

# **Cyngor Tref Llandeilo Fawr**

## **Llandeilo Fawr Town Council**

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### **Minutes of the Full Council Meeting of Llandeilo Town Council held on Wednesday, February 19<sup>th</sup> 2020 in the Dyfed Archaeological Trust Committee Room, Llandeilo at 7.30 pm.**

**Present :** Mayor Cllr Owen James, Deputy Mayor Cllr Robert Jones  
Cllr Edward Thomas, Cllr Colin Jenkins, Cllr Dawn Wallace,  
Cllr Gordon Kilby, Cllr Eifion Davies,  
Cllr Geraint Price, Cllr Christoph Fischer,  
Mr Roger Phillips (Town Clerk)  
Mr Christopher Plummer ( Finance Officer )  
Mr Eifion Jones ( Facilities Officer)

**Apologies:** Cllr Kevin Sivyer ( holiday), Cllr Christopher Parish ( OVW meeting)  
Cllr Lesley Prosser (personal)

**There were no Police Matters.**

**Min 290 / Feb / 20 Declaration of Interests. None.**

#### **Min 291 / Feb / 20 The County Councillor's Report**

Cllr Edward Thomas had sent in his report in advance of the Meeting. Cllr Thomas stated that he was investigating the availability of grants to 'smarten up' the Town.  
Cllr Thomas proposed that the Council write to Hywel Dda Health Trust in support of maintaining the Llandovery Cottage Hospital. Cllr Dawn Wallace seconded. All were in favour. Plans are in place for restrictions on vehicles entering the top entrance from Heol y Garreg Las to the two primary schools between 8.45- 9.15 a.m. and 3.00-3.45p.m.  
Congratulations were given to the Llandeilo Fire Fighters on their Cyclethon raising funds for their colleagues in Llandeilo New South Wales.

#### **Min 292 / Feb / 20 Previous Minutes.**

The Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held in the Dyfed Archaeological Trust Committee Room on Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> 2020 were read and confirmed as a true record with the correction of Minute 274 /Jan /20.

Proposed by Cllr Eifion Davies, seconded by Cllr Colin Jenkins. All were in favour.

The Minutes of the Planning Committee Meeting held in the Dyfed Archaeological Trust Committee Room on Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> 2020 were read and recommended for acceptance.

It was proposed by Cllr Robert Jones seconded by Cllr Dawn Wallace. All were in favour.

The Minutes of the Finance Committee Meeting held in the Dyfed Archaeological Trust on Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020 were read and recommended for acceptance. Proposed by Cllr

Edward Thomas, seconded by Cllr Dawn Wallace. All were in favour.

**Min 293/ Feb / 20 Matters arising from previous meetings.**

Re. Min 267.4/ Dec /19 The Finance Officer stated that the Council solicitor Edward Friend had been consulted regarding the leasehold invoice to Menter Bro Dinefwr. Noted.

**Min 294 / Feb / 20 Correspondence that requires a response**

1. Dyfed Powys Police Commissioner Conference 6<sup>th</sup> March in the Police HQ. Noted.
2. Welsh Government request for information re. Allotments.  
The Clerk was requested to contact Peter Williams, Llandeilo & District Allotment Association. Noted.

**Min 295 / Feb / 20 Correspondence for information**

1. Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales – draft supplementary Report. Noted.
2. OVW re. Consultation Events Beyond Recycling. It was decided to refer this to the Environment Subgroup for their consideration.

**Min 296 / Feb / 20 Financial Matters**

**1.Accounts for payment.**

	Net	Vat	Total
JW Thomas ( printing of the newsletter)	£ 423.00		£ 423.00

# - cheque \* bacs. These were recommended for payment. Proposed by Cllr Edward Thomas, seconded by Cllr Dawn Wallace. All were in favour.

**Min 297/ Feb /20 Other Financial Matters**

It was proposed by Cllr Edward Thomas, seconded by Cllr Eifion Davies that a donation of £100 be made to the Llandeilo Fire Brigade Appeal set up to help their colleagues in Llandilo New South Wales. All were in favour

**Min 298 / Feb / 20 Transportation and Highways**

Correspondence had been received from the Welsh Government stating that the start of the proposed Llandeilo Bypass was being delayed until 2022 whilst further options were being considered. The Welteg 2 consultation was likely to be held in April.

Councillors expressed their disappointment and annoyance at the decision.

It was proposed by Cllr Colin Jenkins, seconded by Cllr Eifion Davies that the Clerk write to the Welsh Government to request that a survey of the Llandeilo Bridge be carried out and a report sent to the Town Council following the recent floods. All were in favour.

**Min 299 / Feb / 20 To consider the Council's Policy on the Environment**

Cllr Lesley Prosser proposed that the Council consider increasing the number of Councillors on the Environment Subgroup. This would allow greater debate on the issues that concern both local residents and the wider communities. Cllr Dawn Wallace seconded. All were in favour.

The Mayor Cllr Owen James, Deputy Mayor Robert Jones and Cllr Gordon Kilby would join Cllr Lesley Prosser and Cllr Dawn Wallace to form the new subgroup.

The first meeting would be held on Tuesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6.00pm in the Hen Vic.

**Min 300 / Feb / 20 Mayor's Report.**

Cllr Owen James gave a report of events attended on behalf of the Council during the past month :-

- 31<sup>st</sup> January Attended concert at Bro Dinefwr, as President of the evening
- 29<sup>th</sup> January Attended Ysgol Gynradd Llandeilo Primary School and spent the afternoon with the children, hopefully inspiring some to get involved within the Town at an older age.
- 4<sup>th</sup> February Attended a meeting with Rhidian from the Cawdor and Cllr Edward Thomas re. Parking issues in the Town.
- 11<sup>th</sup> February Spoke to BBC and S4C regarding the delay of the decision for a bypass or another form of resolution.
- 15<sup>th</sup> -16<sup>th</sup> Completed the Llandeilo Firegade Cyclethon. Well done to the team with their charity appeal.

**Min 301 / Feb / 20 Other Reports**

1. Parks Management Subgroup meeting held on February 18<sup>th</sup> 2020. Noted.

**Min 302 / Feb / 20 To Receive Nominations for Mayor for 2020-21**

Cllr Edward Thomas proposed Cllr Robert Jones as Mayor for 2020-21.

Cllr Eifion Davies seconded. All were in favour.

Cllr Robert Jones accepted the Nomination.

**Min 303 / Feb/ 20 To Receive Nominations for Deputy Mayor for 2020-21**

Cllr Gordon Kilby proposed Cllr Lesley Prosser as Deputy Mayor for 2020-21.

Cllr Edward Thomas seconded the proposal.

All were in favour.

Cllr Lesley Prosser accepted the Nomination.

**Min 304 / Feb/ 20 There were no other items of business that by reason of special circumstances, the Chair decides should be considered as a matter of urgency, pursuant to Section 100B(4)(B) of the local Government Act 1972.**

Meeting closed at 8.34pm