

Cyngor Cymuned Llangynyw

Llangyniew Community Council

Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 18 February 2020
in the Old School Hall, Llangyniew at 7.00pm

Present: Cllr G Watkins (Chair), CCllr RE Jones, Cllr B Humphreys, Cllr M Watkins and Cllr C Williams
Cllr B Thomas

Apologies (015)

Cllr N Williams, Cllr T Isaac and Cllr D Evans

Declaration of Interest (016)

Nil

Minutes (017)

Council **RESOLVED** that the minutes of the council meeting of 21 January 2020 as a true record. The Chairman signed the minutes.

Information Arising from the Previous Minutes (018)

VE Day - Council was informed that both communities and the Church will be celebrating VE Day over the weekend period.

Marchnant and Conway Works - The letter to the MP on the subject has now been sent. The council have been informed of the following:

What Hafren Dyfrdwy / United Utilities UU are trying to do is send 25% of the Cownwy and Marchnant rivers back down their original course rather than 100% through tunnels into the lake and over the wall. Unless UU decide to take less water down their pipelines, this should not make much difference down the Vyrnwy beyond the confluences of the three rivers. The intention is to improve the Environmental quality of the Marchnant and Cownwy valleys.

County Councillors Report (019)

CCllr Jones informed council that the budget will be agreed in early March. Council requested Cllr Jones keep up the pressure on the Highways portfolio holder to start on the list of highway jobs as none have been started on in the past 3 months since the job list was produce. Council will also write a letter to Powys CC.

Action Clerk

Correspondence (020)

Letters from Wales Audit Office - Noted by Council

Letter from Pontrobert Village Hall- Noted by Council

Letter from Wales Air Ambulance - Noted by Council

CIC/Cluster (021)

The council was informed from a meeting held in early February of the following:

Llansantffriad & Llanfechain had withdrawn from the Cluster (still with cluster for Library)

Withdrawal of quote for maintenance and bag collection

Next meeting possibly beginning of March

Website (022)

Council **RESOLVED** to go ahead with the purchase and construction of a new website at a cost of £499.

Action Clerk

Finance (023)

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| Account balances: | Current | £6326.67 |
| | Deposit | £6295.69 |

Payments:

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| Clerks Wages & Expenses | £168.18(BACS) |
| HMRC PAYE | £38.00 (BACS) |
| Wales Audit Office | £165.75 |
| One Voice Wales Membership | £90.00 |

It was **RESOLVED** by council, that the invoices and payments be honoured.

Planning (024)

Nil

Highways (025)

Council were informed of the following highways observations:

1. Big potholes on the U2121
2. Culvert blocked on U2122 with overflow water going into well.
3. Culvert on the C2016 just outside Pontrobert
4. Large potholes on A495 going towards Meifod before bridge traffic lights.
5. Potholes on B4389 after the junction with A495 at the top of the rise.

Delegated Powers for Clerk (026)

During the summer recess, Councillors **RESOLVED** to approve delegation of powers to the Clerk of the Council, following consultation with the Chair or Deputy Chair for matters which require decisions before the next ordinary meeting of the Council.

Members' Points of Information (027)

Council agreed that the Christmas Tree Competition be held again this year in mid-December. **Action Clerk**

Date of the next Council Meeting will be on Tuesday 17th March 2020 in the Village Hall, Pontrobert at 7.00pm.

Signed.....

Dated