Cyngor Cymuned Llanddowror & Llanmiloe Community Council



Minutes of the normal meeting of Llanddowror and Llanmiloe Community Council Held Monday 11th November 2024.

Present: Cllrs Phill Pickersgill (chair), David Howells, Sandra Hewens, Leigh Clarkson, Andrew Sims, Terence Langdon, Nigel Hodson, plus members of the public.

- 1. Apologies. There were apologies received from County Councillor Jane Tremlett.
- 2. Declarations of personal interests. No interests were declared.
- **3.** Questions from members of the public regarding agenda items and matters raised with Cllr Tremlett and the Council. The Welsh Government appeal on a planning matter in Llanddowror had gone 'live', and the members of the public highlighted the matter to the Council.

When this item finished the two members of the public left the meeting.

- 4. County Councillor report. Cllr Tremlett was not present but had by email reported on the above case now being an active case. Council discussed this and agreed to submit facts relevant to the case for the inspector's information.
- 5. Adoption of previous minutes for the meetings held on 14th October 2024. These were agreed by all, and duly signed by the Chairman.
- 6. Clerk's report. The Clerk had previously circulated her report. She highlighted the Pendine broadband project which still required more households to sign up and validate their vouchers so that the build could be completed. She stated there was a meeting with Openreach on 19th November in Red Roses Hall at 6.00pm.

It was reported that the hedge opposite the school had been cut recently, and the main pill in the establishment cleared by NRW.

7. Matters ongoing from previous minutes

Remembrance. Wreaths had been laid at the St Clears and Pendine ceremonies at the weekend.

- 8. New business
- 9. Financial Report

The current financial situation was provided to all Cllrs.

Income received since the last meeting: £3.33 donation from the toilet donation box. This would be paid in as soon as possible.

Invoices/payments to pay/acknowledge:

Clerk monthly salary and expenses - November.

HMRC monthly payments – November. BLC – toilet cleaning November - £64.00. Dwr Cymru - £10.50 (direct debit) monthly British Gas Lite – variable direct debit each month - £33.06 in November (for October use) Royal British Legion - £50.00 – cheque signed in this meeting.

In addition the Clerk provided a bank mandate update that was signed, for the removal of ex-Councillors from the signatory list.

10. Significant correspondence.

One Voice Wales training opportunities. These were noted. CCC dog control (public spaces protection order) extension beyond 2025. This was noted and the Council had no objections to the extension.

11. Planning matters.

PL/07023. Installation of ground mounted solar panels and associated works - Qinetiq, Llanmiloe, Carmarthen, SA33 4UA . Application registered 8-1-2024. **Application granted** 9-10-2024.

PL/08000. Construction of a house - Plot 26, Dan Y Bryn, Llanmiloe, SA33 4EZ . Application validated 20-8-2024. **Application full granted** 8-10-2024.

To note the planning appeal for a property in Llanddowror has been started by the Welsh Office. Reference CAS-03725-M4L0Z0 .

12. Councillors' reports for information or items for next meeting.

It was stated that Llanmiloe School was celebrating 80 years with a concert by the Corran Singers.

Concern was raised about the bridge at Old Mill again – coping stones were still being periodically hit and dislodged by traffic turning onto the bridge. This would be reported again to CCC. There was also concern raised about the amount of mud left on the road going from New Mill toward Lower St Clears. It was felt this could be lethal in frosty conditions. This too would be reported.

Thanks were received from both Llanddowror Village Association and Llanmiloe and District Community Association for the generous donations towards their firework displays by this Council.

13. Date of next meeting – 9th December 2024 in Llanmiloe Resource Centre.

There being no further business the meeting concluded at 8.30pm