

# NANTYGLO & BLAINA TOWN COUNCIL CYNGOR TREF NANT-Y-GLO A BLAENAU

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Dear Member,

You are summoned to attend a remote meeting of the Town Council to be held via a remote meeting at **1.00pm on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2021**.

Members of the Council have been provided with instructions on how to join the meeting.

If any member of the public wishes to attend (remotely) the meeting, please contact the Town Clerk at the above e-mail by 12 noon on 27<sup>th</sup> July 2021 for details of how to access the meeting.

Yours sincerely,



Town Clerk

## **AGENDA**

### **A meeting to which members of the public are entitled to attend**

**To receive: Ms Veronika Brannovic, Local Nature Partnership Co-ordinator, Blaenau Gwent & Torfaen.**

**Members are reminded to note the Standing Orders relating to guest speakers:**

1. Members to receive presentation.
2. Questions are to be invited at the end of the presentation.
3. Members are requested to ask only one question each – if time allows AND with permission of the Chairman, a second question may be asked.
4. Members are reminded that all dialogue is to be directed through the Chairman.

### **Declaration of Interest**

Members are invited to declare matters of interest either at the beginning or at any time during the proceedings. Please note that all declarations of interest must be recorded in the book provided.

1. **Apologies:**  
Members are invited to consider the apologies for absence received and to formally resolve to accept.
2. **Town Mayor's Communications:**  
The Town Mayor's communications for July 2021.

3. **Minutes of the Town Council Meeting held 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2021 (pages 14 – 21)**  
Members are invited to consider the above minutes and if appropriate to approve them as an accurate record of proceedings.
- a) Matters arising, for information & clarification only:
4. **Minutes of the Events Committee held 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2021 (pages 22 - 24)**  
Members are invited to consider the above minutes and if appropriate to approve them as an accurate record of proceedings.
- a) Matters arising, for information & clarification only:
5. **Minutes of the Planning & Highways Committee Meeting held 13<sup>th</sup> July 2021 (pages 25 - 28)**  
Members are invited to consider the above minutes and if appropriate to approve them as an accurate record of proceedings.
- a) Matters arising, for information & clarification only:
6. **Minutes of the Finance & General Purposes Committee Meeting held 13<sup>th</sup> July 2021 (pages 29 - 32)**  
Members are invited to consider the above minutes and if appropriate to approve them as an accurate record of proceedings.
- a) Matters arising, for information & clarification only:
7. **Minutes of the Task and Finish Group Meeting held 20<sup>th</sup> July 2021 (pages 33 – 35)**  
Members are invited to consider the above minutes and if appropriate to approve them as an accurate record of proceedings.
- a) Matters arising, for information & clarification only:
8. **Correspondence:**  
Members are invited to consider the listed correspondence, plus with the Chairman's permission, any urgent information that may be received prior to the date of the meeting.
- a) Aneurin Bevan Community Health Council (for information – copies attached):  
Meeting of Aneurin Bevan Community Health Council on 29<sup>th</sup> July 2021.
- b) One Voice Wales (for information - copies attached):
- i E-mail regarding good practice/initiatives in relation to litter and dog fouling.
- ii Innovative Practice Conference – 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2021.
- c) Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council (for information – copy attached):
- i Letter confirming that the recent vacancy (Blaina Ward) can be filled by co-option.

- ii **Planning Queries:**  
Discharge of Conditions - Members are informed that following a telephone conversation with the Planning Officer at Blaenau Gwent CBC it was confirmed that consultation is only undertaken with the relevant statutory consultees as the issues relate to technical matters rather than planning principles. Town Councils would only be consulted regarding Discharge of Conditions if the application warranted this.

Tyr Gelli House, Blaina – The Town Clerk to provide an update of the response received from the Planning Officer (Blaenau Gwent CBC).

Chartist Riots Plaque – Following a telephone conversation with the Planning Officer (Blaenau Gwent CBC), it was confirmed that the Planning Officer will query the plaque with the applicant (of the planning application) and will update in due course but it was stressed that this is not a planning issue.

- d) Aneurin Bevan University Health Board (for information – copies attached):

i Vaccination updates – weeks commencing 05/07/2021 & 12/07/2021.

ii E-mail invitation to the virtual AGM on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2021 at 3pm.

- e) Retired Police Dogs of Gwent (for information – copy attached):

E-mail of thanks and confirmation of receipt in respect of recent (July 2021) financial donation.

## 9. **Application to the Community Grant Fund:**

Members are invited to consider the listed application(s). Members are also reminded that applications will need to be considered in conjunction with the current policy.

- a) *Crafty Knitters (copy attached)*

## 10. **Planning Applications:**

Members are invited to consider the listed application(s).

- a) *None received to date.*

## 11. **Licensing Applications:**

Members are invited to consider the listed application(s), plus with the Chairman's permission, any additional applications that may be received prior to the date of the meeting.

- a) Amritpal Amritpal, 15 River Row, Blaina (applicant)  
Application for a new Personal Licence (Licensing Act 2003)

## 12. **Members' Updates:**

Members are invited to inform and provide updates of any recent activities and/or concerns:

- a) Councillor L Harris: