CYNGOR CYMUNED DYFFRYN ARTH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

COFNODION O GYFARFOD MISOL O'R CYNGOR A GYNHALIWYD AM 8:00yh AR NOS LUN 8fed EBRILL 2024 YNG NGHANOLFAN GYMUNEDOL PENNANT

Yn bresennol: y Cynghorydd S Webster (Cadeirydd) Y Cynghorwyr J Ellis, O Evans, R Fear, C Harries, D W Jones a G O'Connor.
Y Cynghorwyr Sir Elizabeth Evans a Keith Henson
Clerc: Denfer Morgan

204 Ymddiheuriadau a Phersonol
Ymddiheurodd y Cynghorwyr Anne Davies a Nerys Jones am fethu fod yn bresennol yn y cyfarfod.
Yn absenoldeb y Cynghorydd Davies, cadeiriwyd y cyfarfod gan yr Is-gadeirydd, y Cynghorydd Sheila Webster.
Cytunwyd cofnodi cydymdeimliadau'r Aelodau gyda'r Cynghorydd Davies ar golli ei gŵr.

205 Cofnodion o'r Cyfarfod o'r Cyngor a gynhaliwyd ar 11eg Mawrth 2024
Cadarnhawyd Cofnodion o Gyfarfod y Cyngor a gynhaliwyd ar 11eg Mawrth 2024 fel rhai cywir ac fe'u harwyddwyd gan y Cadeirydd.

206 Materion Cyllidol
PENDERFYNWYD talu'r canlynol:
Tanysgrifiad Blynyddol Un Llais Cymru - £240

207 Ceisiadau am Gymorth Ariannol
Rhoddwyd ystyriaeth i gais Bois y Gilfach am gyfraniad ariannol a **PHENDERFYNWYD** oeidio gwneud cyfraniad.

208 Goleuadau Stryd Pennant
Dywedodd y Clerc ei fod mewn cysylltiad gydag adran Priffyrdd y Cyngor Sir ynghylch perchnogaeth y tir dan sylw sy'n ffinio gyda'r ffyrdd ac yn

MINUTES OF THE MONTHLY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL HELD AT 8:00pm ON MONDAY 8th APRIL 2024 AT THE PENNANT COMMUNITY CENTRE

Present: Councillor S Webster (Chairman) Councillors J Ellis, O Evans, R Fear, C Harries, D W Jones and G O'Connor.
County Councillors Elizabeth Evans and Keith Henson
Clerk: Denfer Morgan.

204 Apologies and Personal
Councillors Anne Davies and Nerys Jones apologised for their inability to attend the meeting.
In the absence of Councillor Davies, the meeting was chaired by the Vice-Chairman, Councillor Sheila Webster.
It was agreed to record the Members' condolences with Councillor Davies on the passing of her husband.

205 Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on 11th March 2024
Minutes of the Monthly Meeting of the Council held on 11th March 2024 were confirmed as being correct and signed by the Chairman.

206 Finance Matters
It was **RESOLVED** to pay the following:
One Voice Wales Annual Subscription - £240

207 Applications for Financial Assistance
Consideration was given to the application of Bois y Gilfach for a financial contribution and it was **RESOLVED** not to make a contribution.

208 Street Lights at Pennant
The Clerk advised that he had contacted the County Council Highways Department with regard to the ownership of the highway verges under consideration and was

disgwyl ateb.

209 Cynigion Drafft Adolygiad Cymunedol Ceredigion

Rhoddwyd ystyriaeth i Gynigion Drafft Adolygiad Gymunedol Ceredigion ar gyfer y Gymuned hon, sef:

- nid oedd yna newidiadau i ffiniau yn cael eu cynnig (ar wahan i rai bach er mwyn tacluso rhai ardaloedd bach)
- bod y ddau Ward – Llanbadarn Trefeglwys a Llanddewi Aberarth yn parhau
- yn unol â Pholisi Maint y Cyngor a gymeradwy-wyd gan y Cyngor Sir ar gyfer yr Adolygiad, sef “ni ddylai cymuned gynnwys llai nag 800 o etholwyr yn gyffredinol…a chael ei chynrychioli gan 7 cynghorydd o leiaf” roedd yn cael ei gymeradwyo fod gan y Cyngor Cymuned 7 Aelod. – 4 ar gyfer Llanbadarn Trefeglwys a 3 ar gyfer Llanddewi Aberarth.

Mynegodd yr Aelodau eu siom gyda’r argymhellion gan eu bod o’r farn nad oeddent yn gwella’r trefniadau democrataidd presennol ac eu bont yn tanseilio “llywodraeth leol effeithiol a chyfleus” ar gyfer etholwyr y Gymuned.
Hefyd, roedd Cyngor Sir Ceredigion yn gofyn i’r Cyngor Cymuned, oherwydd pwysau cyllidebol, ddarparu mwy a mwy o wasanaethau o fewn y gymuned.
Roedd o’r farn taw canlyniad lleihau’r nifer aelodau i saith fyddai:-

- llai o gynrychiolaeth i etholwyr mewn ardal wledig eang
- gyda chworwm o draean, fe fyddai cyfarfod o’r Cyngor yn ddilys o ran cworwm gyda thri Aelod yn unig yn bresennol sy’n llawer rhy fach i ddarparu fforwm ddemocrataidd iach ar gyfer penderfynnu materion lleol a darparau gwasanaethau
- gyda mwy a mwy o wasanaethau yn cael eu trosglwyddo gan y Cyngor Sir i’r Cyngor Cymuned,

awaiting a reply.

209 Ceredigion Community Review Draft Proposals

Consideration was given to the Ceredigion Community Review Draft Proposals and the recommendations for this Community namely:

- there are no boundary changes pro-posed (other than very minor ones to tidy up some small areas)
- the two wards - Llanbadarn Tre-feglwys and Llanddewi Aberarth will remain
- in accordance with the Council Size Policy approved by the County Council for the Review, namely "a community in general have no fewer than 800 electors and be represented by a minimum of 7 councillors", it was being proposed that the Community Council has . has 7 Members - 4 for Llanbadarn Trefeglwys and 3 for Llanddewi Aberarth.

Members expressed their disappointment with the recommendations as they were of the view was that they did not improve the existing democratic arrangements and that they undermined “effective and convenient local government” for the electors in the Community.
Also, the Community Council was being asked by Ceredigion County Council, due to budgetary pressures, to provide more and more services within the community.
It was of the opinion that a reduction in the number of Members to seven would result in:-

- less representation for electors in a large rural area
- with a quorum of a third, a Council meeting would be quorate with only three Members in attendance which is much too small to produce a healthy democratic forum for determining local matters and providing services
- with more and more services being

canlyniad lleihau nifer yr Aelodau fyddai mwy o lwyth gwaith i Aelodau yn nhermau amser ac adnoddau ar gyfer darparu'r gwasanaethau hyn
- ni fyddai'n arwain at unrhyw arbedion ariannol gan fod yr holl Aelodau yn gwrthod derbyn eu lwfans sylfaenol.

transferred by the County Council to the Community Council, a reduction in Members would result in a greater workload for Members in terms of time and resources for providing these services
- it will not produce any financial savings as all Members forgo their basic allowance.

210 Holiadur 20mya Elin Jones AS
Rhoddwyd ystyriaeth i'r holiadur a ddanfonwyd allan gan Swyddfa Elin Jones AS a'i gwblhawyd ar gyfer ei ddychwelyd i'r Swyddfa.

210 Elin Jones MS 20mph questionnaire
Consideration was given to the questionnaire issued by the Office of Elin Jones MS and it was completed for returning to the Office.

211 Cysgodfa Bws Pennant
Rhoddwyd ystyriaeth i gais *Cymuned Pennant Community* i'r Cyngor Cymuned gymryd perchnogaeth o'r gysgodfa bws ym Mhennant ar gyfer ei ddefnyddio fel ased i'r gymuned.

Yn dilyn trafodaeth **PENDERFYNWYD** peidio cymryd perchnogaeth o'r gysgodfa bws ond bod y Cyngor ei hun yn ystyried ei ddefnydd yn y dyfodol ar yr amser priodol.

211 Pennant Bus Shelter
Consideration was given to the request of *Cymuned Pennant Community* for the Community Council to take possession of the bus shelter at Pennant for use as a community asset.

Following discussion it was **RESOLVED** not to take possession of the bus shelter for this purpose but that the Council itself considers its future use at the appropriate time.

212 Adroddiad y Cynghorydd Sir Elizabeth Evans
Darparwyd y gwybodaeth isod gan y Cynghorydd Evans ynghylch Ward Llanddewi Aberarth:

- roedd yna broblemau o hyd gyda'r gwasanaeth casglu gwastraff wythnosol ac y byddai'n dal i ddarparu gwybodaeth ynghylch unrhyw oedi pan fo angen
- roedd trafodaethau yn digwydd ynghylch cau llwybr yr arfordir oherwydd erydiad.

212 Report of County Councillor Elizabeth Evans
The following information was provided by Councillor Evans in respect of the Llanddewi Aberarth Ward:

- there were still problems with the weekly waste collection service and she would continue to provide information about delays when needed
- discussions were underway with regard to the closure of the coastal path due to erosion.

213 Adroddiad y Cynghorydd Sir Keith Henson
Darparwyd y gwybodaeth canlynol gan y Cynghorydd Henson.
- roedd y twll yn y ffordd ger North Lodge wedi cael ei lenwi a disgwylyd rhoi arwyneb newydd

213 Report of County Councillor Keith Henson
The following information was provided by Councillor Henson.
- the pot-hole near North Lodge had been repaired and the re-surfacing of the road at the Dyffryn Arth bridge

ar y ffordd ger bont Dyffryn Arth
- disgwylyd y cyllid ar gyfer y gwasanaeth i ddod yn lle Dolen Teifi
- o ran y gwasanaeth casglu gwastraff, roedd fel yr Aelod Cabinet yn ymchwilio i weld oes oedd yna broblemau penodol gyda'r trefniadau ar gyfer de'r Sir.

was awaited
- funding for the replacement Dolen Teifi service was awaited
- with regard to the waste collection service, as Cabinet Member, he was investigating whether there was a specific problem with the arrangements for the south of the County.

214 Unrhyw Fater Arall

a) Gofynodd y Cynghorydd Osian Evans i'r Cynghorydd Henson adrodd twll yn y ffordd a ddisgrifiwyd yn y cyfarfod.

b) Cafwyd diweddariad gan y Cynghorydd Gary O'Connor ar y cynnydd gyda'r gwelliannau i Neuadd Bentref Aberarth, gan gynnwys y cyllid a dderbyniwyd ar gyfer y cam cyntaf. Dywedodd y byddai'n darparu diweddariadau cyson, yn enwedig pan fyddai angen trafod dogfennau a gweithredoedd.

214 Any Other Business

a) Councillor Osian Evans requested Councillor Henson to report a pot-hole at a location identified at the meeting

b) Councillor Gary O'Connor up-dated the Council on progress with the improvements to the Aberarth Village Hall, including funding being received for the first phase. He stated that he would be providing u-dates on a regular basis, in particular when there would be a need to discuss documents and deeds.

Daeth y cyfarfod i ben am 9:00pm

The Meeting ended at 9:00pm