

HLADFAFANFAWR COMMUNITY COUNCILMINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 19 OCTOBER 2023

A meeting of Hlawafanfawr Community Council was held at Hlawafanfawr and District Community Centre on Thursday 19 October 2023.

Members present: Messrs Elwyn Jones, Gareth Richards, Andrew Powell and Keith Lawrence. Also C.C. Bryan James, Mr Brian Jolley (Volunteer Wales Air Ambulance) and Mesdames Samantha Price, Paget Silvester, Joy Groves, Ffion Corfield and Aluna Beehan (Representing Bwlth and Rhayader District Nurses Team).

Apologies: Mrs Suzanne Fawcough, Messrs Gareth Mills, Martin Gwillim and Rhys Jones.

Mr Elwyn Jones (Chairman) presided.

1. POWYS LOCAL NHS HEROES AWARD TO MARK THE 75<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE NHS.

Awards had been received in respect of the community councils' nominations to Bwlth and Rhayader District Nurses Team and Wales Air Ambulance. Mrs Samantha Price received the award on behalf of the Nurses Team and Mr Brian Jolley on behalf of Wales Air Ambulance. Photographs were taken by Mr Ted Edwards.

A slide show and brief history of the duties carried out by the Wales Ambulance Service since its inception in 2001 was given by Mr Brian Jolley.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

There were no declarations of personal interest recorded.

3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING.

These had previously been displayed on the notice board at

Wanapanfour and District Community Centre and the Council's website and circulated to members, confirmed as an accurate record by Mr Keith Lawrence seconded by Mr Andrew Powell and signed by the Chairman.

#### 4 MATTERS ARISING

##### a) HIGHWAYS

a) C.E. Bryan Davies stated as the grid at Common Beck is due to be replaced.

b) Hatch as grid at Burbath Common needs replacing C.E. Bryan Davies report to Highways Department.

##### b) BROADBAND

Unfortunately Broadway Business went into administration on 31 May 2023. Mr Andrew Powell stated as the company has been taken over by "Voneus Broadband" and the local steering committee are trying to pressure their interest in the area to be connected to superfast broadband with minimal delay.

#### 3 RED HILL

C.E. Bryan Davies stated he had contacted the Planning Offices and was informed the department are dealing with the issues.

#### 5 FINANCE 25 MAY - 19 OCTOBER 2023

##### COMMUNITY ACCOUNT

##### RECEIPTS

Precept

1166.00

VAT Refund

13.20

EXPENDITURE

Manafanfour a District Community Centre (Hire of Centre)	10-00
Manafanfour a District Community Centre (Revenue support)	755-00
PG-B (Hosting fees)	36-00
BHIRS Ltd (Insurance)	217-45

BALANCE IN BANK

Community Account	2250-50
Business Premium Account	2560-52

This report was received by Mr Gareth Richards recorded by Mr Keith Lawrence.

6 REQUEST FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

a) Kids Cancer Charity - No Action.

7 PLANNING

DECISION NOTICE AS PUBLISHED ON POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL WEBSITE  
Application Ref: 23/0171/FUL. Installation of a 35m lattice tower and associated ancillary equipment at land, Ridgetop, Blaengwenust, Manafanfour. - Approved.

CURRENT APPLICATION:

Application Ref: 23/1583/FUL Grid Ref E: 294558 N: 253505.  
Covering of existing farm manure yard at Tanynallt, Manafanfour for Mr Ian Jones - Approved.

8. Notice of Nil payment to members has been forwarded to the Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales.

9. AUDIT NOTICES DISPLAYED

- a) Notice of Exercise of Electors' rights for year ending 31 March 2023
- b) Conclusions of Audit for year ending 31 March 2023

10. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

To be confirmed.

11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- a) Reference was made to the possible closure of Jagan Valley School.

No further business was transacted. The Chairman thanked everyone for attendance and declared the meeting closed at 9.20 pm.

Signed:

Date: