

CYNGOR CYMUNED TREUDDYN COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting held Wednesday 13 February, 2019 at the Village Hall, Queen St., Treuddyn for 7.00pm.

1. CHAIRMAN : Cllr. Mrs G. Short

2. PRESENT : Cllrs. R. Cracknell (Vice-Chair), C. Swan, B. Jones & Mrs A. Thomas

3. APOLOGIES : Cllrs. Mrs C. Hughes, Mrs J. Smith, I. Roberts, Mrs C. Thomas & Ms B. Milne

4. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

6.50pm to 7.00pm

None present.

5. FCC PLAY DESIGN OFFICER

The Chair welcomed Mr Richard Roberts to the meeting to discuss the design and costing for a 'Small Wheel Play Area' at Queen Street play area.

Mr Roberts explained that 'Aura Leisure & Libraries' look after Leisure centres, Libraries and Play areas and also manage the Matchfunding Scheme.

It was also stated that Treuddyn play area is of a very high standard in which has been down to the hard work of TCC.

TCC has successfully been granted the full £10,000 FCC Matchfunding for 2018/19 Improvements to Play Areas. It was advised that TCC look at the concrete ramps for the small wheel play as the metal ramps are very noisy, planning permission would also be required.

Properties near the location of the proposed 'Wheel Play' area would have a say how it would impact them, It was agreed the location of the 'wheel play' would be better moving away from the properties.

'Small Wheel Play' is for the use of mini wheels, scooters and skateboards.

TCC will engage with the children and discuss what they want.

Mr Roberts also stated that £2200.00 has been contributed to the 106 payment with reference to the development of 'The Liver', Rhydtalog this will be checked and confirmed.

Members can look on the following sites as the following companies build and design concrete parks:-

Bencrete and Gravity Skateparks.

Cllr. Mrs Gill Short stated she would speak to the above design companies and also speak to FCC planning department for a pre-planning consultation.

6. PCSO REPORT

PCSO Peter Jones was unable to attend this evenings meeting.

Incident update (from 10/01/2019 to 12/02/2019)

Crime

1 x Theft of Oil and filter – Ffordd y Llan. Filter has been removed and oil taken overnight – All lines of enquiry completed, no suspect identified.

Anti-Social Behaviour

Nothing to report.

7. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

Agenda Item 8 – Village projects update / Footpath No. 26 – Cllr. Mr B. Jones

8. MINUTES OF THE MEETING – 9th January, 2019

The Minutes were adopted as a true and correct record

Proposed : Cllr. B. Jones Seconded: Cllr. C. Swan

8a. Matters raised from the minutes

Item 8 No.6 – Stanchions on Ffordd yr Odyn – The ditch is a safety Issue, to state a vehicle had a near miss of falling into the ditch.

Item 8 No.5 – It has been requested the planters are removed from in front of the ‘Farmers’ Ffordd y Llan. To date they have not been removed.

9. DEFIBRILLATOR

Further discussion to purchase a third Defibrillator.

It was discussed two possible sites to install the defibrillator:-

a) Middle of the village – Bus shelter on Ffordd Top y Rhos using a Street Light connection. (permission would be required from FCC Street Lighting Department).

b) Village Hall, Queen Street.

The Clerk gave information to Cllr. A. Thomas that gave costings and suppliers names.

Agenda – March Meeting for further discussion.

10. BUS SHELTER ON Ffordd Y RHOS (Nercwys end of Village)

The following information has been provided by Ruth Cartwright FCC Transportation.

The shelter can be installed in the coming weeks, however the company that provide the shelter can no longer make the adjustments to the end panels, this is due to the company changing hands and the operation they do being significantly downsized.

It was agreed by members present to go ahead with the installation with normal side panels, which would be the same as the one on Ffordd y Llan, and also go ahead with the landscaping to soften the impact of the shelter.

The Clerk to confirm with FCC the work is to go ahead.

11. VILLAGE PROJECTS (updates)

1. Footpath from Queen Street to Ffordd y Rhos – Cllr. G. Short is getting three quotes to finish the remainder of the path.

Dave Jones is spraying the weeds on the footpath and is trying to rectify the issues.

A report received that a private fence is leaning onto the footpath – this will be looked into and reported back to Council.

2. Footpath 26 – The following update received from Mr T. Woodall.

Unfortunately progress has been slow. The new Access Officer and Team Leader will be visiting the site this week (week commencing 11/02/19) and will be meeting with the landowner to agree a way forward.

There are complications and legalities with regard to the opening of this path and it will take time to resolve, however Mr Woodall has affirmed his commitment to get the path open as soon as they can.

The Clerk to request feed back of the meeting.

3. Treuddyn Cenotaph – The Clerk informed members an email had been sent to Mr S. Gillard / Blacksmith if he would consider making the Silhouettes – No acknowledgment had been received to date.

Royal British Legion – Treuddyn RBL closed a number of years ago so would be classed as a new branch if this was to go ahead.

It was agreed to invite Mr Tony Penny to the March meeting.

12. PLANNING

ADW/059416 Proposal: Erection of two storey and single storey rear extension

Location: 17 Ffordd Y Gilrhos, Treuddyn

No Objection

RMH/059379 Proposal: Change of use and alterations to form holiday unit.

Location: Travellers Farm, Travellers Farm Junction to Ff, Rhydtalog.

TCC observations put forward – to recommend that FCC Highways Department look closely at the access.

Planning Applications Determined

Ref: 059181 – Proposal: Change of use to dwelling

At: The Surgery, Ffordd Top y Rhos, Treuddyn..

Decision: Approved

13. CORRESPONDENCE

1. Visits to Town and Community Councils by the Independent members of the Standards Committee. The findings from the first four visits undertaken in October (included TCC), were received by the Committee. The four independent members agreed that these had been positive experiences and praised the level of commitment and contributions by those in attendance. They noted that the meetings had been well controlled by the Chairs (and Vice-Chair in one case), ably supported by Clerks.

Amongst the findings were some minor procedural points that may be of general interest and assistance to all Councils. The points focus on helping members of the public who wish to attend meetings.

The Committee hopes that the feedback is useful and wishes to acknowledge the dedication and good work undertaken by Town/Community Councillors in their voluntary roles.

14. PLAY AREAS

With reference to the decision of TCC to erect ‘NO Dogs Allowed’ signs on Queen Street play area, Including the footpath. It was brought to members attention that two young people had put up negative comments on public media posts in relation to the signs. The contents of what was written will be discussed with FCC.

15. BILLS FOR PAYMENT

1. Mr M. Fisher Grass cutting & verges	£107.76
2. HMRC Tax & NI December payment	£77.40
3. HMRC Tax & NI January payment	£77.60
4. C.J Thomas Clerks salary January	£351.47
5. C.J Thomas Clerks expenses January	£32.50
6. FCC Landscaping works / Trudy Cemetery	£2553.71
7. Scottish Power Street Lighting	£194.72
8. FCC Street Light maintenance	£492.30

16. STREET LIGHTING

No faults reported

17. COMMUNITY COUNCILLORS REPORT

1. Pothole – Before the turning left for Nercwys village (near the Wendy House)

2. Telecommunication Mast – TCC to support the application / Location is still to be decided.

No planning application has been submitted.

3. Broadband - Letters have been submitted to Openreach to provide a Fibre service for better broadband around the Black Mountain area.

4. Hedge requires cutting back from the top side of the Vicarage on Ffordd y Llan towards the bus shelter opposite Queen Street.

Chairman -----
13.03.19\

