A special meeting of the Town Council of Urmston was held on September 25, 1957, at the Guild Hall and presided over by Mr. Walter Wood.

After a quorum was declared present, Mr. Wood stated the purpose of the meeting to adopt or disapprove the action taken at an informal meeting held on August 25.

The minutes of the August meeting were read and after some discussion, it was moved and seconded that the action taken at the August meeting be approved. This was passed unanimously.

The Advisory Committee had several points to present to try and improve attendance at Town Council meetings. They suggested that the meetings should start on time and should have set times for adjournment. A meeting should be followed by a social gathering.

Mr. Wood had matters that could be handled by a committee. He had discussed at length on the first point of the possibility of having proxy voting by appointment to by-laws. A motion was made that the by-laws committee draw up an administration which would make proxy voting more effective.

It was felt that sufficient publicity given to meetings would encourage attendance. There was also the against a set time for adjournment.

Mr. Wood said we should have as much public notice as possible. A motion was made that the report of the Advisory Committee be received.

Motion carried

Fully adjourned

Mary Morley