
ABER VALLEY COMMUNITY COUNCIL
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CALLING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the next meeting of the above Council will be held at **Senghenydd Community Centre** on **Thursday 14th December 2017**. The meeting will commence at 7.00 pm.

Members of the press and public are cordially invited to attend.

Sharon Hughes
(Clerk to the Council)

AGENDA

1. To note Members attendance and receive any apologies for absence
2. Declarations of Interest
Councillors and Officers are reminded of their personal responsibility to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interest(s) in respect of any item of business on this agenda in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000, the Council's Constitution, and the Code of Conduct for both Councillors and Clerk.
3. WHQS Environmental Programme – Bethan Smith
4. Public Matters
5. To confirm the minutes of the Council meeting held on 9th November 2017
6. Matters Arising
7. Police Matters
8. Chairperson's Report
9. Members Matters
10. Clerk's Report (attached)
11. Next meeting: Thursday 11th January 2018 at Abertridwr Community Centre

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REPORT OF THE CLERK TO THE COUNCIL MEETING TO BE HELD AT SENGHENYDD COMMUNITY CENTRE ON THURSDAY 14TH DECEMBER 2017 COMMENCING AT 7.00 PM

1. CURRENT FINANCIAL SITUATION

- (a) A copy of the income and expenditure for 2017/18 including a balance sheet, current bank statement and bank reconciliation will be presented at the meeting.

2. INCOME

- (a) No income has been received.

3. EXPENDITURE

- (a) Playworks One – Payroll Administration:
Clerks Salary Month 7 – £446.95
HMRC Payment – £111.80
Payslip Processing Fee – £5.00

4. CORRESPONDENCE

(a) Llamau – Christmas Appeal

A letter has been received from Llamau requesting a donation towards providing a person they support with a Christmas present plus the opportunity to enjoy Christmas lunch with housemates and support staff. All donations received will be used locally.

(b) CCBC – Parking Restrictions, The Square, Abertridwr

A response has been received from Caerphilly County Borough Council regarding the parking restrictions on The Square, Abertridwr. Members are advised that the parking restrictions will be assessed when the Aber Valley area wide traffic regulation order is next reviewed. The local community will be given the opportunity to comment on any proposed changes to the traffic order as part of a formal public consultation exercise in due course.

(c) CCBC – Pwll-y-Pant Roundabout

A response has been received from Caerphilly County Borough Council in connection with the concerns raised regarding the improvement works on Pwll-y-Pant roundabout and the build-up of traffic affecting the Aber Valley.

(d) Fr Mark Greenaway-Robbins – St Peter's Church, Senghenydd

An e-mail has been received from Fr Mark Greenaway-Robbins to ask if Members wish him to attend any future meetings to discuss progress and updates regarding St Peter's Church in Senghenydd.

5. **A.O.B.**

(a) **Society of Local Council Clerks – Membership Renewal**

The Society of Local Council Clerks membership subscription is due for renewal. The membership fee for 2018 is £115.00.

(b) **Section 137 Expenditure – Limit for 2018/19**

The appropriate sum for the purpose of section 137 (4) (a) of the Local Government Act 1972 for Community and Town Councils in Wales for 2018-19 is £7.86.

6. **PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

(a) Case Ref. 17/0929/FULL Site Area: 1144m²

Location: 12 Underwood Terrace, Abertridwr, Caerphilly, CF83 4BQ

Proposal: Erect two storey rear corner in fill extension and porches, internal and external modifications to sub-divide existing house into two dwellings, new drive for second home

Applicant: Mr A Ponsford, 12 Underwood Terrace, Abertridwr, Caerphilly, CF83 4BQ

7. **PLANNING APPEALS**

(a) 17/0218/FULL

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 – SECTION 78

Location: Pen Yr Heol Las Farm, Heol Las, Energlyn

Proposed Development: Erect 2 No. wind turbines 74m tip height

Appellant(s): Mr D T Jones

Planning Inspectorate's Reference: APP/K6920/A/17/3189669

Start Date: 30 November 2017