

Cyngor Cymuned Banwy Community Council

Minutes of the meeting of Banwy Community Council held via Zoom on Tuesday 13th April, 7.30 p.m.

Present (001) – Cllr. G. Jenkinson, Cllr. P. Edwards, Cllr. L. Jones, Cllr. A. Martin, Cllr. D. Williams, Cllr. A. Edwards, Cllr. M. Alexander and Mrs C Pritchard (Clerk)

Apologies (002) – Cllr. R. Jones

Declaration of Interest (003) - Nil

Minutes of the last meeting (004) –

The Council RESOLVED to authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes of the previous meeting of the Council.

Matters Arising (005) –

Planning 21/0227/FUL – there is a hill fort on the pod application, worth a read of the report on the planning portal.

Correspondence Received (006) –

Defibrillator in Foel (007) –

The Clerk has the defibrillator box and the defibrillator is at the school. Cllr. Edwards to get the defibrillator and the Clerk will arrange the fitting with Alun Pryce. The Clerk is to liaise with Cllr. Jenkinson regarding the fitting as she has kindly offered to clean the box out before fitting.

The Council authorised the Clerk to purchase 3 transfers for the door and sides of the phone box off the internet for £45.00

County Councillor's Report (008) -

- a) Powys Recovery Fund – £500,000 put aside for this to help local charities and organisations in Powys who have been affected by covid and not being able to raise funds etc.
- b) Powys Cancer Journey – Collaboration with Macmillan, local authority and health board. Wants to make people aware of this and helps people with transport, financial issues.
- c) PCC have recruited a very lively, committed individual to help with broadband in the area. Cllr. Alexander to pass the Clerks's details on to try and arrange him attend a meeting.

Representatives' Report – (009) - Nil

Finance (010) –

Payments –

Mrs C Pritchard - £186.73

HMRC - £39.00

The Council RESOLVED to pay the above amounts.

Highways & Footpaths (011) –

There is an increase in people using the footpaths in the area, walkers are cross and frustrated with the state of the footpaths throughout the parish. Cllr. Jenkinson had tried to report the matter but wasn't having great success.

It was reported that there have been issues with motor bikes, using local lanes. Cllr. Alexander had discussed this with the head of highways and in most cases there is a legal right to use the lanes. However, if they are driving dangerously and too fast there is a case for the police.

The Clerk had seen on the 'What's on in Llangadfan' Facebook page that residents were complaining about dog fouling, and thought it was best to mention it to the Council.

Planning (012) – Nil

Member Points of Information (013) – The Clerk advised the Council that she had been offered the position of Clerk to Llanfyllin Town Council, starting in May. The Clerk advised that following her maternity leave she would not be returning to her role at N J Evans in Welshpool.

To confirm the next meeting of Banwy Community Council to include AGM will be held on Tuesday 11th May 2021 at 7.15 p.m.