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**Minutes of the hybrid Meeting of the Planning & Highways Committee held at
Tuesday 11th June 2024 at 6pm.**

at Council Chamber, Blaina Institute, High Street, Blaina

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

Present: Councillor K Jones, presiding, Chair, Planning & Highways Committee
Councillors D Hillman, L Harris, & Councillor M Williams (remotely)

In attendance:
Mrs N Horner, Assistant Officer

Prior to the start of the meeting, the Town Clerk informed that no members of the public or press were present. **Resolved** to note the information received.

The Chair informed of the fire procedures to be taken in the event of an emergency. **Resolved** to note the information received.

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 are invited to consider the apologies for absence and to formally resolve to accept. Apologies received from Town Clerk, T Hughes and Cllr J Bond.

Resolved to apologies accepted.

2. Questions from the public: To receive any questions from the public regarding matters on the agenda. There is a 10-minute allocation time for any questions from the public.

Resolved to note that there was no public in attendance and no questions from public received.

3. Correspondence: Members are invited to consider the listed correspondence, plus with the Chair's permission, any urgent information that may well be received prior to the date of the meeting.
- a) E-mail from anna.s@20splenty.org (for information)
Thanks for 20: Update on Welsh speed limit review from 20's Plenty for your council (Copy attached)

Resolved to note information received.

Additional correspondence received with permission of the Chair

- b) Email from Kathryn.Cross@wales.nhs.uk (*for information*):
A conversation for a healthy future (Copy attached)
Discussion ensued regarding the life expectancy for women in Blaenau Gwent of 55 years and Monmouthshire is 69 years. Document was commented on how informative the document was.

Cllr D Hillman announced that he had not received the information. Assistant officer confirmed that information had been Emailed and posted out to all members.

Resolved to note information received.

- c) Email from Helen.Jones@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk (*Policy review*)
Consultation on the revision of statement of policy on the gambling Act 2005 (Copy attached)

Cllr D Hillman confirmed that he had not received either hard copy or Email.

Resolved to note information received.

- d) Email from PSCSNWT@gov.wales (*Feedback on 20mph in local authority roads*)
Listening Programme on 20mph (Copy attached)
Cllr D Hillman confirmed that Cllrs from ALCC had reached out to him regarding the item and it was felt that all 4 councils to respond in partnership. Members agreed to take time to digest the document and feedback on views for the next Planning & Highways Committee.

Resolved to note information received and further **Resolved** for item to be re agenda at the next Planning & Highways Committee.

Additional application received with permission of the Chair:

4. Planning Applications: Members are invited to consider the applications listed below and, with the permission of the Chair, any further applications that may be received prior to the date of the meeting: No planning applications received to date.

Additional application received:

- a) Planning application P/2024/0135 – 45 Lakeside, Nantyglo, NP23 4EG
Canopy to front, conversion of garage to a living room, Juliette balcony at first floor and bi folding doors at the rear.

Resolved accordingly with no objections or representations made.

5. Licence Applications: Members are invited to note the application(s) for information only: No Licence applications received to date.

Resolved accordingly.

Meeting declared closed at 18:20pm