## **Merlin's Bridge Community Council**

Local Government (Wales) Measure 2011, Section 116

## **Notice of Co-Option**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the MERLIN'S BRIDGE COMMUNITY COUNCIL intends to Co-opt Members to fill vacancies that exist in the office of Councillor.

Expressions of interest are being sought from members of the public who meet the following qualifications and are interested in representing their community on the aforementioned community council. You must meet at least one of the following criteria:

- registered as a local government elector for the area named above: or
- during the whole of the last 12 months occupied as owner or tenant land or other premises in the community named above; or
- your principal or only place of work during the last 12 months has been in the community named above; or
- you have during the whole of the last 12 months resided in the Community or with 4.8 kilometres of it; and
- Not be disqualified from holding office by reason of any disqualification set out in Section 80 of the Local Government Act 1972, or any decision made under Section 79 of the Local Government Act 2000¹.

If you wish to be considered for co-option for the vacant seat or want more information regarding the role of a Community Councillor please contact the Proper Officer, The Clerk at <a href="clerk@merlinsbridgecc.com">clerk@merlinsbridgecc.com</a>

Dated this 13th day of October 2022

PETER HORTON, Clerk to Merlin's Bridge Community Council.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Certain people are disqualified from standing, and these include paid officers of the community council, anyone subject to bankruptcy restriction orders and those subject to recent sentences of imprisonment.