

**MINUTES OF LLANDYFAELOG COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING  
HELD ON 4 DECEMBER 2025 AT 7.30PM**

**1. Present:** Cllrs Philip Davies (Chairman), Nicola Jones, Janet Knott, Elfyn Williams, Meinir James, Eifion Jones, Jenny Jones, Rheinalt Jones, County Councillor Tyssul Evans and Arfon Davies (Clerk).

**Apologies:** Cllrs Shan Rees, Carys Thomas and Viv Davies.

**2. Declarations of Interest**

No declarations.

**3. Public Participation**

It was noted that no Members of the public were in attendance on this occasion.

**4. Minutes of the meetings of Council held on the 6<sup>th</sup> November 2025 were confirmed and signed.**

**5. Matters Arising**

1. **Green Gen** – Council awaited further updates on the matter. Cllr Elfyn Williams provided details of a leaflet that had been posted within the Community.
2. **Planning application, PL/02147 in property in woodland area – Idole to Pentrepoeth** – Council awaited further updates on the matter. Noted.
3. **Road safety issues at Bancycafel** – Council awaited further updates on the matter. Noted.
4. **Council Chairman's Chain** – The Clerk continued to seek prices for new name badges for the Chain. It was agreed to include a budget provision on the 2026-27 precept for the necessary bars to be purchased.
5. **Pont Rhydyronnen** – Council awaited further updates on the matter. Noted.
6. **PL/09369 - 1-3 Gelligaeros Trading Estate, Cwmffrwd, Carmarthen, SA32 8DJ** – Council awaited further updates on the matter. Noted.
7. **Maesglasnant, Cwmffrwd** – Council awaited further updates on the matter. Noted.
8. **Teifi/Tywi link Community Councils – Meeting for Community and Town Councils in areas impacted by the pylon project** – The most recent meeting had been held on the 1<sup>st</sup> December with minutes to be circulated when received.
9. **Holes adjacent to the pavement at Bro Pedr** – The Clerk will look to confirm completion of these works.
10. **Road Safety at Llandyfaelog Junction** - Council awaited further updates on the matter. Noted.
11. **Donations made to Carmarthenshire County Council Toy Box Scheme and Urdd Gobaith Cymru** – Thank you letters were received for the Council's donations. Noted.

## **6. Correspondence**

- 1. One Voice Wales** – E-bulletin. Noted.
- 2. Ferryside Farm Caravan Park** – Request for support for provision of a tourist directional sign at Llandyfaelog / Ferryside junction of the A484. The Council will confirm its support of the application.
- 3. Carmarthenshire County Council** – Request from the County Council Standards Committee that the Council considers signing up to the Society of Local Council Clerks Civility and Respect pledge. The Clerk will circulate information on the matter and it will be considered at the next Community Council meeting.
- 4. One Voice Wales** – Newsletter. Noted.
- 5. One Voice Wales** – E-bulletin. Noted.
- 6. One Voice Wales** – Notification of Annual General Meeting to be held on the 21<sup>st</sup> January 2026. Cllr Meinir James will be nominated to attend the meeting on behalf of the Council.
- 7. Wales Regional Energy Strategic Plans** - Consultation on the Wales Regional Energy Strategic Plan Methodology. A possible response to the consultation will be considered.
- 8. Hywel Dda University Health Board** – Community and Town Councillor Briefing Sessions on the 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2025. Noted.
- 9. One Voice Wales** – Practice Development Note – Member Induction. Noted.
- 10. Carmarthenshire County Council** – Town and Community Councils Update. Noted.
- 11. Barclays Bank** – Statements. Noted.
- 12. One Voice Wales** – Training events. Noted.

## **7. National Grid – Llandyfaelog Sub-Station**

Members considered the Pre-Application Consultation received from the National Grid. A possible meeting with the National Grid will be requested for Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm

## **8. Idole Field and Council Amenities**

### **1. Tree Survey Works**

Confirmation was received that the works to be completed by the County Council were currently being contracted for completion by early February. Works by Lampeter Tree Services on behalf of the Community Council were to be scheduled. Works on the 3<sup>rd</sup> party land at Tir Gof had been approved to be carried out by the landowner.

### **2. Defibrillators**

The Clerk confirmed he was seeking to purchase 3 defibrillator pads for the defibrillators at Llandyfaelog, Bancyapell and Idole.

## 9. Community Handyperson

The Clerk confirmed 28 hours worked in November with a cost of £644.00 per month agreed.

## 10. Community Events 2025

### 1. Remembrance Sunday

The Chairman noted the Remembrance Sunday Commemorations on the 9<sup>th</sup> November and expressed the Council's thanks to the Llandyfaelog Church Authorities, Kidwelly Branch of the RBL and the Bugler for their support of the commemorations. Payment of £20.00 to the Bugler for travel costs was approved.

## 11. Banking and Payment Arrangements

The Clerk confirmed that work continued with progression of the electronic banking arrangements.

## 12. Planning

1. **PL/10001** - Variation of Condition 2 on PL/09003 (minor material amendments) - Pantgwyn, Idole, Carmarthen, SA32 8DG. No objections.

## 13. Accounts

**The Following Payments were approved:**

1.	Description	Salary	Expenses	Total Gross	Tax Deducted	Employers NI Contribution	Net Pay
Arfon Davies	November Salary	£775.54 £26.00	£11.70 £10.06	£823.30	£310.40	£53.78	£512.90

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| 2. Michael Leefe               | £644.00 | November Payment (see item 9)            |
| 3. The Play Inspection Company | £113.94 | Play Area Inspection<br>£94.95 plus VAT. |
| 4. Lucy Sullivan               | £20.00  | Remembrance Sunday Bugler<br>Expenses    |

## 14. Any Other Business

1. The Clerk noted the following matters reported to the County Council
  - a. Rocking Man Hole cover at Idole;
  - b. Flooding at Heol y Lan.
  - c. Deteriorating road surface between Bryncoch and Y Lan.
  - d. Pot holes between Cilgadan and Sgwar Bryncochbach.
  - e. Cloigyn Village sign which had been damaged.
2. A Plygain service was noted for Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December at Penygraig.

**The next meeting of Council will be held on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2026.**