

CYNGOR CYMUNED EGLWYSBACH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY 2ND JANUARY 2018 IN THE ABERCONWY HALL, EGLWYSBACH.

1. IN ATTENDANCE – The Chairman Councillor Gwyn Morris Jones and Councillors John Emlyn Jones; John Lloyd Williams; Ceri Leeder; Catherine Williams; Gwilym Williams; Phyllis Purchase; Arthur Williams and County Councillor Austin Roberts.
2. APOLOGIES – Apologies were received from the Clerk who was absent due to illness.
3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST. – NONE recorded. County Councillor Austin Roberts wished to remind members that as a member of the County Planning committee he was unable to comment or vote on any application discussed at the meeting.
4. MINUTES – The minutes of the meeting held on the 5th December 2017.were approved, confirmed and signed with small adjustments and corrections.

5. PLANNING

1.18/6(i) 0/44636 Certificate of lawfulness in respect of existing site use as a woodyard and other buildings at The Rookery, The Old Road, Bodnant, Eglwysbach. RESOLVED NO OBJECTION.

1.18/6(ii) 0/44649 Proposed extension and internal alterations to a present dwelling at 1, Y Berllan, Maes Llan, Eglwysbach. RESOLVED NO OBJECTION

1.18/6(iii) 0/444672 Reline wall boundary (Listed building consent) at Gerddi, Bodnant. RESOLVED NO OBJECTIONS but members wished to register their concern about the narrowness of the road and the danger to road users because of its use by HGV's , they were also concerned that part of the wall which was listed would be demolished.

6. FINANCIAL REPORT – IT WAS RESOLVED to note, approve and sign the Bank statements up until the 5th December 2018 :-

Reserve Account.....£2069.74

Cemetery Account.....£1897.20

Genereal Account.....£5431.15

7. PAYMENTS RECEIVED

1.18/8(i) The Precept.....£2240.00

8. PAYMENTS MADE - IT WAS RESOLVED TO PAY the items listed below:-

1.18/9(ii) Mrs Hayward.....£98.00

1.18/9(v) Conwy CBC Skips.....£222.00

1.18/9(vi) Welsh Audit Office.....£318,75

1.18/9(vii) Cradur.com.....£24.00

1.18/9(viii) County Council election..£156.80

1.18/9(ix) Zurich Insurance.....£416.94

20.12.17 Bodnant Joinery.....£870.00 paid

9. CORRESPONDENCE

1.18/10(i) A Christmas card from Guto Bebb MP. NOTED

1.18/10(ii) Notice of the Sec 137 allowance for 2018/2019. RESOLVED TO DEFER

10. ANY OTHER MATTER

1.18/11(i) Renewal of the defibrillator. The Chairman agreed to consult with an officer of the Ambulance Service to ask the way ahead, either to renew the battery or to

renew the defibrillator itself. The purchase of another defibrillator was discussed and for it to be placed at Y Graig or Nebo Crossroads

12.17/10(ii) The Precept this was deferred until the next meeting.

1.18/11(ii) Public liability Insurance for the Clerk. This was deferred.

1.18/11(iii) IT WAS RESOLVED to send a letter of thanks to Mr Paul Roberts and Mr Paul Williams for organising and lighting the Christmas tree. The Council further RESOLVED to obtain a Christmas tree earlier for the next year.

1.18/11(iv) The flag pole , thanks were given to those Councillors who had straightened the flag pole.

1.18/11(v) Fly tipping. It had been noted that fly tipping had occurred on the main road near Penmynydd. Councillor Austin Roberts confirmed he would deal with the matter.

1.18/11(vi) Arriva Buses. One Councillor was concerned on behalf of parents of school children about safety with regard to a bus which passed the school at the time the children were let out of school. 3.30.pm. parents who had to pick up their children by car were having to park near the school making the footpath very narrow. The matter was discussed but members could see no real way ahead except for a change to the bus timetable.

1.18/11(vii) Scaffolding on the road at London House. Councillor Austin Roberts to ask the relevant department if a notice had been issued.

1.18/11(viii) Quarry public footpath. It was NOTED the footpath had been closed due to problems.

1.18/9(ix) Foel-Rhandir Public footpath. It was NOTED that this path was overgrown. Councillor Austin Roberts agreed to contact the relevant department to ensure the work would be carried out before the summer.

1.18/11(x) The School boundary fence. County Councillor Austin Roberts was of the opinion that money had been set aside to carry out this work in the spring.

1.18/11(xi) Newspaper deliveries. It was understood by members that a new daily delivery service was proposed for the village, this would be managed by the staff at the Bee Hotel.

11. TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING.—6th February 2018.

There being no further matters to discuss the meeting closed at 9,pm.

CHAIRMAN.....DATE.....
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