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COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

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**Minutes of the meeting of Llanfynydd Community Council held at 7.30pm on Tuesday,
13th of March 2018 at Speit Chapel vestry.**

134/17: Present: Dylan Thomas, Sarah Thomas, Lee Strudwick, Claire Papworth, Mairwen Rees, Dai Jones and Meirion Jones who was late attending the meeting

In attendance: Gaynor Davies clerk.

Also in attendance were CCC Mansel Charles and local PCSO

135/17 Apologies Brian Thomas

136 /17: Chairman's welcome – The Chairman welcomed all present to the March meeting. He extended the Community Councils condolences to the family of Janet Law who has recently passed away.

137/17: A report was given by the PCSO on Police involvement in the Parish. There were few incidents to report.

138/17: Contributions from the public. No members of the public were present

139/17: Declarations of personal interest

None were made at this point

140/17: Minutes

The minutes of the meetings held on January 9th 2018 and February 13th 2018 were duly signed by the Chairman as true reflection of the meetings.

141/17: Matters arising from the minutes

- 1) 45/16 The bench for inside the gazebo will be returned when the weather improves
- 2) 90/17 Councillors agreed to invite Mr Richard Jones to our next meeting to discuss any information he may have available regarding the building plots and possible pavement. Clerk to Contact Mr Jones

142/17: Correspondence

The following items were noted

- 1) letter of thanks for donation from Capel Amor Sunday School
- 2) request for funding Carmarthenshire branch of Cruse Bereavement
- 3) Request for funding from Wales Air Ambulance, Childrens appeal

143 /17: Hall Plot

- 1) Following a discussion regarding the quotes received regarding electrical work Councillors were in agreement to offer the work to H. Price. Western Power have sent acknowledgement of the receipt of acceptance of work, and it was agreed that the BDP100 Pillar was ordered from BEI Lighting costing £534.00 including VAT

- 2) A discussion took place regarding the insurance liability for the Hall plot, and it was noted that planned events held at the plot by a third party would need to be discussed with the Community Council prior to each event as we would need evidence of their insurance cover. The Community Council also needs to prepare risk assessments for future use.

144 /17: ROAD MAINTENANCE

Councillors feel aggrieved that Carmarthenshire County Council are not adequately maintaining the public highways within the Parish. Below is a list of already reported issues.

- 1) 91/16/b the green road between Maesyrrhaidd and Brynberllan near the river is now inaccessible for Walkers and vehicles. CCC have now agreed that this should be classified as a Through Route. Clerk to discuss with CCC
- 2) Subsidence near Brisgen Isaf on the U4431.
- 3) Potholes between Llwyn celyn and Pantyrefail U4433 clerk to chase CCC
- 4) Llys y nant, uneven road surface. Clerk to chase CCC
- 5) The area around Brynberllan needs attention, with issues with potholes, stones on the road, and ditches needing clearing. Clerk to contact CCC
- 6) There is silt building up on the road on the bridge near the sewage works. Clerk to contact CCC
- 7) It was requested that the Road sweepers attends the area, in particular around Clawdd Owen Clerk to contact CCC
- 8) Potholes appearing on the Llanfynydd to Abergorlech road near Pantgwyrd.
- 9) 90/17 Request for pavement from Capel Speit to Bronsannan .We are still waiting for a copy of the original plans, which would show the boundaries of these properties.
- 10) Near Esgairgynddu a BT pole has been placed directly into a storm drain, damaging the drain. Clerk to contact CCC
- 11) Potholes appearing on Cemetery Road, near the sewage works. Clerk to contact CCC
- 12) Potholes appearing near Penrhos. Clerk to contact CCC
- 13) Concerns have been raised with the volume of water running on the road around Rock House, Llanfynydd and Meadow View and the impact on the highway when icy
- 14) 16/b: Potholes at Bryn yr Eglwys – the Forestry Commission has filled some of these potholes. On Completion of their prolonged use of this section of road an inspection will take place and any remedial work completed by the Forestry Commission.
- 15) 172/16/1 Pot Holes at Abersannan on U4007 Clerk to contact CCC
- 16) 172/16/2 Subsidence along Heol Newydd clerk to contact CCC
- 17) 176/16/4 Request for road signage at Penlan Home farm as children gather there for transport to school. This has been raised previously CC Charles will discuss with CCC.
- 18) 10/7/2 Reports of subsidence between Crachty and Pantarfon, due to forestry traffic. Clerk to contact CCC
- 19) 10/17/3/ there has been damage to road sign on the bridge near to the Church clerk to contact CCC
- 20) 10/17/4 a road safety reflective post near Whitlera has been moved and placed on the ground clerk to contact CCC
- 21) 10/17/11 Road surface becoming poor near to Llwynfedwen turn clerk to contact CCC

The following are new areas of concern.

- 1) The Crash Barrier below Pantydderwen Farm has been hit, and the road seems to be subsiding around this area. Clerk to report to CCC
- 2) Culverts near Brisken Isaf need clearing clerk to contact CCC
- 3) The gully above the Churchyard needs clearing again as the running water is causing erosion of the road outside the Church. Clerk to contact CCC

145/17: Planning

None to discuss

146/17 Knotweeds

Nothing to discuss

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147 /17: Website.

A discussion took place regarding a new website host. Councillors have sought several quotes, which need further investigation. The clerk was asked to contact we dig media to confirm costs without advertising, and to confirm the start up costs. Matter to be discussed further at our next meeting.

148/17: FINANCE

- 1) Invoice for current Web provider for monthly hosting £3.59 As they only accept Debit card payment, the invoice has been paid by Councilor Lee Strudwick who will request reimbursement on a regular basis
- 2) CCC Streetlights invoice £1010.02 Councillors agree to pay.
- 3) Zurich Insurance invoice £340.82 Councillors agree to pay
- 4) A replacement cheque for £50 for the Reading Room Cwrt Henri was issued as the previous cheque had gone astray
- 5) Lloyds Bank statement £11386.74
- 6) Clwb Hanes £2328.56

149/17 Defibrillator.

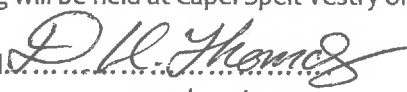
The defibrillator was checked to ensure it is charging correctly. Dai will check the meter reading in the Church to assess usage.

150 /17 any other relevant business.

- 1) The damage to one of the pillars around the War memorial has been looked at, and repairs are needed.
- 2) Despite being reported the BT Phone kiosk appears still not to be working
- 3) The Street light near Rose Cottage is not working
- 4) No action appears to have been taken regarding the fly tipping at Penygarn Quarry.
- 5) Councillors Sarah Thomas and Claire Papworth will be attending some training events in the coming month.
- 6) Caryl Thomas will receive her 50th Wales Rugby Union Cap when she plays her next International .
- 7) Unfortunately Dewi Griffiths is injured and will not be taking part in the Commonwealth Games this year.
- 8) Damaged trees Near Cwm Sannan and Pantmawr have been assessed, but local residents are again raising their concerns regarding their safety.
- 9) The Llanfynydd YFC Pantomime was staged for the local community, and a very successful evening was held at the Penybont Inn

With no other matters to discuss, the meeting closed at 21:00 pm.

The next meeting will be held at Capel Speit Vestry on Tuesday 10th April 2018

Signed.....
Date.....10/4/18.....