## LLANDINAM COMMUNITY COUNCIL MINUTES of Meeting

# held in Llidiartywaen Community Centre on Wednesday 29th August 2018 at 7:30p.m.

Chairman	Cllr Colin Owen	٧	Cllr Jackie Deakins	Α
Vice Chairman	Cllr Andy Owen	٧	Cllr Mike Jones	Α
	Cllr Mike Brennan	٧	Cllr Karl Lewis	٧
	Cllr Michael Davies	٧	Cllr Linda Savage	٧
	Cllr Roche Davies	٧	Cllr Jon Sloan	Α
√ Present	X Not Present		A Apology for Absence	

**In Attendance:** No members of the public present

- Apologies for Absence Apologies received from Cllrs Mike Jones, Jackie Deakins and Jon Sloan
- 2. **Declarations of Interest** by Councillors on any items on the Agenda
  - Standing declaration of interest from Cllr Karl Lewis on all planning matters
  - declaration of interest from Cllr C Owen in respect of Planning Application Reference: 18/0368/FUL; applicant is a client.
- 3. **Approval and signing of contract of employment** by new clerk
  - Yvette Etcell, countersigned by Cllr Colin Owen
- 4. **Approval and signing of Minutes** from the previous meeting on 2 August 2018
- 5. **Appointments:** Election of Vice-Chair Cllr Andy Owen confirmed acceptance of office by signing declaration

#### 6. Continuing Business:

- a) <u>Housing Development</u> Cllr KL advised no further progress; matters remain to be reconciled between Developer and Landowner
- b) Community Council Car park
  - Cllr KL advised the meeting of difficulties encountered in sourcing a contractor to undertake the works at the present time.
  - Update on the fence remains outstanding, reminder to be issued.
- c) <u>Cemetery</u> repair to road outstanding; CO to instruct EG.
- d) Play area
  - Cllr KL to arrange urgent repairs to decking board
  - Bin for the play area outstanding; CO to action
- <u>Play Area Inspection Report</u> has been circulated to Cllrs today will be discussed in greater detail at next Council Meeting. Clerk to send a copy of the RoSPA report to Jason Pryce.
- <u>The establishment of a "friends group"</u> or "recreation committee" for the playground/playing fields was mooted.
- e) Highways
- a new salt bin has been ordered
- Potholes any instances should be reported to Highways, Powys CC with a

grid ref so they can be repaired.

- Bridge by Statue awaiting the appointment of contractors.
- Bus Shelter at the bottom of Blackbridge Lane requires a tidy up
- Japanese Knotweed in the road adjacent to Gutros Mill observed. KL will report and address.

### 7. Planning Applications:

Cllr Karl Lewis left the meeting whilst both planning applications were discussed.

Application Reference: 18/0125/FUL Grid Reference: **E**:305186 **N**: 289975

Proposal: Relocation of existing field entrance

Site Address: Belan Barns Cottage, Llandinam, Powys, SY17 5AQ

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Application Reference: 18/0368/FUL Grid Reference: E:300874 N: 283931

Proposal: Full: Extension to caravan park to provide 7 static caravan pitches and

all associated works

Address: Bryn Coch Caravan Park, Bryncoch Farm, Dolwen, Llanidloes Powys

The above applications are available to view on the Powys Council website. (http://planning.powys.gov.uk/portal/). After accepting the terms and conditions please follow the online instructions to view either case.

Both applications were supported by the Council.

#### 8. Review of Correspondence

Email from Ruth MacGregor – Newell Ancestors, Llandinam; Clerk to draft a response with a variety of suggestions given by Cllrs.

#### 9. Finance

- (a) Review of IT software/support it was resolved that Cloud backup and Virus protection should be renewed at a cost of £69.95 for 12 months; Remote support from PC-Q to be on a 'per session' call off at £15.00 per session. MS Office 365 licence to be renewed at a cost of £59.99 for a further 12 months.
- (b) It was resolved that 11<sup>th</sup> Edition LCA should be purchased £103.99
- (c) It was agreed for the new Clerk to enrol for Induction training (ILCC). A bursary for 50% of the cost (£99.00) would be applied for.
- (d) Income None
- (e) Payments:

£52.80 - K&S Toilets + £116.64 - K&S Toilets Total = £169.44 Clerk salary, expenses, tax & NIC \*Data Protection registration £40

### 10. Any other relevant business at the discretion of the Chairman

- Cenotaph to be progressed with Lord/Lady Davies as landowners.
- Powys survey of toilets to be completed and submitted.
- 11. **Information from Members** None
- 12. **Public Comments/Questions** None
- 13. **Date of Next Meeting** 26<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Meeting closed at 21.20 hrs.

<sup>\*</sup> This payment was agreed shortly after the meeting closed due to impending deadline.