Ceiriog Uchaf Cyngor Cymuned Community Council

Minutes of meeting held Tuesday10th September 2019

<u>Present – Clirs J Greatorex</u> (Chair), K.L.Benning, ,R.W.Edwards, F.Evans - Swogger, GM Jones, JW Thomas, T Bates (WCBC)

Apologies -

Declaration of interest – Cllr T.Bates declared that the Community Agent for Glyn Ceiriog , Dilys Bates, is his sister-in-law.

Minutes of last meeting held on 6^{th} August found to be a correct record. Proposed by Cllr JW Thomas & seconded by Cllr GM Jones

Matters Arising -

<u>199 Police Report</u> –Police report received. Ongoing patrols targeting off-road issues. Telephone fraud – do not give anyone your details!

<u>200 Finance/Bank</u> - Balance as at 3rd Sept £2817. Precept of £667 received 31st July. Outstanding cheques £500 plus £500 from last year for West Arms re loos. Clerk to chase up. Pay for 3 years hedge-cutting £189

<u>201 Tregeiriog Defibrillator -</u> Very slow getting power to bus shelter. In meantime, arrange to have it fitted to White House wall. Cllr J Greatorex to arrange with loan.

<u>202 Roads & Lighting –</u> No recent complaints re. lighting in Tregeiriog. Cllr Evans-Swogger reported pot-hole up hill from school.

203 Report from Committee Reps. - - none

204 A.O.B. -

Cllr Benning was concerned that employing a Community Agent would involve the Community Council in becoming an employer, with all its associated problems ?? Could they be employed by WCBC? Cllr Greatorex had understood that the Community Council would have to be the employer, as with other agents in the valley. Cllr T Bates said that the majority of the work was setting up the system but once set up, it was fairly simple. Cllr Greatorex to investigate whether the accountant who takes care of The Hand payroll was able to undertake the payroll of the Community Agent. Councillor Bates reported that a resident in Glyn had told him that the Community Agent had "...transformed my life.."

The DOG problem to be tackled.