

## **Hirwaun and Penderyn Community Council**

### **Agreed Minutes of meeting 13<sup>th</sup> April 2017**

**Present:** Cllr C Woodley (Chairman): Cllr M Walters, Cllr D Walters, Cllr J Hartwell, Cllr J Brock, Cllr J Rossiter, Cllr J Myring, Cllr J Hill  
Cllr G Thomas,

**Apologies:** Cllr N Reed, Cllr M Phillips, Cllr T Penny, Cllr J Campbell,  
Cllr K Morgan,

**Attending:** PCSO

#### **2017/55 – Disclosures of Personal Interest**

None

#### **2017/56 - PCSO report**

The PCSO provided a report detailing the incidences of Anti-social behaviour, Burglaries/Theft and Criminal Damage in the Hirwaun and Penderyn areas. He advised that patrols were being undertaken in relation to anti-social behaviour at Hirwaun Welfare and Tramway. Patrols are taking place in Penderyn in relation to parking issues at Penderyn Primary School. Speed traps are continuing in Penderyn. In Hirwaun, patrols are continuing where drivers are known to cause obstruction. Joint patrols in both areas are taking place with the Fire Service as part of Operation Bernie which is in relation to grass fires.

The PCSO has asked residents to i) report any incidents of Anti Social behaviour ii) to keep an eye out for any grass fires, and to phone the fire brigade immediately if you come across one.

The next PACT meeting will be held on 16<sup>th</sup> May, at 5.30pm at Hirwaun Library.

Issues raised with the PCSO included:

- Cllr Hartwell – Motorcycles on the tramroad
- Cllr D Walters – Parking and traffic issues within the village
- Cllr Rossiter - Parking and traffic problem areas within the village

## **2017/57 - CBC reports**

A report was received from County Borough Cllr Graham Thomas that:

- A new play area has been installed at Llwyn Onn and work has commenced on the play area at Dolgynog. Both play areas have been jointly funded by RCT and the Tower Fund.
- Update on the proposed turning head at Penderyn: RCT maintain that the proposals for the new turning area remain the most cost effective way forward.
- A response has been received from Trivallis in relation to the Llwyn Onn garages, confirming that there are no plans to demolish or dispose of the garages there.

No report was received from County Borough Cllr Karen Morgan

Reports to the CBC'S:

There was nothing to report to Cllr Karen Morgan.

Reported to Cllr Graham Thomas:

- Cllr Brock reported that Penderyn Neighbourhood Watch want double yellow lines installed at Woodland Park, and have asked for the Community Council's support.
- Cllr Brock also raised a request for assistance with the issue of a duplicate postal address at Pont Pren which is causing issues with postal deliveries.
- Cllr Woodley reported that there is an issue with a problem with the drainage at Cwm Cadlan Road.
- Cllr Hartwell raised the issue of the speed signs recently installed in Penderyn. The Clerk advised Cllrs that RCT have advised that they have a legal duty to install the speed limit signs at the correct locations, and that the signs will remain in place.

## **2017/58 - Minutes of Previous Meetings.**

The minutes of the meeting of 9<sup>th</sup> March 2017 were proposed to be true and accurate by Cllr Hartwell and seconded by Cllr M Walters and agreed nem com.

Cllr Brock left the meeting at 7.10pm.

**Matters arising from the previous meeting:**

**2017/59 – Community Council website**

Discussions continued in relation to updating the Community Council website. **Action 1** – Discussions to continue next month.

**2017/60 – Fence at Tower Road**

The Clerk advised that this has now been repaired.

**2017/61 – Village Flower Baskets**

The Clerk advised that a response had not yet been received from Tower Colliery in relation to putting the flower baskets up for us this year. The contractor who has undertaken repair work to the baskets previously has indicated that they could do the work for us if Tower is unable to. **Action 2** – Clerk to chase Tower, and obtain quote from contractor if necessary.

**2017/62 - Planning Applications**

- i) Proposed double garage and hobby room – Hafan Dawel, 2 Ivy Cottages, Tramway, Hirwaun,
- ii) Construction of new canopy over existing car port. Demolition of existing canopy – 25 Ger Y Mynydd, Hirwaun,
- iii) Proposed outline planning permission for a detached dwelling with off road parking – Terry Evans Fabrications, Foundry Road, Hirwaun.
- iv) The construction of 3 townhouses and external works, and alterations to vehicle access – Car Parking Area at the Glancynon Inn, Hirwaun **Action 3** – Clerk to respond that the public right of way has to be protected, and to forward the full documentation to Cllrs for their further comment.
- v) Planning permission granted for Co-Op store and housing at the old Hirwaun Nursery site.

## Community Councillors reports:

**2017/63**– Cllr J Hartwell informed the meeting that:

- Tree cutting and clearance has taken place along the bypass along the A465. It was asked that the Clerk chase the amended plans for the A465 dualling. **Action 4** – Clerk to chase.

**2017/64** – Cllr M Walters informed the meeting that:

- Concerns have been raised by the residents at Johnsons Park in relation to the A465 dualling.

**2017/65** – Cllr J Rossiter informed the meeting that:

- There is a sold sign on Bethel House, can we find out what's happening with the right of way. **Action 5** – Clerk to contact RCT for an update.

### **2017/66** - Clerk's report

The Clerk recited the bills paid for the month which included.

Daisy Communications - £75.19

Zurich Insurance - £1,020.31

One Voice Wales - £399.00

No consultations were received.

The council had received the following correspondence:

1. OVW area committee meeting – next meeting 19<sup>th</sup> July
2. Email from Vikki Howells AM providing an update regarding Springfield Gardens.
3. Letter from the House of Parliament re Parliament Week 2017.
4. Welsh Walter event – 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2017
5. Tree Charter – The Community Council agreed to sign up to this.  
**Action 6** – Clerk to take this forward.

**2017/67 - Urgent items at the Chair's discretion**

None

**There being no other business the meeting closed at 7.40pm.**

Agreed