

Cyngor Cymuned CARNO Community Council

Minutes of the Meeting of Cyngor Cymuned Carno Community Council.

Held on: Tuesday 16th May 2023.

Time: 7.30pm.

Location: The Cledan Room, Canolfan Gymdeithasol Carno Community Centre.

1. Present.

- 1.1. Cllrs: J.C. Barnes (Vice-Chairperson), J.P. Ellison, D.I. Jones, M.H. Jones & W. Le Maître.
- 1.2. Alan Humphreys (Clerk to the Council).
- 1.3. One Member of the Public.

2. Apologises for Absence.

- 2.1. Cllrs: S.R. Kiely, T.H. Thomas & J.G. Thomas (Chairperson).
- 2.2. Cllr. Les George, Powys CC Ward Councillor.

3. Declaration of Interest.

- 3.1. No Declarations of Interest were made.

4. Approval of the Minutes of the Previous Meeting.

- 4.1. It is noted that this Meeting (May 2023) should have been preceded by the 2023/2024 Annual General Meeting. Due to several Councillors being absent, it was agreed that the 2023/2024 AGM would be postponed until the June 2023 Meeting (20th June 2023)
- 4.2. In the absence of the Chairperson, Cllr. J.C. Barnes chaired the Meeting.
- 4.3. The Minutes from the Meeting of Cyngor Cymuned Carno Community Council held on Tuesday 18th April 2023 at 7.30pm in the Cledan Room, Canolfan Gymdeithasol Carno Community Centre were unanimously approved.

Proposed: Cllr: M.H. Jones Seconded: Cllr: D.I. Jones.

5. Matters Arising.

5.1. Highway Matters reported to Powys CC.

Location.	Issue.	Powys Ref.	Comments.
Trem y Noddfa Carpark. SY17 5LJ.	Potholes.	JD171795	Powys CC Housing are responsible. 16.08.2022. Cllr Les George reported he had chased the matter again.
	Blocked Drain.	JD188470	
Cwm Llwyd Road. SY17 5JY.	Potholes.		09.11.2022. Job raised. 21.02,2023. Some repaired but more required.
Minor Roads Carno.	Sweeping.	8940-8888-6976-0269	23.12.2021. Reported. 11.01.2022. Job Ticket raised. 09.11.2022. Scheduled but no sweeper available.
Puddles, Pwll Llydan SY17 5JY.	Flooding.	6806-9598-7763-4809	24.02.2022. Reported. 07.03.2022. Still Active. 09.11.2022. Job to address layby and new gullies raised.
Frankwell. SY17 5LP.	Overgrown. Flooding issue	6178-0656-5808-6548.	25.10.2022. Under investigation 28.10.2022. Passed to Powys CC Land Drainage Section.

5.2. Maintenance Issues reported to Mid & North Wales Trunk Road Authority.

Location.	Issue.	TRA Ref.	Comments.
None.			

5.3. Ward Councillors Report. (PCC Cllr Les George).

5.3.1. In Cllrs George's absence there was no report.

5.4. Carno Station Action Group Report. (Cllr. J.C. Barnes).

5.4.1. Cllrs Barnes reported that it hopeful that Welsh Government would be responding to CSAG soon.

5.5. Place Plan. (Cllr J.P. Ellison)

5.5.1. Cllr. Ellison said that it was his intention to reconvene the working group soon.

5.6. Public Convenience.

5.6.1. Steel Doors. Cllr Barnes reported that he had found a contractor who could fit the door provided by the Council.

5.7. Defibrillator.

5.7.1. The Clerk had established that the cost would be in the region of £1,500 £2,000 and had been advised there was grant funding available.

5.7.2. Cllr Ellison said he had details of a person trying to co-ordinate defibrillator locations and create a centralised register and would forward details to the Clerk.

5.8. Secondary School Allocation.

5.8.1. A letter of support had been supplied to a resident who was seeking to have their child sent to Llanidloes HS rather than Machynlleth.

5.8.2. Powys CC approach seems to be that it is Machynlleth or nothing and the meeting was concerned to learn that several parents were considering moving their child to a school which would have Llanidloes HS as an option. This would be to the detriment of Ysgol Carno who would start to experience declining numbers.

5.8.3. It was resolved that the Clerk would contact Russell George MS urgently to highlight the problems that Powys CC are causing.

5.9. Bus Shelters.

The Clerk would ask the Mid & North Wales Trunk Road Authority and Traws Cymru as to had provided the bus stop.

6. Planning.

6.1. Planning Applications.

Application No.	Location.	Description.

6.2. Planning Approvals.

Application No.	Location.	Description.
2023 0078 FUL	Rallt. SY17 5JX.	Solar array & associated works.

6.3. Planning Refusals.

Application No.	Location.	Description.
	None.	

6.4. Planning Applications Awaiting a Powys CC. Decision.

Application No.			Location.	Description.	Council's Response.
2010	0890		Esgair Cwmowen Windfarm.	Additional information.	No Objection.
2022	0969	LBC	Plas Newydd. SY17 5JR.	Listed Building work.	No Objection.
2022	0971	HH	Plas Newydd. SY17 5JR.	Roof, Window, Internal work.	No Objection.
2023	0410	FUL	Hendre Fach. SY17 5JY	Change of use to commercial.	Support
2023	0411	OUT	Hendre Fach. SY17 5JY	Rural enterprise building. work.	Support

6.5. Planning Decision Lists.

3rd to 14th April 2023.	None in Carno.
17th to 28th April 2023	1 in Carno. See 5.2.

6.6. Planning Breach.

6.6.1. Planning breach Glanhanog Barns SY17 5JU. Ref: BOC/22/0263 /7129-4900-8241-7601. No new information has been received from Powys CC.

7. Correspondence.

7.1. Abbreviations.

CA.	Citizens Advice.
CMI.	Cambrian Mountains Initiative.
CSAG.	Carno Station Action Group.
IRP Wales.	Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales.
MWWFRS.	Mid & West Wales Fire & Rescue Service.
NMWTRA.	North & Mid Wales Trunk Road Authority.
NRW.	National Resources Wales.
OLPW.	Older Peoples' Commissioner Wales.
ONS.	Office for National Statistics.
OVW.	One Voice Wales.
PAVO.	Powys Association of Voluntary Groups.
PAW.	Planning Aid Wales.
PCC.	Powys County Council.
Powys CHC.	Powys Community Health Council.
Powys PSB.	Powys Public Service Board.
Powys RPB.	Powys Regional Partnership Board.
Powys THB.	Powys Teaching Health Board.
RNID.	Royal National Institute for the Deaf.
TfW.	Transport for Wales.
WG	Welsh Government
Welsh TRA.	Welsh Government Trunk Road Authority.
WISERD.	Wales Institute of Social & Economic Research & Data.
WLGA.	Welsh Local Government Association.

7.2. Received by Post.

Clerk & Councils Direct.	Newsletter.
Powys THB.	Celebrating Powys Local NHS Heroes for the NHS 75 th Birthday.

7.3. Received by Email.

(Emails listed were received by the Clerk since the last Meeting and were forwarded to Councillors for their consideration.).

PAVO.	Sustainable Horticulture Course and Gardening Welcome Days.
Wales NHS.	Update on the EMRTS Service Review.
Powys CC.	PCC and Town & Community Council Meeting Thursday 27th April 2023.
Powys CC.	Local Promotion of Public Engagement - Air Ambulance Service in Wales.
OVW.	Wales Air Ambulance Consultation.
OVW.	April & May 2023 Training Dates.
Powys CC.	Powys roads winter service review.
OVW.	Nature Wise - Eco Literacy Course. (Moondance).

Wales NHS.	Update on the EMRTS Service Review.
OVW.	Survey – Local Places for Nature Officer.
Hywel Dda Health Board.	Additional dates. Hywel Dda consultation new planned & urgent care hospital.
20Plenty.	Invite for Carno Community Council to our 3rd Diolch am 20.
WG.	Written Statement: Democratic Health of Community and Town Councils.
William Craig MP.	April 2023 Newsletter.
OVW.	Draft Minutes - Montgomery Area Committee 13.4.23.
Cwm Taf Morgannwg HB.	Update on the EMRTS Service Review.
Heritage Hub 4 Mid Wales.	Preserving & Celebrating the Legacy of Bernard & Laura Ashley in Mid Wales with the long-term aim of generating Heritage Tourism of Powys Mid Wales
Ms. L. Rollin.	Laura Ashley Clarification.
Powys CC.	Developments of National Significance (DNS).

8. Finance.

8.1. Expenditure & Income.

The May 2023 Schedule of Payments (as attached) was unanimously approved.

Proposed: Cllr: M. H. Jones. Seconded: Cllr: J.P. Ellison.

Payment Summary

No	Payment Reference	Invoice	Details	Amt Paid
14	14May23		Citron Hygiene UK Ltd - Sanitary Disposal Units April/June 2023	£252.72
17	17May23	150	DT Ground Maintenance - Grounds Maintenance May 2023	£644.00
20	20May23	74040622	Opus Energy Ltd - Convenience Electric April 23- May 2023	£158.75
21	21May23	39	Carl Jones - Convenience Cleaning April 2023	£86.67
15	15May23		Community First Trading Ltd - Council Insurance 2023/2024	£1,070.83
18	18May23		HMRC (PAYE/NI) - Clerks Tax April 2023	£99.00
19	19May23		Alan Humphreys - Clerks Salary April 2023	£395.87
Total				£2,707.84

8.2. Account Summary after Approval of Income & Expenditure.

Account	Balance	Total	Approval at May Meeting		Projected Balance 31.05.2023
	01.05.2023		Expenditure	Income	
Precept	£26,533.23	£34,654.13	£2,707.84	£5,355.00	£29,180.39
Cemetery	£8,120.90		£0.00		£8,120.90
Interest	£0.00		£0.00		£0.00
Total					£37,301;29

9. Matters for Discussion.

9.1. Matters Raised by Councillors.

Cllr. D.I. Jones asked that Powys CC were chased regarding the pothole along the Cwm Llwyd Road/Y Cwm

Cllr. M.H. Jones mentioned that he had been approached regarding the lack of ‘thing to do’ for teenagers. The Clerk said he had also been approached. It appears that a meeting is to be held through which the requirements would be identified.

Cllr. S.R Kiely (through Cllr. M.H. Jones) asked that a Meeting with the Police be arranged as soon as possible.

Cllr. J.P Ellison asked that the Trunk Road Authority be asked to remove the unsightly signs on the A470 that are prevalent throughout the village and surrounding area.

9.2. Date of the Next Meeting.

This will be on 20th June 2023 at 7.30pm in the Cledan Room, Canolfan Gymdeithasol Carno Community Centre following the 2023/2024 Annual General Meeting.

The Chairperson closed the Meeting at 8.50pm.

Signed:

Alan Humphreys

Alan Humphreys
Clerk to Cyngor Cymuned Carno Community Council.

Signed as a true and accurate record of the Meeting of Cyngor Cymuned Carno held on
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Signed:

Date: 20th June 2023

Cllr. J.C. Barnes
Vice-Chairperson