

## Cyngor Cymuned Tregynon Community Council

Minutes of Tregynon Community Council's meeting held on 13 February 2025 at 8pm following the Wind Farm Trust meeting. *Present at start of meeting:* Cllrs M. Davies (Chair), S. Williams, T. Breese, H. Hulme, M. Watkin, J. Shearer, D. Bumford and the Clerk Rachael Jones.

Playground inspection sheets were handed in by Cllr Hulme. Cllrs Morris and Yeomans had sent apologies. There were no declarations of interest.

*Minutes:* The councillors reviewed and accepted the minutes of the November 2024 meeting. There were no matters arising. The January 2025 meeting was cancelled owing to poor weather conditions, but the councillors were able to agree the precept for the forthcoming year via a digital meeting. They agreed to ask for £20,000 with some of it earmarked for playground work.

*Planning:* 24/1878/FUL (Erection of rural enterprise dwelling, formation of vehicular access and installation of treatment plant at Dolymelinau). The councillors decided to support this application. *Planning applications received after distribution of agenda (at Chair's discretion):* 25/0135/HH (Erection of single storey extension and extension to curtilage Site Address: Bron-Rhys). The councillors decided to support this application.

*Highways:* Potholes were identified on all the roads in the area, notably on the Bettws road, the New Mills road and in front of the church. It was noted that salt heaps are required on rural roads. Flooding near the New Mills bridge was reported to be of concern. The flooding comes from the boundary stream between Tregynon and Dwyriew. Clerk to report all of this to Highways. Dog fouling was noted.

*Bus shelter:* Cllr Hulme has purchased a whiteboard for the shelter.

*Playground:* Cllr Morris has obtained a quote for restoration of parts of the tri-play. Clerk to write to Ray Parry to accept the quote of £1794.00 +VAT.

*Cemetery inc. gravestones:* The councillors discussed the damaged gravestone. Clerk to prepare a letter for review. Clerk to ask Jeff Pughe for a copy of his public liability insurance.

*Playing field/Amenity land:* There was no news on the playing field sign, which was ordered a long time ago. An update is needed from Cllr Morris.

*Finance:* Current account: £16,335.86. Reserve: £16,091.17. Four invoices were presented for payment: Clerk's fee and expenses (£633.00); Audit Wales (external audit) £305.00; Jeff Pughe (groundworks) £4500.00; Heulwen Hulme (refund of expenses) £118.97. These were all approved and the cheques signed. The clerk had sent round a bi-monthly reconciliation in January.

*External reports:* The parochial charities have held a meeting and given out one grant. There will be another meeting in April. Cllr Hulme gave a report on county-wide matters.

*Correspondence:* None. *AOB:* Gerizim telephone box needs a new door. Clerk to write to BT to see if they have a spare door. *Items for next agenda.* Playing field sign, phone box, gravestones.

*Date of next meeting:* Thursday 13 March 2025. The meeting ended at 9.10 pm.