

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

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Minutes of the Planning & Highways Committee Meeting held via a hybrid meeting at Council Chamber, Blaina Institute, High Street, Blaina at 6pm, Tuesday 12th December 2023.

A meeting to which members of the public were entitled to attend.

Present: Chair: K Jones JP, presiding, Chair Planning & Highways Committee
Councillors: G Morvan, D Hillman, K Jenkins, L Harris & J Bond (remotely).

In attendance: Mrs T Hughes – Town Clerk
Mrs N Horner - Assistant Officer

Prior to the start of the meeting, the Town Clerk informed that there were no members of the public in attendance. **Resolved** to note the information received.

The Chair welcomed and introduced Councillor John Bond to his first meeting.

Declaration of Interest

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

Resolved to note that no such declarations were received.

1. Apologies for absence:

Members were invited to consider the apologies for absence and to formally resolve to accept.

Resolved to note that Cllr C Hillman was having difficulties joining the meeting online.

All present introduced themselves to the New Town Councillor, Cllr John Bond.

Apologies were given as the Owl system was not picking up the voices from around the chamber. Also, apologies given as the agenda was sent out without page 2 of agenda. Paper copy handed out.

2. Questions from the public:

To receive any questions from the public regarding matters on the agenda. There was a 10 – minute allocation time for any questions from the public.

Resolved to note that no members of the public or press in attendance and no questions put forward.

3. Correspondence:

Members were invited to consider the listed correspondence, plus with the Chairman's permission, any urgent information that might be received prior to the date of the meeting.

a) Email from Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council, Mark Howland:

Information regarding a Lease at Nantyglo RFC.

Members noted the e-mail requested views in respect of Nantyglo RFC in applying for a lease in respect of the pavilion, rugby field and former bowling green at Banna Park. Members noted that the date for views had already passed and would wait for formal notification.

Resolved to note information received.

b) Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council (Mark Howland):

E-mail response from questions put forward from previous planning query.

Members noted the responses received in respect of previous queries and agreed to await the formal planning application.

Resolved to note information received and **Further Resolved** to await the formal planning application.

Cllr M Williams joined the meeting at this juncture.

c) Email from Blaenau Gwent and Torfaen Local Nature Partnership

Local Nature Recovery Action Plan.

Resolved to note information received.

4. Planning Applications:

Members were invited to consider any further applications that may be received prior to the date of the meeting:

No Planning Applications received to date.

Resolved accordingly.

5. Licence Applications:

Members were invited to note the application(s) **for information only**:

No applications received to date.

Resolved accordingly.

Meeting declared closed at 6.15pm

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