

## **Minutes of a Meeting of Ciliau Aeron Community Council held on 13<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 8.00 pm by way of remote attendance**

**Present:** Councillor Iwan Thomas (Chairman), Councillors Helen Evans, Arwel Jones, John Lumley, Gwyndaf Morgan and Alwen Thomas.  
County Councillor Marc Davies  
Denfer Morgan (Clerk).

### **400 Apologies**

Councillors Nigel Davies, Robert Davies, Dai Evans and Ray Williams apologised for their inability to attend the meeting.

### **401 Personal**

The Council's condolences were expressed to Councillor Helen Evans after the passing away of her father and to offer the Council's condolences to Councillor Nigel Davies who had also lost his father recently.

### **402 Minutes of the Last Meeting**

It was **RESOLVED** to approve, as being correct, the Minutes of the Meeting held on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2021.

### **403 Matters Arising from the Minutes**

Minute 392. The Clerk stated that he had requested the County Council to visit the Community in order to pick up rubbish on the roads and Members stated that there was some evidence that this had been done. It was stated that there were examples of fly tipping along the length of the Community and that the County Council would respond when a problem was drawn to their attention. It was also agreed to organise litter picking sessions at Ciliau Aeron on the 1<sup>st</sup> and at Cilcennin on 2<sup>nd</sup> June. The Clerk was asked to arrange to obtain the necessary equipment from the County Council.

It was agreed to thank the Young Farmers Club for cleaning village name signs around the area recently.

### **404 Finance Matters**

The following was **NOTED**:

- a) the receipt of the first Precept payment for 2021-22 in the sum of £1,433.34;  
and
- b) the draft Accounts had been sent to the Internal Auditor, Mr Gwyn Jones.

#### **405 Dog Fouling Poster Competition**

Councillor Iwan Thomas stated that three winners had been identified and it was agreed to arrange to produce some 20 laminated signs for placing around the communities and some 240 leaflets for distributing to homes.

#### **406 Cilcennin Churchyard**

Following discussion, it was **RESOLVED** to proceed with the discussions with the Vicar and the Church authorities for acquiring a parcel of land in the ownership of the Church in order to extend the graveyard and to arrange to obtain a valuation from a local valuer for the purpose of the discussions.

#### **407 Wefibre Broadband Scheme**

Further consideration was given to this matter following the presentation received at the last meeting.

It was **RESOLVED**

- i) to request Wefibre to produce a leaflet for posting to homes in the Community together with a letter from the Council containing contact details;
- ii) to request the Clerk to get hold of printing and postage costs;
- iii) to request the Clerk to confirm the closing date for registering an interest with Wefibre; and
- iv) to discuss the matter at the September meeting when this information to hand.

#### **408 Any Other Competent Matter**

a) It was agreed to discuss at the next meeting the production of a newsletter for distributing within the Community providing information on the work of the Council.

b) The Clerk was requested to request the County Council of details of the recent work undertaken to the surface of public footpath 39/13 and for an explanation of its policy for contacting community councils prior to commencing such work.

c) The Clerk stated that the County Council environmental Health service had sent a notice to the owners of a house at Cae Morgan, Cilcennin requesting them to take steps to stop spillages onto the adjoining road; and was also taking steps to identify the source of a spillage at another location in Cilcennin.

d) The Clerk was requested to draw to the attention of the County Council the hole in the road leading to Newbridge, Ciliau Aeron.

The Meeting ended at 9:00pm