**BUSINESS MEETING OF THE COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

**HELD ON THURSDAY 27th April 2023**

**LLANRHAEADR YM VILLAGE HALL 7.30p.m.**

**PRESENT;**

M EDWARDS S BAILEY M B JONES T I MORRIS R EVANS ANN KLAGES (Clerk) Cllr ALED DAVIES

R T EVANS P DAVIES D W ROBERTS

J H MORRIS G BUCKLEY

**Members of the Public**: None

1. **Meeting opened with a PRAYER by** G Buckley **(W)**
2. **Apologies for absence –** M E HART
3. **Declarations of Interest – None**
4. **Richard Jones (PCC Right of way officer ) attended the meeting**
5. **Minutes of the March 2023 meeting were read and confirmed, and signed by T Evans (Chair)**
6. **Matters arising from previous meeting**
7. *Reported to PCC*
* *Street light – Number 2 Tan Llan - Cllr Aled Davies to speak to the owner to arrange to remove the ivy*
* *Bus shelters - update from  Kevin Jones (Corporate Transport Inspector)*  24 April 2023

I am still working on finding out when the second hand shelters should become available?

* *Damage to Cefnhir Bank bridge*

*Reported to PCC – update from PCC help desk – these issues have been passed to the local depot for an update – I am yet to receive an update*

* *Tybrith Bank – water on road*
* *Penybont Trewern - water on road*
* *Trap Cottage / Rhydycul – drains blocked on the corner at the bottom of the bank*
* *Arrange for drains/gutters on Maengwynedd road to be cleared. Some of the grids have been cleaned but water is still running down the road*
* *Chris Stead (Spar) has asked for the old broken grit box and rubble to be removed from behind the Spar- Cllr Aled Davies will speak to Chris to arrange to remove the broken grit box and also remove the rubble. Cllr Davies will request a new grit box from PCC*
* *Remove 2 Bins (Layby) Waterfall*
* *Pothole by Meirion House, Llanrhaeadr YM – patched but now water logged, surface work required. Cllr Aled Davies informed the councillors to wait until July to see if the surface work is on the PCC list for repairs. Roger Evans is going to contact Russell George to invite him to the village to view the surface work required from the square to the Three Tuns and to look at the bridge.*
* *Maes Derw – pavement and new nameplate signs at Maes Derw have been installed but are bilingual. Cllr Aled Davies explained that the pavement will be completed during the development and that the bilingual signs will remain in situ as it is a private development and there are no plans for PCC to adopt the road.*
1. **PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

*2 planning applications have been received since the last meeting, which have been emailed to the Councillors prior to this meeting,* ***no objections received***

***Approved 4/4/23***

*Application Ref: 23/0202/TEL Grid Ref: E: 311603 N: 331246 Proposal: 5m tower extension to the existing installation and relocation of 3 no. antennas and 2 no. dishes to the top of the extension (approved under application P/2018/0277). Installation of 6 no. new antennas and 4 no. ground-based equipment cabinets. Installation of remote radio units, mast head amplifiers, GPS node and associated ancillary works Location: Land at Maengwynedd, Oswestry, Powys SY10 0DE*

***New***

Application Reference: 23/0440/FUL Grid Reference: E: 314385 N: 325906 Proposal: Construction of an agricultural building to cover an existing livestock feeding yard Site Address: Parc Isa, Llanrhaeadr-YmMochnant, Oswestry, SY10 0DR

1. **REPORTS**

*Cllr Aled Davies reported as follows:*

*Powys roads winter service review*

*Powys will review the way Powys roads are serviced or treated during the winter months by applying a category to each road using a set of criteria.*

*Education*

*Llanfyllin Catchment Review originally started in 2020. A meeting was held on Monday 24th April. . Staff and governors were invited to attend engagement sessions to share local knowledge and ideas, to help shape the future of education in the area*

*Housing consultation*

*In progress, good opportunity for local residents to add their name to the housing list.*

*Leisure Centre services Consultation*

*In progress, Llanfyllin Leisure Centre could be at risk*

*PCC*

*Caroline Turner (Chief Executive) is currently off sick. Interim Chief Executive is Jack Straw.*

1. **CORRESPONDENCE**
* *Defibrillator – procedure is to call 999, ask for Ambulance and they will give the code. Rhian Gegin Fach has offered to look after the 2 Defibrillators in the village, the councillors agreed.*
* *Pavo- there is a new Community Connector for the Llanfyllin area - Bobbie Bowden- and the next Locality Network meeting is on Wednesday May 24th which will be face to face - the location is to be confirmed.*
* *Letter from Welsh Parliament - Coronation of Their Majesties The King and The Queen Consort – the BBC will be suspending the licence fee as part of a one-off dispensation to allow venues across Wales to broadcast the Coronation via big screens*
* *British Gas – Energy Bill Relief Scheme discount - £150 refund received*
* *PCC Playground Inspection – form to be completed by 9th June 2023*
* *Letter from Urdd 2024 appeal – the councillors agreed to donate £500*
1. **ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT**

*The following payments were approved by the Councillors.*

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| **Apr-23** |  |
| Caretaker | £150.00 |
| British Gas (Electricity) - Conveniences | £4.31 |
| Public Hall room rental (JAN 2023-Apr 2023) | £40.00 |
| Urdd Eisteddfod 2024 donation | £500.00 |
| Audit Fee 2020-2021 | £273.00 |

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1. **Any Other Business**

 *None*

1. **Future agenda items**

*New Xmas tree lights*

 **15. Date of Next meeting – *25th May 2023***

*The meeting closed at 9:10pm*

Signed (Chair) ………………………………… Date …………………………..