



Bargoed Town Council

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Dear Councillor,

The next meeting of Bargoed Town Council **Policy and Resources Committee** will be held at **5.30pm noon on Wednesday 26th July 2023**. 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, and the business to be transacted is as set out on the agenda below:

AGENDA

1. 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.]
2. 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.]
3. 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).
4. To receive, approve and sign Minutes of the Policy & Resources Committee meeting 28th June 2023.
5. To receive a verbal report from the Clerk regarding:
 - i) Quarterly inspection of the accounts;
 - ii) Error on last month's payment list of £144;
 - iii) Sourcing of geocache supplies;
 - iv) Resources for the community engagement committee;
 - v) Updates to the asset register;
 - vi) Query with SSE on the unmetered supply of energy for festive lighting 2022.
6. To review and approve bank reconciliation and payment lists.
7. To conduct a quarter one review of expenditure against the 2023-24 budget and a consider donations budget.
8. To consider applications to the Bargoed Town Council Small Grants Programme as follows:
 - i) Thriving Communities CIC
 - ii) Valley Daffodils
 - iii) Gilfach Netball Club
 - iv) Bargoed Community Choir
 - v) Bargoed Gardening Club
 - vi) Cartref Tuesday Luncheon Club
 - vii) East View Allotments
 - viii) The Parent Network

9. To consider a request from Bargoed Library to fund a school holidays event on 29th July 2023 delivered by Salvaged Creations at a cost of £225. (25 participants and their families to make bug barns and bird feeders from upcycled materials)
10. To consider a request for financial support from Eisteddfod Y Cymoedd which will be held on the evening of Friday 20th October 2023 at the Gwyndy Campus of Ysgol Gyfun Cwm Rhymini.
11. To receive communications from Clarke telecom regarding proposed upgrade to existing radio base station at Bargoed institute building and instruct the clerk of Members comments.
12. To consider correspondence from the Head of Regeneration and Planning at Caerphilly County Borough Council in respect of an application for change the use from A3 (Pub, bar, drinking establishment) to B1 (Business) Lennox House 1-3 West Street Bargoed CF818RZ.
13. To review and re-adopt the Welsh Language Policy.
14. To consider planning applications as follows:
 Case Ref. 23/0392/FULL Site Area: 330m²
 Location: 54 - 55 Hanbury Road Bargoed CF81 8QW (UPRN 000043073939)
 Proposal: Erect front dormers Case Officer: Joe Simmons ☐ 07874 641751 ☐ simmoj1@caerphilly.gov.uk Ward: Aberbargoed And Bargoed Map Ref:315133 (E) 199715 (N)
 Community Council: Bargoed Town Council Expected Decision Level:Delegated

 Case Ref. 23/0416/HH Site Area: 1161m² Location: 5 Pen-y-waun Cottages Bedwellty Blackwood NP12 0BB (UPRN 000043087185) Proposal: Demolish existing single storey integral garage, develop a side and rear two storey extension Case Officer: Joshua Burrows ☐ 07874 641749 ☐ burroj1@caerphilly.gov.uk Ward: Aberbargoed And Bargoed Map Ref: 316619 (E) 200780 (N)
 Community Council: Bargoed Town Council Expected Decision Level: Delegated

 Case Ref. 23/0423/HH Site Area: 154m² Location: 6 Yew Street Aberbargoed Bargoed CF81 9BE (UPRN 000043003367) Proposal: Erect first floor extension on existing ground floor extension to the rear Case Officer: Joe Simmons ☐ 07874 641751 ☐ simmoj1@caerphilly.gov.uk Ward: Aberbargoed And Bargoed Map Ref: 315661 (E) 200155 (N) Community Council: Bargoed Town Council Expected Decision Level: Delegated

 Case Ref. 23/0425/FULL Site Area: 1846m² Location: Land At Grid Ref 314836 198731 Western Drive Bargoed (UPRN 000043174983) Proposal: Create new access to allow use of vacant site for parking and storage of horse lorry Case Officer: Joe Simmons ☐ 07874 641751 ☐ simmoj1@caerphilly.gov.uk Ward: Gilfach Map Ref: 314836 (E) 198732 (N) Community Council: Bargoed Town Council Expected Decision Level: Delegated

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

Helen Williams

Clerk to the Council