

## Ceiriog Uchaf Cyngor Cymuned Community Council

### Minutes of meeting held Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Present – Cllrs J Greatorex (Chair), K.L.Benning, F.Evans -Swogger, GM Jones, JW Thomas, E. Owens, T.Bates (WCBC), Officer C2532 Griffiths North Wales Police

Apologies – none.

Declaration of interest -

Minutes of last meeting found to be a correct record. Proposed by Cllr Evans-Swogger & seconded by Cllr KL Benning

Matters Arising –

#### 229 Reports –

- a) **Police report** – Officer Griffiths C2532 reported 5 x ASBs; 3 x neighbour disputes (these should now diminish following relocation of one Council tenant); 2 x youth ASBs; 2 x burglaries ( 1 x electric bike & 1 x petrol mower); 3 x criminal damage (hedge & public toilets & sign); 1 x theft (Canolfan Christmas tree lights); 1 x off road related complaint. Problem youths have been issued several Police enforcement cards. One youth has been referred to Youth Offending Team. Other offences are being investigated at this time; evidence from new CCTV in Glyn Ceiriog. Police will continue to carry out off-road operations in the Ceiriog Uchaf area in the coming weeks. Cllr Evans-Swogger wished to express gratitude to Cllr Benning, who has been instrumental in having CCTV installed in Llanarmon & helping Llansantffraid Glyn Ceiriog Community Council with their installation. The Chair thanked Officer Griffiths for his attendance & report.
- b) **Cllr T Bates WCBC report** - Wrexham Town & Community Council Forum will be meeting at the Guildhall, Wrexham on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January at 4pm. It will be chaired by Mark Pritchard (Leader of the council). Attendance is encouraged.  
Statistics – Population of Wrexham County is 136,126. (Ceiriog valley 1,691); Average 42.2 years; 45-64-year olds account for 26.9% of the population; 270 population per square kilometre; Wrexham Ind Estate is second largest in UK; 68 schools in WCBC. Cllr Bates has meeting scheduled with our MP Simon Bates this Friday. Also meeting with Kevin Edwards re Way Farers & off-road inspection with Dave Pugh.

230 Finance/Bank -

Bank Account at 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	£2972
Outstanding In	none
Outstanding Out	<u>£ 275</u>
Two new cheques Out.....	£1000
	<u>£1697</u>

231 Community Agent -

Chair & Cllrs E.Owens & F.Evans-Swogger to commence interviews.

232 Strategic Documents -

The Chairman is still reviewing strategic documents.

233 Planning - none

234 Highways

This was largely covered in Cllr Bates's report & he will brief us as the next meeting.

235 A.O.B.

Railings – do we take the matter further? Cllr Evans-Swogger to draft a reply. Cllr Owens to assist her with a letter re Highways.

Planters – Youth Club has furnished an estimate for the cost of two planters which they wish to plant & maintain. One to be sited at the entrance to Llanarmon & one in Tregairiog. All thought this was a good project, but it was suggested a cheaper quote was needed from a local at Pentre Pant. It was agreed to pay the cost if less than £250.

Lights – Faulty on the Cwm Road & No.3 outside church.

Meeting closed 8.45pm

NEXT MEETING TUESDAY 4<sup>th</sup> February 2020