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# 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 **Abertridwr Community Centre and on Microsoft Teams on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2024**. The meeting will commence at 7.00 pm.

The meeting will be held in a multi-location format. If members of the public or Press wish to attend, in person or remotely, please contact the Clerk to the Council 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

Julie Lloyd  
(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, Officers and Clerk.

3. Public Matters.
4. Police Matters.
5. Community Safety Warden – Caerphilly County Borough Council.

6. To confirm the minutes of the Community Council meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> January 2024.
7. Co-option – Senghenydd Ward.
8. Clerk's Report (attached).
9. Chairperson's Report.
10. The Green Plan.
11. Bonfire Night 2024.
12. Christmas Lighting 2024.
13. D-Day 80 Lamp Light of Peace.
14. Aber Valley Cwtsh Guide.
15. Bute Energy – Community Benefits.
16. Arts Project.
17. Youth Representatives Member.
18. Member's Matters.
19. Date of the next Community Council meeting – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

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### REPORT OF THE CLERK TO THE COUNCIL MEETING TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY 8<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2024 COMMENCING AT 7.00 P.M.

#### 1. CURRENT FINANCIAL SITUATION

- (a) To receive an update on the current financial situation and to approve the Community Council's accounts.

#### 2. INCOME

- (a) No Income has been received.

#### 3. EXPENDITURE

- (a) To note the following expenditure:
  - (i) Payroll – Month 10.
  - (ii) EE Telephone Bill (monthly direct debit) - £25.01

#### 4. APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- (a) To consider the following applications for financial assistance:
  - (i) Cwmaber Infants Helping Hands Committee.
  - (ii) Jessica Ennis

#### 5. A.O.B

- (a) Toilets in Abertridwr Park

To receive a quote from Caerphilly County Borough Council for the opening, closing and cleaning of the toilets in Abertridwr Park for 2024/25.
- (b) Christmas Lighting – Electricity Contribution

It has been the practice of the Community Council to pay a donation to Cavanna's on Senghenydd Square as the Christmas lighting attached to their premises is connected to their electricity supply.
- (c) Internal Auditor 2023/24

To confirm the appointment of an Internal Auditor for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024.

- (d) Aber Valley Schools Football Tournament  
An invitation to all Councillors has been received for a tournament on 6<sup>th</sup> March.

**6. PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

- a. Case Ref: 24/0025/OUT  
Proposal: Erect three separate residential structures, comprising of 6 No. one bed apartments, 9 No. two bed apartments and 2 No. four bedroom dwellings with all matters reserved Land At Coedcae Road To Pont-y-felin Abertridwr  
Location: GRID REFERENCE - 312395(E) 189175(N)