



Bargoed Town Council

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Dear Councillor,

22nd July 2022

The next meeting of Bargoed Town Council will be the Annual Meeting of Council to be held at **6.00pm on Wednesday 27th July 2022**. The meeting will be held on a hybrid basis using MS Teams in accordance with the provisions of The Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021.

The business to be transacted is as set out on the agenda below:

AGENDA

1. Police Report

2. To receive 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. To receive, approve and sign Minutes of the Full Council meeting 22nd June 2022.

5. 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)

6. Mayor's report.

7. Items from the clerk as follows:

- 7.1 Strategic plan update
- 7.2 Dates for the diary
- 7.3 Public Toilets
- 7.4 Update on minute reference 22062022-11 in respect of the resident petition.
- 7.5 Colour Laser printer and Bargoed Town Council banners investment request (£280 ex vat)
- 7.6 Authorisation requested to rearrange the meeting room and make more provision for public attendance.
- 7.7 Update on minute reference 22062022-9 in respect of OAP groups.

- 7.8 Aneurin Bevan Health Board Bulletins
- 7.9 Arnold Baker Handbook
- 7.10 Authorisation for Planning Aid Wales Training Access for One Year (£150)
- 7.11 Authorisation for bulk cable ties purchase (£209.10 inc vat)

- 8. **To receive draft unapproved minutes and a verbal report from the Policy & Resources Committee meeting 20th July 2022.**
- 9. **To receive draft unapproved minutes and a verbal report from the Events & Environment Committee meeting 21st July 2022.**
- 10. **To vacancies at Ysgol Gymraeg Gilfach Fargoed and Gilfach Fargoed & Park schools for a Minor Authority Representative and appoint Members to take up the position.**
- 11. **To consider recent statistics from the two area Foodbanks and discuss financial support.**
- 12. **To consider applications to the small grants programme as follows:**
 - Unique Ref: 220722-01. Taraggan Educational Gardens & Nursery.
 - Unique Ref: 220722-02. Margaret Street Allotments.
 - Unique Ref: 220722-03. Thriving Communities CIC (Hengoed Happiness & Wellbeing Group)
 - Unique Ref: 220722-04. Bargoed Male Voice Choir
 - Unique Ref: 220722-05. East view Allotments.
 - Unique Ref: 220722-06. Bargoed Community Choir
 - Unique Ref: 220723-07. Tuesday Club at Cartref (aka Knit & Natters)
- 13. **To receive a verbal report from the Community Engagement Committee and approve a budget allocation.**
- 14. **To review the DRAFT Training Plan and approve its' publication in accordance with the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021.**
- 15. **To consider recent work on the town centre clock project, receive residents' feedback and discuss options for the Covid memorial.**
- 16. **To receive verbal reports from each of the four Town Council ward areas.**

In accordance with the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021 members of the press and the public are entitled to attend this 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
Helen Williams,
Clerk to the Council