrote in reference to the spread of African Boxthorn on Eyre Peninsula and asking to what extent the plant is growing in this district and the steps that are being taken for its eradication. Clerk to reply that the plant is kept down in this district.

Highways Dept - Stating that records show that a rate of 5/- per hour for the hire of Diesel Tractors is too high and that from the beginning of the Councils current 4 weekly period the rate is to be 3/6 per hour.

Highways Dept with specimen copies of Insurance working account and plant & tools working account in connexion with per centage charge on Labor to meet charges for tools, equipment etc and W.C.A, Insurance.

Burial Ground Sec 29 Hd Warrow. The Director of Lands forwarded Annual License No 4015 placing Section 29 under the care, control of the Council for 12 months from 8th June 1937.

W Pitkin wrote stating that portion of the land in his name and on which St John Wort is growing is not his property - but is held by West Coast Coy - He applied to the Coy for the land but did not continue with the purchase of same.

Cummins Show Ground - The Secretary Centenary Committee wrote requesting the Council to supply 6 lengths Concrete pipes for the entrance to the Show Ground and the Committee would place the pipes in position and build up the entrance. Overseer reported that the pipes had been supplied with the sanction of Cr Harder. Action endorsed.

Cummins & District Progress Assoc. - The Secretary wrote thanking the Council for appointing Cr Harder as their representative on the deputation that recently waited on the Hon the Minister of

Local Government in reference to the necessity for improved roads near Cummins.

Also the result of a Public Meeting held at Cummins on 11th October as which it was resolved that a deputation wait on the Council, to asking that the Assessment be raised as soon as possible so that additional funds will be in Mortlock Ward & Hd Mitchell, for improving the roads and requesting the Council to fix the date & time for such deputation to be received. & That the ratepayers ask that an additional Councillor be appointed to represent the Hundreds of Shannon and Mitchell, and requesting advice as to the correct procedure to adopt. Resolved that the Council receive the deputation on next Council day, 19th November at 12 noon, and that Clerk notify the Secretary of the Association and also the procedure to adopt as requested.

Inspector Ayling - notifying the Council of the dates of his intended inspection of the roads within the District. received
T H Wood - Made application to lease the road between Sections 53 and 54 Hd Lincoln. Moved by Cr Ritchie, Sec Cr Morgan, that application be granted. Carried.

R R Loveday & 10 other Ratepayers of North Shields requesting that the road from North Shields past A Crawfords be graded and drained as at present it is washed out by the winter rains.

It was resolved that this road receive attention as soon as funds are available.

Clerk of Local Court. Notifying that the Appeal of W G L & G H Morgan & Elders Trustee & Ex Co against the Assessment of Sections No 74 to 78, 80 to 117. Blocks F BE, F RW, F F, G. H & J Assessment No 692 will be heard at 10 am on Tuesday 9th November. Clerk to attend and give necessary evidence.

re R E Wannan Section 28 Hd Mitchell. The Manager State Bank requested that Concessions provided for in the Amendments to the Load for Fencing & Water Piping Act Nos 2317 and 2254 be applied to the loans on the above Section which is now vested in the name of the State Bank. Clerk to include this with other applications.

Department of Lands Notifying of the following alterations of Section Nos. Section 119A Hd Lincoln New No 119A 2313 Acres No. 469= A0.R1.P36 Section 80 Hd Wanilla New No 119A 333 acres Sec 44S Hd Wanilla New No 81 204 acres Park Lands Town Wangary new Road 1 acre Section 13 Hd Cummins New Nos 13 = 2301 acres No 58 =1381 acres, 59 = 720 acres Transfers Land Bishop to T G Barr Smith to Public Trustee to HAR Short to WM McFarlane Secs 26.29 Hd Lincoln E Aitchison to Elders Trustee Co to Puckridge P L Secs 100.137.209.212/3,Pt 101, 133/4/5/6, 139. 138. 167.202.204.210/1 Pt 200 Hd Lincoln E Aitchison to Elders Trustee to McFarlane WM Secs 22.23.24.25.27.28.36.37.38.39.40.132.221/2.Pt 172.173.175.217. Hd Lincoln E Aitchison, Elders Trustees to Gilberton John Pt Sec 172 Hd Lincoln Aitchison F E to WHillas C H & G J Secs 168 Pt 169.170. Lock L L to Lock C H Secs 306.260/1.264/5 .267/8/9 Hd Lake Wangary

Transfers Continued } McNair A W to Bignell Ada J B 224 Hd Louth Gardner M & Anr to Gardner F G & M T, Low C R & S M, Howard G H A Pt Sec 222 Hd Louth. Crown to Sperling Carl A G Sec 56 Hd Mitchell Warman Est E R to State Bank of S A Sec 28 Hd

Mitchell Vogl to Painter E W to Watkins W H Sec 18 Hd
Shannon Richardson A V to Skipworth Geo N E Sect 21 Hd
Shannon McSweeney D M to Starke Albert W Sec 25 Hd Mortlock Crown
to Marrie Murray C K Block 60 Hd Cummins Crown to Pause Roger L
Block 61 Hd Cummins Nosworthy O S to Nankivell A E Sec 6s Hd
Cummins Starke H E to Reed W L Pt Sec 15 Hd Cummins Correll
Estate to Kay F W Lot 72 of Pt Sec 2w Hd Cummins Laidlaw Annie to
Laube Sophia Lot 25 of Pt Sec 3A Hd Cummins Francis & Fielding to
Walsh Florence V J Lot 29.5 of Pt Sec 2W Hd Cummins Prop Cr
Doudle that Clerk be authorised to make necessary alterations in
the Assessment Book. Sec by Cr Harder Carried.

Accounts Moved by Cr Morgan that the following accounts as read
be passed for apyment Sec by Cr Ritchie. Carried General A/c
£261.3.0 Machinery A/c £278.6.6 TOTAL £538.9.6 Govrenment Grants
A/c Federal Aid Roads £195.0.0 Main £114.7.8 District
£56.3.11 TOTAL £365.10.9

Cr Doudle requested that some holes be filled in on the road from
Yeelanna to Kapinnie. This to be done.

Cr Doudle pointed out that the windmill on the Water Reserve at
Mt Hope is out of repair and that if it was put in repair W
Parsons would be prepared to lease same.

Clerk to ascertain if the Well is under the control of the
Waterworks Department and if so put the case before the Resident
Engineer.

Cr Ritchie requested that about 2 days grubbing be done on the
road to Mr Derringtons. This to be done.

Cr Harder reported having inspected the road near Mr E W Jones
and that same is in a bad state - Portion of this could be graded
but it will be necessary for some grubbing to be done. Overseer
was instructed to call tenders for grubbing on this road.

Cr Harder reported that the road from Cummins to Cockaleecheie
near the Cummins Cemetary has been badly cut up in carting the
pipes for the relaying of the Tod River Pipe line - It was
resolved that the Waterworks Department be written to asking if
that Department for assistance in putting the road in repair
again. Cr Morgan requested that about two days work be done in
putting gravel on the road at Mena Swamp. Overseer to have this
done.

Clerk reported that a representative of the R.A.A had called at
the Office & pointed out that road signs are necessary in various
places in the District and that their Association will supply
standard metal signs for District Roads on applications stating
the position to be erected and the name.

Overseers Monthly report was presented & read and adopted on the
motion of Cr Harder. Seconded by Cr Morgan.

Tenders were received as follows Contract No 1 Delivery of 1500
cyds of Rubble or gravel on Cummins - Edillilie Road at per cubic
yard mile. Matthews J K. Gravel 1/6 Rubble 2/- each additional
mile 4d extra Ridgway J W Gravel 1/4 Rubble 2/- each additional
mile 4d extra Quinn A P Gravel 2/- Rubble 2/- each additional
mile 4d extra Matthews H J Gravel 2/2 Rubble 2/- each additional
mile 3d extra

Proposed Cr Ritchie that the tender of J W Ridgway be accepted.
Sec by Cr Morgan. Carried.

Jas O'Shanahan Chairman 19.11.37/

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 19th November 1937 at 12 Noon

Present Crs Jas O'Shanahan (Chair) Jas Doudle, JC Harder WG Morgan & CK Ritchie, also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer KS McFarlane

A deputation from the Cummins & District Progress Association consisting of Mr O.A Hall, LB Smith & PH Wagner, waited on the Council. Mr Hall in introducing the deputation stated that at a meeting held at Cummins, it was resolved to request the Council to raise the Assessment in the Hundred of Cummins, Mortlock, Shannon & Mitchell and also that a special rate of 6d in the £ on the assessment of the above Hundreds be declared for the current year for the purpose of improving the Roads in the District.

The Association also requested that the Hundreds of Shannon and Mitchell be severed from Mortlock and Mitchell Ward respectively, and that these two Hundreds be declared an additional Ward and named Shannon Ward and that Mr LB Smith be appointed the First Councillor for the said Ward. A petition requesting this had been signed by a majority of the ratepayers for presentation to the Council, but was in the possession of Mr R Wilson who was unable to be present - this would be forwarded to the Council Mr Smith & Mr Wagner also supported Mr Hall & Mr Wagner produced a petition signed by 24 ratepayers of Mitchell Ward Inspector Ayling of the Highways Department, who was present stated that the Highways Dept would subsidise the Special rate up to £300. and as a Special rate of 6d would realize about £400 for Mortlock Ward - this would mean

an additional £700 for roads. The Chairman in reply stated that the Council would be prepared to declare a Special Rate at once, as it was considered this could be done, but it would have to be for the whole of the Ward and this would exclude the Hd of Mitchell. The Council were also prepared to have a New Assessment next year when the values would be raised. The necessary steps would be taken to have the Hds Shannon & Mitchell a Separate Ward as soon as the Petition asking for this to be done, was received. All the Councillors spoke in favor of all the requests being granted. The Deputation then withdrew & Council adjourned until 2 PM. 2:P.M Minutes of previous Meeting read & confirmed.

Financial Statement presented showing a Dr Bal on General Funds of £47. 1. 7.

Correspondence -- Highways Dept. Advising that the construction of a Flood opening on West Main Road at Coult Creek would be commenced on 14th October with formal notice of same. Also that the Reconstruction of Culvert at sections 137 & 140 Hd Warrow was completed on 15. 11. 37 with formal notice of same.

Also that a special Main Road Grant of £300 had been approved for re gravelling portion of Tumby Bay - Cummins Main Road No3 and providing a side track as outlined by Inspector Ayling.

Houston PJ wrote re the state of the roads from Mena. Also that cattle have been allowed to stray on the road from Mena to Warrow. Also asking what value the Council places on the old timber from bridges at Woolshed Creek and Coult Creek. Clerk to reply

that Tenders for purchase of same would be advertised. Renovial Rubber Coy P.L. advising that SA Tractor Coy had now Stationed a Service Mechanic at Port Lincoln, who would be available for attention to Tractors when required.

C Wade re assessment of Thistle Island & asking the Council to recommend the transfer from its jurisdiction. Clerk to reply Council not in favour but would consider a request for some money to be spent.

Morgan & Sons appeal to Local Court - Clerk reported that the Court had reduced the assessment of assessment No 703 from £700 to £350.

Cr Harder prop That it be a recommendation to the Highways Commr that Bratten Way be discontinued to Coultla and be deviated North through Section 13 Hd Cummins thence West through Secs 25 & 24 to Boundary of Hd Mitchell thence through Secs 2 & 3 & North of 3.4.5 to boundary of Hd Kiana thence West to West Main Road. Sec by Cr Doudle - Carried.

Accounts - Prop Cr Ritchie that the following accounts as read be passed for payment - Sec Cr. Doudle - Carried General a/c £308.19.1 Govt Grant a/c Federal Aid £325. 18. 1 Main Roads £89. 3. 10 Dist " £33. 10. 7 = £448. 12. 6

Prevention of Fires G Proude Resignation as Fire Controller tendered. Resolved that same be accepted. Cr OShanahan reported on a meeting held at Whites Flat in connexion with fire fighting & appliances & that the following were recommended to the Council as Fire Controllers: - Stuart Baillie, A Shields, Sam Cooper, Whites Flat. John Newell Whites Flat , TJ McNally Louth Bay, GB Low Koppio - As only Four could be appointed Cr OShanahan moved that Messrs Baillie, Cooper, Newell, & McNally be appointed Fire Controllers - Sec by Cr Ritchie. Carried It was also resolved that Clerk obtain prices, and that 36 Fire Beaters, 18 Armbands, 2 Knapsack Spray pumps be obtained. Also 1/100 Gal Tank with force pump attached.

Overseers Monthly report was read & Cr Morgan moved that the report be adopted. Sec by Cr Doudle. Carried

The following Tenders were received Contract No 2 Supplying about 8000 cub yds Gravel from Solllys Pit to North Main Road at per cub yd mile. Page JS 1/- First Mile, 5 additional each succeeding mile Matthews JK 1/3 First Mile, 4 additional each succeeding mile Ridgway JW 1/5 First Mile 4 ½ additional each succeeding Mile Simmons WJT1/6 First Mile 5 ½ additional each succeeding Mile Chamberlain FH 2/- First Mile 4 ½ additional each succeeding Mile JS Pages Tender accepted. Contract No 3 80 Chains grubbing & clearing in Hd Wanilla W Arbion @ 3/9 per chain. Accepted. Contract No 4 Not let

Cr Doudle asked for a days work to be done opposite Railway Siding at Mt Hope. Granted.

Cr Ritchie asked that some work with the truck be done on road to C Whillas. This to be done. Also that some cleaning be done on West Main Road, so that stock can travel. Resolved that Overseer see if Mr McFarlane will do a weeks work with Tractor & plow.

Cr Harder asked that 2 or 3 days work be done on the road at Mr Roedigers - This to be done. Also that while the men are there

- that 2 or 3 loads of gravel be put on road near Pillana .
Granted

Cr Morgan asked that the road at Mena and also Mena Swamp be repaired as soon as possible. Overseer to do this.

Cr O'Shanahan said that some of the stones required taking out on Main Road near Stone Crusher at Whites Flat . This to be done.

Special Rate - Moved by Cr O'Shanahan that a Special Rate of 6d in the £ be declared for Mortlock Ward for the current year to be spent on roads in the Ward. Seconded by Cr Harder - Carried

Jas O'Shanahan Chairman 17. 12. 37/

District Council of Lincoln

Minutes of Meeting held 17th December 1937

Present Crs Jas O'Shanahan (Chair) Jas Doudle, JC Harder WG Morgan, & CK Ritchie, also Clerk AH Taylor & Overseer KS McFarlane

Minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed

Financial Statement presented Showed a Dr Bal of £15- 7. 3 on General a/c and Credit on Tools & Machinery Hire of £82. 12. 1

Correspondence . Commissioner Highways advising that petition of 30th ult asking that the Hds Mitchell & Shannon be declared an additional Ward & that Mr LB Smith be appointed First Councillor - was wrongly set out - What should be done is to petition that the existing Mortlock & Mitchell Wards be divided into 3 Wards and this would not - affect any of the Councillors during the current Financial Year but that the next Annual Elections would take place on the altered Bases ___ The petition as directed was Signed by the Chairman & Clerk.

Highways Dept Advising that £100 of the grant for Newly Settled Areas is to be Spent on Yeelanna ___ Brimpton Lake District Road. Also that the construction of a bridge over Meadows Creek at Sections 118 & 119 Hd Louth would be commenced on or about 16th December 1937 with formal notice of same.

Also Stating that the Commissioner had approved of Council accepting the Tender of JS Page for the Supply of 8000 cyds gravel on Main North Road.

Correspondence (Contd) Highways Dept stating that the Minister of Local Govt desires that in the purchase of plant etc, the Council advertise for Tenders, so that Local Firms will have ample opportunity of tendering for requirements.

Highways Dept asking Council the number of Ramps it is estimated will ultimately be required on the Main West Road on the West Side of Lake Hamilton in Hd Kiana.

Also stating that in accordance with Sec 5 of Highways Act Amendment Act 1937. As from 1st July 1937 the levying of further contributions towards maintenance of Improved Highways has been abolished.

TownPlanner - Copy of approved plan of Subdivision of Lot 9 of Sec 2w Cummins (FB.A Vaughan) & portion sold to GoldsbroughMort & Co. Dept Lands advising that the following Annual Licences had been granted. Winstanley JR ,Mt Drummond - 150 Links reserve along Sea Coast , Hd Ulipa. Dangerfield LG - Cummins, ¼ acre of Coast Reserve Sec 271 Hd Lake Wangary, as a camping Site at Kellidie Bay. Harder CFW Edillilie - ¼ acre of Coast Reserve Sec 271 Hd Lake Wangary, as a camping site at Kellidie Bay.

State Bank of SA Credit Financier Dept advising that the Board of Management had approved of this Council being granted remission of Penalty Interest charged since 1/2/28 under Vermin & Fencing Loan Acts amounting to £18- 12. 2 and £69- 18- 10 respectively. Approval had also been given to the Capitalisation of Arrears and extension of terms of Loans to 38 years from date Loans were granted over Sections 28 Hd Mitchell , (Wannan) and Sec 17 Hd Mortlock (SB Blacker.) Also letter setting out how

the Councils a/c now Stands in Banks Books after the above adjustments

State Bank. Further letter 9. 12. 37 LFA 148/37 in reference to charging Penalty Int and crediting remittances, and pointing out what is necessary when forwarding remittances in future. So that credits may agree with Councils credits to the separate items.

Secy EP Local Govt Assoc. stating the rates of daily pay as from 25th November, in accordance with proclamation by Board of Industry in Govt Gazette of 11th Novr 1937, to be paid to Workmen by the Dist Councils on Eyre Peninsula, this being an increase of 9d per day.

W.S Bascombe, in reply to Clerks letter, stating that he will require Two Ramps on Lake Hamilton where the road passes through his fences - Clerk to advise Highway Dept.

Liquidation. Graphite Ltd stating that it is his intention to surrender Mineral Loan No 7331 as from 31 Decr 1937 and asking if rates or portion of them can be remitted by the Council. Clerk to make the alteration in Assessment Book as from 31. 12. 37 but Council will not remit the rates due.

Dr E A Johnson advising that he did not renew his Lease of Hopkins Island, consequently this Island is not now held by him and rates are not payable by him. Clerk to make the alteration in assessment Book.

Secretary Local Govt Association with minutes of Annual Meeting held on 17 Sept 1937 also circular requesting early notification of any "Notice of Motion" or other business that is desired for the Half Yearly Meeting to be held in March 1938.

WB Walkom requesting that the Road North of Sec 25 and through Sec 26 Hd Cummins be grubbed and the worst of the holes filled in . Council will try & do something later on.

Geddes & Co in reference to Block 89 of Sec 59 Hd Lincoln, which they State is not owned by them. Also letter from Official Receiver - Stating that Geddes & Co have no interest as mortgagees, and correcting his previous Statement in which he said that Geddes & Co were mortgagees. Clerk to make the correction in Assesment Book.

Director of Lands advising that Section 469 Hd Lincoln has now been dedicated for Railway Purposes.

Lands Department advised the following alterations of Section Numbers and Transfers. Pt P.L. 354 Hd Mitchell New No 89 . 179 acres (Pt Sec 49) Pt P.L. 353 Hd Shannon - 103. 6590 acres.

West Coast Coy Ltd. To Robertson Alex. Lot C .PtBlocks 38.39 Hd Lincoln. Bishop JK (deceased) To Schroeder AG Secs 113 to 120 Bishop JK (deceased) to Schroeder AG Secs 363 To 368 . 372/4 . 382/3/4/7/8 Hd Lincoln. Bishop JK (deceased) To Schroeder AG. Secs440/1 & 377. Houston Thos (deceased) To Houston PJ & Gregory EM . Secs 143 . 192 Hd Warrow. Green David (deceased) To Green Oscar & AG Secs PT3 and 88 Hd Mitchell. Green David (deceased) to Green Oscar & AG. Secs Blk 3 Hd Ulipa. Turner WT To Reed FL Lot 64/5 of Sec 2w Cummins. Simpson AG & Other To General Assembly Presbyterian Church Lots 47/8 Sec 2w Cummins. Starke WH to Starke HE . Sec 45 . Hd Mortlock. Moved by Cr. Doudle, Sec by Cr.

Ritchie that Clerk make the necessary Alterations in Assessment Book. Carried Prop Cr Morgan that the following accounts as read be passed for payment. Sec Cr. Ritchie - Carried General a/c £ 273. 5. 4 State Bank Loans £ 6. 19. 11 Govt Grants a/c Federal Aid Roads £ 359. 12. 3 Main " £ 108 . 9 .0

Cr Doudle asked that a little grubbing be done each Side of a bad patch between the 57 & 58 mile posts on West Main Road. Overseer to have this done.

Cr Ritchie asked that the bushes be cleared at the bend at Winters Hill on West Main Road. -- granted

Cr Harder asked that some big holes on Cummins - Mt Hope Road near Lutheran Church be filled up. To be done.

Cr Morgan pointed out that the Mena Grange Road requires grading to make a permanent job.

Cr. O'Shanahan moved that Clerk write to PL Corporation asking them to cooperate in having St Johns Wort destroyed especially where it is bad on North Road and on the Western Boundary of the Corporation. Sec Cr Morgan. Carried

Cr Harder Moved that as it would be of great advantage to have a Motor Truck stationed in the Cummins District. The Highways Dept be approached for a loan of about £300 to assist the Council in the purchase of a 1 ½ Ton truck for this purpose. - Sec Cr Ritchie. Carried

Overseers Report was read & Cr Doudle moved that same be received and adopted - Sec Cr Morgan . Carried

The Chairman thanked the Councillors for their assistance during the Half Year and wished them the Compliments of the Season which was reciprocated by the Councillors. Jas O'Shanahan Chairman 21. 1. 38/