

**Cyngor Cymuned  
Ystradfellte  
Community Council**

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Dear Sir/Madam

You are summoned to attend the ordinary meeting of the Ystradfellte Community Council to be held remotely on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021 7.00 p.m. to transact the following business.

Dated this day 28<sup>th</sup> June 2021

1. Apologies
2. To confirm minutes of the ordinary meeting of the Community Council held on the 7<sup>th</sup> June 2021
3. Dyfed Powys Police
4. County Borough Council Matters
5. Matters Arising
6. Broadband
7. Correspondence
8. Planning Applications
9. Accounts
10. Members Verbal Reports

Yours sincerely

Susan Harvey Powell  
Clerk

To The Chairman and all members of Ystradfellte Community Council

## **Ystradfellte Community Council**

Minutes of the meeting of Ystradfellte Community Council held remotely on 7<sup>th</sup> June 2021 at 7.00 p.m.

**Present:** Cllrs. H Pattrick, K Bowman, C Woodley, L Cornish, L Jones, G Reynolds, N Collins, Eleanor Greenwood & James Lawrence BBNPA, Nicole Watkins, Sgt. C Morgan Dyfed Powys Police

**Apologies:** D Thomas

### **2021/49 Minutes**

The minutes were passed as a true record proposed by Cllr. Pattrick and seconded by Cllr. Woodley

### **2021/50 Declaration of Interest**

None recorded

### **2021/51 Dyfed Powys Police**

Cllr. Jones reported that residents are burning rubbish in their gardens. This is an Environmental Health issue.

### **2021/52 County Borough Council**

Cllr. Thomas was not present and there were no issues to be reported

### **2021/53 Matters Arising**

- a. PNV Parking/Waterfall Country CIO – Eleanor Greenwood, James Lawrence BBNPA and Dyfed Powys Police were asked to attend the meeting regarding the recent bank holiday traffic problem. It was probably the busiest weekend ever especially the road coming in from Penderyn which was gridlocked several times on Bank Holiday Monday BBNPA have no powers on the Highway, last year wardens working on the Penderyn Junction were operating under Covid Restrictions which do not apply this year. P.C.S.O. Watkins said that the police are working closely with the BBNPA wardens in the area. She said the traffic problems should have been reported to 101 but there were no complaints so they would be unable to attend the area as they were not made aware of the problems. People will not use 101 as it is not a satisfactory service. Cllr. Woodley asked about a hotline to BBNPA, James Lawrence said this is not available.

A one way system was suggested but this would affect local residents. A shuttle bus service is being considered from the Glynneath area. Cllr. Woodley asked for some news on this, there is a meeting with N&PTCBC next week. Cllr. Pattrick asked if the police

could patrol the area, P.C.S.O. Watkins said that her workload has now increased since some Covid regulations have been lifted, but she doesn't work on Bank Holidays. She called Sgt. Morgan into the meeting who reported that Dyfed Powys Police are seriously understaffed so you would need to speak to the Police & Crime Commissioner Eleanor and James said they are hoping to arrange a meeting with Dyfed Powys police, South Wales police, N&PTCBC, Powys CC and RCTCBC to discuss the issues by the end of this month. Cllr. Cornish said that they could report back to the community council after this meeting. Sgt. Morgan suggested that it may be a good idea if a representative from the community council attend this meeting. Cllr. Reynolds proposed this, seconded by Cllr. Collins.

Cllr. Cornish thanked Eleanor, James and Dyfed Powys police for their time and looks forward to hearing from them.

#### **2021/54** **Broadband**

A list of providers was sent by Reece Simmonds Broadband Officer Powys CC. Cllr. Collins asked if the local community should be asked, Cllr. Woodley said that the providers would do this. It was agreed to contact all the providers on the list.

#### **2021/55** **Correspondence**

- a. Planning Aid Wales Online Event 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2021
- b. Citizens Advice Poverty Impact Bulletin
- c. Powys CC Child Sexual Exploitation Awareness Online Training
- d. NHS Dental Provision in Powys Survey Results
- e. Local Places for Nature free garden package.

#### **2021/56** **Planning**

No planning received

#### **2021/57** **Accounts**

BHIB (Insurance)	£297.43
BBNPA	£10,000.00
Wages, Tax, Pension etc.	£298.84

#### Account Balances

Main Account	£41,001.35
High Interest	£1950.02
Ariel Account	£3120.93

2021/58

**Members Verbal Reports**

- a. Publication of Decisions etc. – Cllr. Pattrick reported on this Welsh Government Document One Voice Wales have asked for an urgent meeting with Welsh Government regarding the Multi-Location meetings as Community Councils have not been provided with financial support to provide for the recommendations which have now become law. It was agreed to wait for the outcome of the One Voice Wales meeting.

The Publication of Decisions must be reported within 7 days of each meeting – agreed

- b. A member of the community council needs to attend the meeting between BBNPA and the other organisations mentioned in 2021/53 a. It was agreed that Cllr. Cornish attends this meeting.
- c. A letter will be sent to the police commissioner regarding the lack of policing in the Waterfalls Area.
- d. There are a number of issues regarding opening community halls at present.

The next meeting will be held remotely on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021 at 7.00 p.m.

This concluded the meeting, which the Chairman duly closed.

Signed ..... Date.....

Chairman