

# Cyngor Cymuned Llangynyw

## Llangyniew Community Council

Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 17 November 2020  
Via Telephone Conference Call at 7.30pm

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

### Apologies (083)

Cllr D Evans

### Declaration of Interest (084)

Cllr B Thomas declared an interest in 9 - 137 Grants

Cllrs G Watkins and T Isaac declared interest in item 12 - Planning

### Minutes (085)

Council **RESOLVED** that the minutes of the council meeting of 20<sup>th</sup> October 2020 as a true record.

### Information Arising from the Minutes (086)

075 - Remembrance Sunday - Council expressed their disapproval and disgust that someone had removed the wreaths from the memorial and thrown in the archway of the church. Council reiterated that the wreaths are to be left in remembrance on the memorial for 2 weeks after the Remembrance Sunday.

074 - Notice Board - Council was informed that the Notice Board has been ordered.

### Chairman's Report (087)

No Comments

### County Councillors Report (088)

Cllr Jones informed the council that Mr Graham Evans had replace Mr Dean Evans at Welshpool Highways Department.

### Correspondence (089)

Letter from Henaduriaeth Trefaldwyn John Hughes Cemetery - Noted by Council

### Christmas Lights Competition (090)

Council **RESOLVED** to hold the Llangynyw Christmas Lights competition this year. It was decided that entry would be via an email to the clerk and the same rules as last year, with £50.00 going to the winner's choice of charity. Posters to be posted on Notice board, press release, Website and FB page.

### 137 Grants (091)

The council **RESOLVED** to approve the following 137(1) Grant applications; payment will be made in May 2021:

Pontrobert Friendly Club	-	£150.00
Clwb Hanes Pontrobert	-	£100.00
Pontrobert Gardening Club	-	£100.00

*(Cllr B Thomas took no part in the discussions or resolution on the matter of Powys Dyslexia Support Group)*

The council **RESOLVED** to approve the following 137(3) Grant applications; payment will be made in May 2021:

Powys Dyslexia Support Group	-	£100.00
Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institution	-	£100.00

**IRPW Draft Annual Report 2020-21 (092)**

Council **RESOLVED** to adopt the following Mandatory Determinations:

42: All Town/Community Councils must make available a payment to each of their members of £150 per year as a contribution to costs and expenses.

48: All Town/Community Councils must provide for the reimbursement of necessary costs for the care of dependent children and adults (provided by informal or formal carers) and for personal assistance needs up to a maximum of £403 per month. Reimbursement must be for the additional costs incurred by members in order for them to carry out their approved duties. Reimbursement shall only be made on production of receipts from the carer.

Council was informed that an individual may decline to receive part, or all, of the payments if they so wish. This must be done in writing and is an individual matter. A council member wishing to decline payments must themselves write to the proper office to do so to thereby prevent payments being made to themselves alone.

Council **RESOLVED** to adopt the non-Mandatory Determinations:

45: Community Councils are authorized to make payments to each of their members in respect of travel costs for attending approved duties. Such payments must be actual costs of travel by public transport of the HMRC mileage allowances as below:

45p per mile up to 10,000 miles in a year

5p per mile per passenger carried on authority business

Council **RESOLVED** not to adopt the following Determinations:

44 (Payments for Specific Responsibilities),

46 (Over Night Payments)

47 (Financial Loss Compensation)

49 (Civic Head Payment)

50 (Deputy Civic Head Payment)

Council **RESOLVED** to accept the Report as presented to the members.

**Finance (093)**

Account balances:	Current	£6304.70
	Deposit	£7050.37

Payments:

Clerks Wages & Expenses	£158.80(BACS)
HMRC PAYE	£39.00 (BACS)
Rachel Bumford	£500.00
Viking	£5.82 (BACS)
Net Wise	£250.00 (BACS)
RBL Poppy Appeal (Wreath)	£20.00
St Johns Church Pontrobert	£150.00
St Cynyw Church Llangyniew	£150.00
John Hughes Cemetery Pontrobert	£140.00

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

**Highways (094)**

Council was informed that work has started on the highways, road have been made ready for tarmacing in the next few weeks.

**Members' Points of Information (095)**

Nil

*Cllrs Watkins and Isaac's left the Zoom meeting. Cllr Cath Williams took the Chair.*

**Planning (096)**

Application Reference: **20/1580/FUL** Grid Reference: E:311620 N: 310318 Proposal: Change of use of land to static caravan park, including installation of 54 static caravans, improvements to existing site access, creation of internal road layout, landscaping parcels and installation of a package treatment plant. (Extension of existing caravan park) Site Address: Fir View Tan Y Fridd Caravan Park , Llangyniew, Welshpool, SY21 0LT

Council discussed the application at length. Council **RESOLVED** to NOT SUPPORT the application citing the following reasons:

- i. Council have grave concerns for the visual impact on the countryside.
- ii. Council feels there is not the infrastructure in the area to support the number of vehicle the site would create with the number of caravans proposed.
- iii. Light Pollution
- iv. Strain on Local resources ie Doctors etc
- v. Not enough Screening proposed
- vi. Council has grave concerns on the effects on the water supply for the area.

Date of the next Council Meeting will be on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2020 via Zoom Conference Call at 7.00pm.

Signed.....

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