

Bargoed Town Council

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Dear Councillor,

The next meeting of Bargoed Town Council will be held at **6.00pm on Wednesday 12**th **January 2022**. The meeting will be held on a remote basis in accordance with the provisions of The Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021, and the business to be transacted is as set out on the agenda below:

<u>AGENDA</u>

- 1. To receive visitors from Gwent Police with a presentation on "We don't buy crime".
- 2. Apologies for Absence [Schedule 12 of the Local Government Act 1972 requires a record to be kept of the members present and that this record form part of the minutes of the meeting. Members who cannot attend a meeting should tender apologies to the Clerk.]
- 3. To receive Declaration of Interests or dispensations on any item(s) on this Agenda, if appropriate. [Councillors and Officers are reminded of their personal responsibility to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interest(s) in respect of any item of business on this agenda in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000, and the Code of Conduct for both Councillors and Clerk.]
- 4. Press and Public Participation Session. (Members of the public who wish to speak on any item on the agenda should contact the Clerk prior to the meeting)
- 5. To receive, approve and sign Minutes of the special meeting of Council 15th December 2021.
- 6. To receive, approve and sign Minutes of the monthly meeting of Council 15th December 2021.
- 7. Mayor's report.
- 8. To receive a verbal report from the Clerk on casual vacancies at Aberbargoed ward, discuss delegation of duties and provide instruction regarding the vacancies.
- 9. To receive the 2022-23 council tax base rate notification from CCBC.
- 10. To review the draft 2022-23 budget and confirm the precept demand.
- 11. Items from the Clerk:
 - **a.** Update on minute ref 15e from the last meeting.
 - **b.** Request from the assistant clerk regarding council photographs.
 - **c.** Equipment such as costumes/high vis coats etc.
 - d. Covid rules and ventilation update.
 - e. Working group.
 - **f.** Grant applications.
- 12. To receive ward reports.

In accordance with the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021 members of the press and the public are entitled to attend this virtual meeting. For connection details the Town Clerk should be contacted. Please note, if a member of the public or press wishes to speak on an item on this agenda, the clerk should be contacted in advance of the meeting.

Yours faithfully, H S Williams

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Helen Williams, Clerk to the Council

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