

PELENNA COMMUNITY COUNCIL CYNGOR CYMUNED PELENNA

Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on Monday 18th January 2021, via Starleaf videoconference at 7.00 p.m.

- 1 Present:** Chairperson – Cllr. Diane Evans
Members – Cllr Robert Jenkins, Cllr Janice Evans,
Cllr David Hole, Cllr Desmond Sparkes,
Cllr Tim Bowen, Cllr Philip Lewis,
Cllr Lisa Hawkes.

In Attendance: David S Mackerras – Clerk to the
Council

Apologies: Cllr Malcolm Jones.

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1 2021/001 Declarations of Interest

No declarations were made.

2 2021/002 To determine a Budget and Precept demand for the year 2021/22

Following some discussion it was proposed by Cllr David Hole, seconded by Cllr Lisa Hawkes, with all members present in favour that the total overall budget and precept demand for 2021/22 will be set at £40,460 the detail of which is set out in the budget 2021/22.

It was suggested that members should consider possibilities for the deployment of some Community Council reserves for the benefit of the community. Suggestions will also be made to the County Borough member to ensure that funds available to the community will be invested in a co-ordinated approach to further benefit Pelenna community. These matters will be discussed at the next Full Community Council meeting.

3 2021/003 To approve minutes of the meeting of 15th September 2020

Proposed by Cllr Janice Evans, seconded by Cllr Robert Jenkins, with all members present in favour, that the minutes of the meeting for 15th September 2020 be accepted as accurate

4 2021/004 To decide on the replacement of the Community Maintenance Officer.

It was agreed that consideration should be given to a flexible approach in replacing the retiring Community Maintenance Officer. Opportunities will be considered by the Parks and Open Spaces committee for a range of options: to include a like for like replacement; use of a contractor; or a mix of both. The Clerk will present options to the Parks & Open Spaces committee at its meeting on Wednesday 27th January.

5 2021/005 To consider financial support to Pontrhydyfen Miners Welfare for the replacement of a lawn mower.

It was proposed by Cllr Tim Bowen, seconded by Cllr Janice Evans, with all members present in favour, that £300 shall be donated to Pontrhydyfen Miners Welfare to assist in the replacement of their lawn mower.

6 2021/006 Date of next meeting of Full Council/committees

Parks & Open Spaces committee 7:00pm Wednesday 27th January via Starleaf Video/Telephone conference
Full Community Council meeting 7:00pm Monday 1st February via Starleaf Video/Telephone conference

Chair

Meeting closed at 8:15 pm.