

A meeting of Talylychau Community Council was held at Talylychau School on Tuesday 5th September, 2023 at 7.30 p.m.

The following members were present: Janine Roberts - Chairman, Aled Williams, Marged Bowen, Roger Thomas, Jane Morgan also Acting Clerk, County Councillor Fiona Walters. Apologies: John Williams, Rhys Williams.

There were no Declarations of Interest.

The minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed as correct.

Matters Arising.

Inspection of Graveyard. It was agreed to meet on Saturday 23rd September, at 10.00 a.m.

CPR & Defibrillator Awareness Session. Agreed to hold on 30.09.2023 at 11.00 p.m. at Talley C.P.School.

Pylons in the Tywi Valley. Automatic reply -Thank you for your e-mail to the Welsh Government received.

Statement Balance as at 28.07.2023 £11,408.44. 25.08.2023 £14,615.11. Checked by Janine Roberts. Remittance Advice dated 23.08.2023 received from Carms.C.C. re Precept £3,666.67 paid in 25.08.2023. It was agreed to pay the following. Invoice from Chris y Crudd for Plaque to be put on bench to commemorate Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee. £77.99 to Jane Morgan who has paid the invoice on behalf of the Council. It was agreed to leave the decision re sighting of bench to the Community Association but if they require ideas it was proposed that we suggest in the Garden. Lewis Fencing £504.00 for Cutting Grass on Community Field. Trywydd £409.25 for Translation Services. M & J Maintenance £600.00 July payment and £600.00 August payment for Churchyard Grass Cut. Letter from the Lloffwr requesting Financial Support to be discussed at end of financial year.

Correspondence received by mail and Correspondence forwarded by e-mail.

Letter received from Carms. C.C. re comments on existing polling stations and polling places. Notice of start of review 12 October, 2023. County Councillor Fiona Walters advised that she had contacted the Electoral Manager at CCC as Talley Church Hall was missing from the list of Polling Stations, and confirmed that Talley Church Hall is now showing on the list and the current electorate is 477.

Clerks & Councils Direct circulated.

Standing orders, Financial Regulations, Risk Assessment, Code of Conduct discussed. Standing Orders - The following to be added to Voting on Appointments (Page 14) – (Ref. 70 Extra Ordinary Meeting 14.10.2021.) The Chair proposes the following amendment to be made. Amendment to Standing Orders to allow a vote by secret ballot for the co-option of a new Community Councillor(s) and for other matters at the discretion of the Council and/or Chairperson. This to take immediate effect. Agreed that we adopt all.

Planning.

Application: PL/02495. Change of use of barn to residential dwelling – Lan House, Talley, Llandeilo, SA19 7BQ. No objections.

Any other matters and date of next meeting.

Letter of resignation as Councillor received from Pauline George. E-mail to be sent thanking Pauline for her services to the Council over the past years and wishing her well in the future. Jane Morgan to notify Carmarthenshire County Council of one vacant seat as Councillor. Jane Morgan to also get new Authority to be completed from Lloyds Bank to remove Pauline George as a signature and add Janine Roberts and Rhys Williams.

Meeting closed at approx. 9.15 p.m. Next meeting to be held on Tuesday 3rd October, 2023 at 7.30 p.m. in Talley School.

