

# APRIL 2019

## Manordeifi Community Council

Minutes of the meeting held at Newchapel Reading Room on Tuesday 9th of April 2019 at 7.45p.m

### 156. PRESENT

Cllrs - Mr Alan Ford (Chairman), Mrs Liz Hall, M/s Caroline Davies, Mrs Margery Sullivan, Mr Aled Lewis and County Cllr John Davies (Deputy Clerk).

### 157. APOLOGIES

Mr Alan Wilson

### 158. Minutes of the monthly meeting held on the 12<sup>th</sup> March 2019

After circulation of the minutes, they were signed by the Chairman as a correct record. It was a unanimous decision proposed by Cllr Margery Sullivan and seconded by Cllr Aled Lewis.

### **Matters arising from the minutes of the last meeting.**

159. Annual Maintenance of Millennium Garden - Mr Paul Bishop of Rhoshill had agreed to carry out summer maintenance of the Garden. Mr Bishop is currently grounds man for Cilgerran CC . Members thanked Cllr Ford for reinstating the Millennium Garden sign.

160. Annual Dinner – Confirmed for the 18<sup>th</sup> of May at Nags Head @7.30pm. Menu circulated. Usual arrangements were agreed with choices by the 8<sup>th</sup> of May to the Clerk.

161. Response from Abercych Hall Committee to various matters – Cllr Alan Ford reported that there was very little appetite amongst the hall committee to contribute to a rota for watering the flowers during the summer. It was further confirmed that the flat roof at the front of the hall had been once again repaired. Cllr Ford would also follow up the request for advertising event signs to be removed sooner rather than later after each event.

162. Response to tree cutting at 1 Penrhiw Abercych - Cllr Caroline Davies informed the meeting she had spoken to the owners of No 1 Penrhiw who had agreed to trim back the offending growth. Since then some work had been carried out by the owners, but members felt that much more needed to be done to tidy up the whole are. It was agreed to consider the matter further at the next meeting in May.

163. Levelling of Water Tank Penrhiw -- Complete – Cllr Lewis was very much thanked for his kind gesture to carry out the work at no cost to the Council. Members appreciated his sterling efforts.

164. Report back on relocating / additional Notice Board in Abercych - Cllrs Ford informed the meeting that following consultation with property owners the best place for the notice board would be near the Royal Mail Post Box. Cllrs Sullivan and Davies would report back to the next meeting regarding the condition of the existing notice board at the Garden to ascertain if it was fit and worthy of relocating.

165. Safety Rails at Newbridge – Ceredigion confirmed repairs had been completed.

### **Correspondence**

166. Request for minutes of the Community Council to regularly be posted on Abercych Facebook site. – It was agreed to provide the link for the website on the facebook site for Abercych.

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## **Financial Matters**

167. Balance as of 09/04/19 net of all outstanding cheques – Treasures Acc £1,690.20p – was seen and noted as the end of year balance.

168. Payment of Annual Insurance to Zurich Municipal due on 15<sup>th</sup> May - £465.94p – Was agreed for payment.

169. Notice of Audit - Return by 3<sup>rd</sup> of June with the appointed date 29<sup>th</sup> of July 2019. – Was noted.

## **Any other business**

170. The Meeting was informed that Mr Edward Collins of Home James Taxis will sponsor and pay for the flowers for Newchapel. Members thanked Home James Taxis for their generous gesture. Mr Collins would be written to once the flowers were planted.

171. Cllr Aled Lewis informed the meeting that he had already started cutting the verge bank adjoining the playing field in Newchapel. Members expressed their thanks and gratitude to Cllr Lewis for his good deed.

172. Cllr Lewis requested that the clerk inform Mr George Cilgwyn Farm that Japanese knotweed required treating on a field hedgerow leading to the farm. Clerk was instructed to write to Mr George.

## **Date and venue of next meeting**

173. Monthly meeting and AGM Tuesday 14th May 2019 at Abercych at 7.45pm.

The meeting closed at 8.45pm

Signed as a true record by the Chairman

Date