

CYNGOR CYMUNED DYFFRYN ARTH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

**COFNODION O GYFARFOD O'R
CYNGOR A GYNHALIWDYD AM 8:00yh
AR NOS LUN 12fed IONAWR 2026 YN
NEUADD BENTREF ABERARTH**

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

- 419 Ymddiheuriadau**
Ymddiheurodd y Cynghorwyr K Bevan, R Fear a D W Jones am fethu a bod yn bresennol yn y cyfarfod.
- 420 Trefn**
Cadarnhawyd cyfethol y Cynghorydd Michael Affonso i'r Cyngor a chafodd ei groesawi i'r cyfarfod. Fe arwyddodd y Cynghorydd Affonso y Datganiad o Dderbyn Swydd.
- 421 Datgelu Buddiant Personol ac un sy'n Rhagfarnu**
Fe ddatgelodd y Cynghorydd Elizabeth Evans fuddiant yn y mater y trafodwyd yng nghofnod 423 isod fel aelod o Bwyllgor Rheoli'r Pwll a gadawodd yr ystafell yn ystod y drafodaeth ohono fe.
- 422 Cofnodion o Gyfarfod y Cyngor a gynhaliwyd ar 8fed Rhagfyr 2025**
Cadarnhawyd y Cofnodion o Gyfarfod y Cyngor a gynhaliwyd ar 8fed Rhagfyr 2025 fel rhai cywir.
- 423 Pwll Nofio Aberaeron a'r Cylch**
Rhoddwyd ystyriaeth i gais Pwyllgor Rheoli Pwll Nofio Aberaeron a'r Cylch am gymorth ariannol yn 2026-27. Roedd y llythyr yn amlinellu sefyllfa ariannol y Pwll ar hyn o bryd ac a ragamcanwyd ar gyfer mlwyddyn gyllidol 2026-27. Fe ddilynodd trafodaeth o'r manylion a ddarparwyd i gefnogi'r cais. Roedd y wasgfa ar

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
COUNCIL HELD AT 8:00pm ON MONDAY
12th JANUARY 2026 AT THE ABERARTH
VILLAGE HALL**

Present: Councillor S Webster (Chairman)
Councillors M Affonso, J Ellis, R Fear and C Harries, N Jones and G O'Connor.

County Councillors Elizabeth Evans and Keith Henson
Clerc: Denfer Morgan.

- 419 Apologies**
Councillors K Bevan, R Fear and D W Jones apologised for their inability to attend the meeting.
- 420 Procedure**
Councillor Michael Affonso was confirmed as being co-opted onto the Council and was welcomed to the meeting. Councillor Affonso signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.
- 421 Disclosure of Personal and Prejudicial Interest**
Councillor Elizabeth Evans disclosed a personal and prejudicial interest in the matter referred to in minute 423 below as a member of the Pool's Management Committee and left the room during its consideration.
- 422 Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on 8th December 2025**
The Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on 8th December 2025 were confirmed as being correct.
- 423 Aberaeron and District Swimming Pool**
Consideration was given to the request of the Aberaeron and District Swimming Pool Committee for financial assistance in 2026-27. The letter outlined the Pool's current financial situation and that projected for 2026-27. There followed a discussion on the details provided in support of the application. The pressures on expenditure included the rise in Employers' NI

wariant yn cynnwys y codiad yng nghyfraniadau YG Cyflogwyr a chost y cyflenwad trydan, gan ei fod yn debyg nad oedd yr arbedion disgwylidig yn dilyn gosod paneli solar wedi eu gwireddu. O ran incwm, nid oedd grant y Cyngor Sir wedi cynyddu ers sawl blwyddyn ac ni ellid codi prisiau nofio ymhellach gan eu bod eisoes yr uchaf yn y Sir. Nodwyd y camau a gymerwyd i wella effeithiolrwydd ac effeithlonrwydd y rheolaeth a staffio y Pwll. I'r perwyl hynny, rhagwelwyd na fyddai'r incwm a ragamcanwyd fod yn ddigonol i gwrdd â'r gwariant yn 2026-27. Nodwyd fod trafodaethau yn mynd yn eu blaen gyda swyddogion y Cyngor Sir er mwyn datrys mater y costau trydan.

PENDERFYNWYD cytuno gwneud cyfraniad ac i ddarparu swm o £1,500 yng nghyllideb 2026-27 at y pwrpas hwn ac i ystyried gwneud y cyfraniad yn gynnar yn y flwyddyn ariannol hwnnw yn dilyn derbyn manylion o gostau trydan y Pwll.

424 Cyllideb, Praesept a Treth Cyngor 2026-27

Rhodddwyd ystyriaeth fanwl i'r gyllideb drafft a gyflwynwyd gan y Clerc. Cyfeiriwyd yn benodol at yr angen i gadw arian wrth-gefn digonol er mwyn cwrdd â chostau posib trwsio a chynnal a chadw'r cyfarpar chwarae.

PENDERFYNWYD:

- i) cymeradwyo cyllideb yn y swm o £15,870;
- ii) cymeradwyo praesept yn y swm o £15,870; a
- iii) gosod Treth Gyngor o £26.13 i eiddo Band D.

425 Biniau Halen

Rhodddwyd ystyriaeth pellach i'r cynigion ar gyfer lleoli biniau halen yn y gymuned.

contributions and the cost of electricity, in that the projected savings anticipated from installing solar panels had not apparently been realised. With regard to income, the grant received from the County Council had not been increased for several years and swim costs could not be increased any further as they were already the highest in the County. The steps taken to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of the management and staffing of the Pool were noted. To this effect, it was anticipated that projected income would not be sufficient to meet expenditure in 2026-27. It was explained that discussions with officers of the County Council were underway in order to resolve the issue of electricity costs.

It was **RESOLVED** to agree to make a contribution and to provide a sum of £1,500 in the 2026-27 budget for this purpose; and to consider making the contribution early in that financial year following receipt of the information on the Pool's electricity costs.

424 Budget, Precept and Council Tax 2026-27

Consideration was given in detail to the draft budget presented by the Clerk. Reference was made in particular to the need to retain sufficient reserves in order to meet any possible costs of repairs and maintenance of the playground equipment

It was **RESOLVED:**

- i) to approve a budget in the sum of £15,870
- ii) to approve a precept of £15,870 and
- iii) to set a Council Tax of £26.13 for Band D properties.

425 Salt Bins

Further consideration was given to the suggested sites for salt bins in the community.

PENDERFYNWYD gael eglurhad o rai leoliadau ag argymhellwyd a bwrwmlaen i archebu'r biniau.

It was **RESOLVED** to seek clarification of certain locations which were being recommended and to proceed to order the bins.

426 Adolygiad Cymunedol Ceredigion
Nodwyd y byddai'r Clerc yn cynrychioli'r Cyngor mewn webinar a drefnwyd gan Un Llais Cymru.

426 Ceredigion Community Review
It was noted that the Clerk would represent the Council at a webinar organised by One Voice Wales.

427 Adroddiad y Cynghorydd Sir Elizabeth Evans ynghylch Ward Llanddewi Aberarth
Adroddwyd y materion isod gan y Cynghorydd Evans:

427 Report of County Councillor Elizabeth Evans in respect of the Llanddewi Aberarth Ward

The following matters were reported by Councillor Evans:

- a) roedd y sgubwr ffyrdd a drefnwyd ganddi wedi bod yn y pentref
- b) fe raglenwyd fod y llinellau melyn dwbl a gytunwyd ar gyfer pont Tyglyn i gael eu gosod yn ystod 2026-27.

- a) The road sweeper which had been arranged by her had been in the village
- b) The agreed double yellow lines in the vicinity of Tyglyn bridge were scheduled to be installed in 2026-27.

428 Adroddiad y Cynghorydd Sir Keith Henson ynghylch Ward Llanbadarn Trefeglwys
Adroddwyd y materion isod gan y Cynghorydd Henson:

428 Report of County Councillor Keith Henson in respect of the Llanbadarn Trefeglwys Ward

The following matters were reported by Councillor Henson:

- a) Fe fyddai'r Pwyllgor Craffu Cymunedau Ffynniannus yn trafod cau ffyrdd gan gyfleustodau cyhoeddus at bwrpsau gwneud Gwaith, yn arbennig y defnydd o bwerau brys yn lle gwaith a gynluniwyd ymlaen llaw
- b) Roedd wedi dilyn i fyny materion gorfodaeth a materion lechyd yr Amgylchedd ym Mhennant.

- a) The Thriving Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee would be discussing closing roads by public utilities for the purpose of undertaking work, in particular the use of emergency powers instead of planned work
- b) He had been following up enforcement matters and environmental health matters in Pennant.

Unrhyw Fater Arall

Cynghorydd Nerys Jones: roedd llechi wedi cael eu cymryd oddi at do y capel yn Aberarth

Cynghorydd Osian Evans: roedd angen clirio ffosydd ar y ffordd ger Newgate

Cynghorydd Ceri Harries: roedd angen delio gyda tyllau yn y ffyrdd a golau diffygiol o hyd ym Mhennant

Cynghorydd Michael Affonso: roedd

429 Any Other Matter

Councillor Nerys Jones: slates had been removed from the chapel roof in Aberarth

Councillor Osian Evans: ditches were blocked on the road near Newgate

Councillor Ceri Harries: pot-holes and the faulty light continued to be needed to be addressed in Pennant

Councillor Michael Affonso: there was severe flooding on a part of the C1014 as

llifogydd gwael ar ran o'r C1014 fel a ddisgrifiwyd yn y cyfarfod
Roedd angen coi'r fainc ger y gofeb yn Aberarth
Cytunodd y Cynghorydd Keith Henson archwilio a gellid cymryd camau gorfodaeth ynghylch cynhwyswyr morgludo oedd mae'n debyg yn cael eu defnyddio at bwrpas busnes mewn cyfeiriad y cyfeiriwyd at yn y cyfarfod
Cynghorydd Rhian Fear: roedd y tipio anghyfreithlon y cyfeiriwyd ato yn y cyfarfod blaenorol wedi cael ei glirio; roedd y llifogydd y cyfeiriwyd ato gan y Cynghorydd Alffonso yn ymestyn hyd at tro Newgate; roedd yna dyllau yn y ffyrdd ger Wernddu.

Daeth y cyfarfod i ben am 9:30pm

described at the meeting
The bench near the memorial at Aberarth needed to be raised
Councillor Sheila Webster: pot-holes had appeared near Tŷ Nant again
Councillor Keith Henson agreed to investigate whether enforcement action could be taken in respect of shipping containers which were apparently being used for business purposes at an address identified at the meeting
Councillor Rhian Fear: the fly tipping referred to at the last meeting had been cleared; the flooding referred to by Councillor Affonso continued to the Newgate bend; there were pot-holes on the road near Wernddu.

The Meeting ended at 9:30pm