



Minutes– Angle Community Council Meeting, Wednesday 5th October 2022
Angle Village Hall

Present: Cllrs Howells, Ward, Watkins and Williams and County Councillor S Alderman

Apologies: None

Declarations of interest: None declared

Part 1 – Update from Tom Brinicombe re Greenlink project

Tom introduced 2 Colleagues Mathew Gibson Project manager, and Nigel Kaye who is involved with technical side of project.

Archaeological excavations have revealed a standing stone thought to be about 4,500 years old, as well as evidence of cremations. Greenlink are in discussion with National Trust regarding the best approach to recording / maintaining/ and making it accessible to view.

Directional drilling will commence towards end of October with the aim to complete this by end of November. However, time lines are weather dependent. Once drilling begins it may require 24hr activity, but noise should be no louder than a distant vacuum cleaner.

Cllr Ward raised a couple of questions regarding man power and use of local work force. Many companies are Welsh, and may be hiring more locally, but Matt will circulate more details. They are encouraging people to submit CV's for contractors, correct emails to be circulated. Apparently, some people who have already submitted CV's have had no feedback.

[Cllr Williams will forward existing contact email details to Cllr Ward](#)

Part 2- Main meeting

1. Approval of minutes from meeting held 7th September 2022. Signed By Cllr Ward

2. Agenda items

1. Action points from last meeting.

1. West Angle Bay emergency issues. Cllr Ward has received written approval from the Angle Estate to site an additional life buoy between Big and Little Dock. Verbally Carwyn Rees (estate manager) also indicated to Cllr Williams that if the work to clear and widen the pathways links with any other work by the estate. It may be possible to share equipment. Additionally, regarding an Emergency Phone, Cllr Williams offered to clarify the status of the Phone / box at the Caravan site. [Action: Cllr Ward to liaise with PCC, PCNPA and Angle Estate](#)
2. Playpark update. Cllr Howells has had no response to her emails to PCC regarding the situation with the Lease and boundary issues. She will pursue this.
3. Notice board update. Cllr Williams apologised for the delay in moving forward with this. Measurements and photos taken, PCC forms to be completed and submitted

2. Councillor / Clerk vacancies

1. One person has approached Cllr Williams, to be followed up.

3. Playground update (Cllr Howells) – see above

4. Update from County Councillor

1. Concerns re Long course weekend and impact that closing the road has for the village in emergency situations. Cllr Ward has been in touch with Cllr Alderman. Apparently the "helpline" was not answered and of little help. Concerns will be fed back to PCC. Plans for next year are to bring the event forward to avoid busy holiday traffic and agricultural issues. There may also be a request to change the route.

5. Cost of living impacts for the community.

1. With spiralling utility costs, a suggestion of starting a soups and sandwich lunch with some activities was made by Cllr Williams. The proposal was also discussed at the Village Hall committee meeting yesterday. Community Councillors were supportive of the idea, but will need further investigations and costings. [Cllr Williams to investigate.](#)

6. Housing issues -Vacant Council Houses - 5 Mirehouse Place and 4 Angulo Bank. Ongoing, Cllr Ward having difficulty accessing information.

7. Council Garages at Mirehouse Place - Allocation and waste issues

1. Concern has been raised about possible misuse of garages to store PCC waste. This has a health and safety implication. Neither is it the intended use of a garage. Angle has several garages and their ongoing use and availability needs to be investigated as some are in a bad state of repair. [Cllr Ward will investigate.](#)

8. IronMan feedback and referendum

1. There is growing concern in the Village about the impact of this event on residents. Although we only experience a road closure on one morning, the impact is yearlong with cyclists riding the course most weekends. Having tried unsuccessfully last year to find out how the village could engage regarding the comfort stops and some financial benefit for the village, we now have the opportunity via PCC to submit our views. [Cllr Howells took photos and will forward to Cllr Ward for inclusion in his submission on behalf of ACC.](#) One point raised was the possibility of a route change.

9. Consultations. No responses from Councillors

3. Treasurers Report

1. Payments to be made.
 - 3.1.1. Poppy Wreath £20.00 agreed
 - 3.1.2. SLCC renewal ~£95.00 agreed
2. Bank Balances.
 - 3.2.1. Current Acc £8548.98 reconciled; Sun Edison Community Fund £8992.19 reconciled; Reserve account £4012.80 no change; Playpark Acc £33,902.08 no change
3. Audit and Budget Review
 - 3.3.1. The ongoing vacant clerical position continues to build up the projected end of year balances. Circulated for all to see. In addition, the training already undertaken has been free, again increasing our available funds. We will need to seriously consider our budget for 2023-2024. We will review again in December when we will need to be considering precept payments for the next financial year.
 - 3.3.2. IRP proforma re payments were posted and submitted in June.

4. Planning issues.

1. DNS/3261355 – Rhoscrowther Wind Farm Hearing- update from Hearing. 3 day Teams video call with relevant interested parties available for all or part of the event. Site meeting attended by Cllr Watkins on 27th Sept. Planning Inspector will present his report to Welsh Ministers on 24th October
2. 67 Angle village approved with conditions Previously discussed
3. 9 Angle village NP/21/0786/FUL this is ongoing application typographical error noted as the application is Not approved with conditions as per Sept minutes.
4. Pill NP/22/0459/FUL – approved by PCNPA.

5. Erebus offshore update. Due To bereavement Cllr Williams was unable to attend the fact finding trip to an offshore site in Scotland.
6. NP/22/0121/LBA Thorn Island amended plans. Cllrs support developments that will add something to the community, but have some concerns about the impact on the sea life and SSSI that the jetty might pose and also have reservations about the visual impact any projecting building above the wall enclosure will have on the character and architecture of the existing building.
7. Greenlink cable installation see part 1

5. Highway Issues

1. Village highway issues
 - 5.1.1. Passing places. Cllr Ward reported that PCC have commissioned a consultant review of the area identified for passing places. They are also mindful that any work will need to be undertaken during a quiet time to minimise any disruption
 - 5.1.2. Point Road. No news
 - 5.1.3. Parking. No updates
 - 5.1.4. B4320 near Carters Green. [Cllr Ward will monitor any changes and progression of any worsening dips and potholes at the noted site](#)

6. Training

1. Feedback from Cllrs Watkins and Williams.
2. OVW Bursary application and free webinars (For Information)
3. Hate Crime awareness week 8-15th Oct
4. Code of Conduct training 21st Sept feedback. Community Councillors from Angle, Hundleton, Stackpole and Castle martin attended. It was a very informative hours providing an overview of the Nolan Principles and introduced some scenarios to consider. Even when not acting as Community Councillors we have a responsibility to behave in a in a way that is courteous and accepting of different view. Social media in particular has been the down fall of several people in public office and should be used with caution.

7. Meetings attended by Cllrs and forthcoming meetings.

1. OVW area meeting - Cllr Williams meting deferred
2. Freshwater west parking meeting- Cllr Ward attended. Acknowledgement that the current fine is not a deterrent. Survey results pending
3. HDUHB presentation – A healthier Mid Wales- Cllr Williams Power point presentation circulated
4. RWE - Local Liaison Committee Briefing and Charity Afternoon Tea 20th Sept. [Cllr Ward unable to attend](#)

8. Communication received.

1. Mid and west Wales home fire safety officer. Cllr Williams has tried making contact but with no success, in the hope we could coordinate a day for village residents to have fire safety checks.
2. PCC poster re Mobile library. Monthly visits 1st Thursday of the month 15.15-16.15
3. CHC report. - circulated
4. Community Review Guidance - local democracy and boundary commission- circulated

Additional issues raised during the meeting will be deferred to the next meeting.



Date and time of next meeting: 2nd November at 18.30

1. TPO requirements

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