

A meeting of the Llangurig Community Council was held on 16 March 2015 at 7.30 p.m. in the Church House. Councillors present were J Lewis (chair) C C Davies, L Higgitt, G M Jones, P Jones, P Windsor, R Williams.

1. Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs I Bound, M Bound and B Jones.
2. Declarations of Interest – there were no declarations of interest.
3. Minutes of Meeting of 16 February 2015 were accepted, signed and dated as a true record. Proposed by Cllr P Windsor and seconded by Cllr L Higgitt.

4. Matters Arising

- a) Renewal acknowledgement from One Voice Wales.
- b) Newtown by-pass – acknowledgement of our letter of support from Welsh Government.
- c) Smoke from Biomas area – Cllr G Jones reported that the situation had been addressed.
- d) Provision of Defibrillator – the Chairman reported that he was still awaiting information concerning the donation.

5. Planning Applications – there were no applications for consideration.

6. Correspondence

- a) Two letters from Philip Asquith, Authority's second written questions request for further information, notifications of further hearings and accompanied site inspection/Notice of procedural decision – for information.
- b) Letter from Powys County Council re Reduction in Branch Library Opening Hours – for information.
- c) Letter from Powys County Council - Annual Inspection Children's play areas – not applicable.
- d) E-mail from One Voice Wales – Consultancy Services Available to Member Councils – for information.
- e) E-mail from em.planningresource.com regarding Online Planning Seminar – special offer to Council Members – for information.
- f) Local Democracy & Boundary Commission for Wales – Spring News – for information.
- g) Resource Efficient Wales – Advice and information energy waste and water – for information.
- h) HSBC Community Account as at 15 February 2015 £2,190.11.
- i) Play for Wales – Spring brochure – for information.
- j) Clerks & Councils Direct – March 2015 – for information
- k) National Resources Wales – Come on board – invitation to become a Board Member – www.naturalresourceswales.gov.uk
- l) E-mail from Powys County Council Easter recycling collections – for information.
- m) National Plant Monitoring Scheme – for information. Clerk to post details on Notice Boards.
- n) Wales in Bloom Campaign – for information.

7. Financial Assistance – there were no requests for financial assistance.

8. **Payment of Bills** – there were no bills for payment.

9. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Monday 20 April 2015 at 7.30 p.m. in the Church House.

10. Highway Matters

- a) Cllr P Jones presented letter and supporting papers concerning the issue with flooding at ford adjacent to Maes Colwyn Bungalow Old Hall Llanidloes. Clerk to contact relevant Powys County Council officer.
- b) Steps at Maesyllan estate Llangurig (raised in October by Chairman) Clerk to chase Adrian Jervis. Response from Adrian confirmed that the request was forwarded to Wynn Gwalchmai (Local Environment). Clerk forwarded request however Wynn Gwalchmai on annual leave until 30 March 2015. Follow up e-mail sent 13 April 2015.
- c) Cwmbelan Brook - bank coming away from the main road into road, opposite side to near where Severn Trent water tanks are situated.
- d) Dog excrement reported by Cllr P Windsor in October 2014 – Clerk reported to Environmental Health, situation still exists – Cllr G Jones to intervene.
- e) Planning Applications where Community Council oppose or support – Cllr G Jones stated that criteria can be found in Written Statement UDP- October 2004 and UDP Montgomeryshire 2001-2016. Clerk to check whether these publications are in Community Council's possession.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.35 p.m.