## PEMBROKESHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL: LEADER'S CORONAVIRUS UPDATE, THURSDAY, 28TH MAY

Pembrokeshire County Council Leader, Councillor David Simpson, has provided a further coronavirus update for Thursday, 28th May, as follows:

'Tomorrow (Friday) we are expecting an update from Welsh Government in relation to the current guidance on Covid-19 and any adjustments to current restrictions.

'I would add our officers will be reviewing the update and taking appropriate action as required.

'Next week is the start of Volunteers' Week, which is very timely given the incredible response from volunteers across Pembrokeshire to the current pandemic.

'Volunteers' Week is a UK-wide annual celebration of volunteering which takes place every year.

'Each day during the week – which this year runs from 1<sup>st</sup> to the 7<sup>th</sup> June - our partners at the Pembrokeshire Association of Voluntary Services (PAVS) will be sharing stories on Facebook and Twitter, which are all about thanking our wonderful Pembrokeshire volunteers.

'It is heart-warming to see how our communities have pulled together over the last few months. Everyone has joined together to ensure we are all supported.

'I am aware of community unrest in some areas relating to people traveling from outside the county into Pembrokeshire.

'I want to assure everyone that we are reviewing any complaints received. Our enforcement teams do review and enforce (if this falls under our powers) and they liaise with the police as appropriate.

'The following coronavirus-related press releases have been issued today:

- Don't Be A Loan Shark Victim: <a href="https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/newsroom/dont-be-a-loan-shark-victim">https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/newsroom/dont-be-a-loan-shark-victim</a>
- Business Grants deadline:
  <a href="https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/newsroom/businesses-urged-to-apply-for-covid-19-grants-after-closing-date-announced">https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/newsroom/businesses-urged-to-apply-for-covid-19-grants-after-closing-date-announced</a>
  announced

'Public Health Wales is updating and adding to their resources regularly. Please find all assets here:

https://phw.nhs.wales/topics/latest-information-on-novel-coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-resources/

'Also, please keep an eye on our newsroom at: <a href="https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/newsroom">https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/newsroom</a>

'And to get daily email updates, log onto our website and sign into My Account at:

https://myaccount.pembrokeshire.gov.uk

'Don't risk catching or spreading the virus, why risk it? Remember: Stay Strong, Stay Safe and Stay at Home. Thank you.'

## Useful links:

- www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk/coronavirus
- www.sir-benfro.gov.uk/coronafeirws
- https://phw.nhs.wales/
- <u>lechyd Cyhoeddus Cymru Coronafeirws Newydd (COVID-19)</u>
  <u>- Cyngor hunan-ynysu</u>
- <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/coronavirus-covid-19-list-of-guidance">https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/coronavirus-covid-19-list-of-guidance</a>