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NEW TREDEGAR COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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Dear Councillor, 3/1/2023

A meeting of the Full Council is to be held at **7.00 pm at White Rose Resource Centre on 9**<sup>th</sup> **January 2023** and your presence is hereby requested.

If you are unable to attend in person but have the means to attend virtually please attend via the Zoom link below. Deborah Gronow is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: My Meeting

Time: Nov 8, 2022 07:00 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 864 4497 4093

Passcode: 996395

Yours Sincerely

Mrs D E Gronow
Clerk to the Council

#### Agenda Full Council

- 1. To receive 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 Officers.

- 3. Chairperson's Report
- 4. To receive and confirm the minutes of the following meetings: -

Meeting held on 8/11/2022 Meeting held on 13/12/22

- 7 To receive urgent correspondence
- 8 Any Other Business/ Public matters

## NEW TREDEGAR COMMUNITY COUNCIL CYNGOR CYMUNED TREDEGAR NEWYDD Meeting of Council held on the at White Rose Resource Centre on the 8/11/2022

#### **Present:**

Councillors M Evans, (Chair), D Dauncey, E White, S Mills, A White, P Jones, L Roderick, B Griffett, G Jones.

#### 3956 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Councilors E Stenner and D Phillips. Consent was granted for these absences

#### 3957 Declarations of interest

None noted

#### 3958 Chairman's Report.

A verbal report was given. Chair reported that he had been ill so activity had been limited. However the fireworks display was excellent and the stewards had done a great job on site.

#### 3959 Confirmation of minutes.

Confirmed

#### 3960 Matters arising

Re 3946 a member commented that it was disappointing that despite the Police indicating they would have a presence on the evening of the Fireworks they were not in attendance.

It was noted that there was a numbering error on the October minutes.

#### 3961 Reports of members on external organisations

None

#### 3962 Correspondence

Various items presented.

White Rose Primary was seeking a representative from the Community Council for its Governing Body. Cllr Griffett was nominated.

Donations to the primary schools were requested. A donation of £500 each was proposed and agreed.

Donation for local festive lighting displays were requested. The arrangements for prior years were discussed, and various suggestions raised. Members agreed that every community should have some support for providing some festive cheer in such difficult times. Various options were discussed such as supporting a tree and lights or giving assistance for lights if there is already a tree.

One member proposed that there should be support for one tree per community and additional trees would not be supported. This was put to the vote, as follows

Funding more than a tree – for 4, against 6. Accordingly only one tree per community will be funded. Discussions took place in relation to the value of funding that would be provided.

One member proposed the following

If there is a tree already £100, if there is no tree £200.

This was unanimously carried.

A letter was received from New Tredegar Rugby Club. Cllr D Dauncey declared an interest as he is a coach of the mini/juniors section. Cllr Roderick declared an interest as a member of the club. Cllr Mills declared an interest as her son plays.

The letter requested a donation to the club for a container and its transportation to site to store lights that had been purchased. There was a shortfall in funding amounting to £3332 between what had been provided by other funders and the total cost of the unit and transport. This was agreed.

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A letter was received from New Tredegar Rugby Minis and Junior section. Cllr D Dauncey declared an interest as he is a coach of the mini /juniors section. Cllr Roderick declared an interest as a member of the club. Cllr Mills declared an interest as her son plays.

The letter requested financial assistance with the sections in respect of kits and other training equipment without which many of the youngsters couldn't play and the various age range teams could be at risk of folding. It was agreed that sporting activities is essential for young people and these teams also provide a community focus. An amount of £2677 was request and this was approved.

Community Council Liaison subcommittee, it was agreed that the subscription be renewed.

#### 3963 AOB

The possibility of joining One Voice Wales was discussed. It was agreed that this would be discussed in more detail at another meeting.

One member enquired if all the local children had been given their Queens Jubilee mugs and if there were any of them left. It was confirmed that there were a number left over. One member asked if they could be sold at cost or donated to the local nursing home. This was agreed.

Meeting Closed	
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### Meeting of Finance Committee held on the at White Rose Resource Centre on the 13/12/2022 Present:

Councilors T Gifford, L Roderick, E Stenner, P Jones, D Phillips (Chair) M Evans and E White

#### 3964 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllrs A White, G Jones. S Mills, B Griffett and D Dauncey and consent for this absence was granted

#### 3965 Declarations of interest

None noted

#### 3966 Accounts for the year to date

Various discussions took place.

The list of payments was discussed and some explanations requested. Satisfactory explanations were provided to the members. The accounts were approved

#### 3967 Request for financial assistance

A donation of £134 was requested for the festive display at St Dingats. This was approved. A request was received from Phillipstown Residents Association for lights on their living tree. It was agreed that the contactor would be contacted for a quote but it might be very late to do anything for this year, however it was agreed that if a quote was received the chair would be able to approve. For equivalence a similar arrangement to Brithdir would be considered.

#### 3968 AOB

Several members reported that issues had been noted with a number of festive lighting motifs. These had already been notified to the clerk who had been in touch with the contractor.

It appears that there were queries on 7 columns. However it wasn't clear if it was a fault with the motifs or with the supply on the columns. If it was the latter this would be the responsibility of CCBC to check /repair whereas faults with motifs would be the community council/the contractor's responsibility.

There would also appear to be no motifs at all in Tan lan/Queens square.

The contractor had passed a list of the columns onto the clerk and these had been checked and the faulty motifs/columns returned to them.

Meeting Closed		
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## NEW TREDEGAR COMMUNITY COUNCIL CYNGOR CYMUNED TREDEGAR NEWYDD Meeting of Leisure Committee held on the at White Rose Resource Centre on the 13/12/2022 Present:

Councilors T Gifford, L Roderick, E Stenner, P Jones, D Phillips, M Evans and E White

3969 Apologies for absence
As per Finance
3970 Declarations of interest
As per Finance

**3971 To discuss projects**Already covered in Finance committee

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Meeting Closed		
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