

# **TAFF'S WELL AND NANTGARW COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

## **COUNCIL MEETING Tuesday 11 March 2025 MINUTES**

<b>1.</b>	<b>No questions to the Community Council</b>
<b>2.</b>	<b>Attendance</b> Cllr's Bonetto , Edmunds , Edwards , Komduur , Probert , Lamford , Ashman Clerk  Apologies Cllr's Thomas , Lintern , Jones
<b>3.</b>	<b>Declarations of Interest</b>  Cllr Bonetto – RCT Member , Community Hub , Friends of Taff's Well Park , Xmas Lights , Soup Dragons Cllr Edmunds - Community Hub , Friends of Taff's Well Park , History Group , Soup Dragons , Nature by the Taf Cllr Probert – Soup Dragons , Taff's Well Pensioners
<b>4.</b>	<b>Minutes</b>
4.1	Approved the Minutes of the meeting , 18.02.25
4.2	No matters arising from the Minutes not on the agenda .
<b>5.</b>	<b>Planning Application</b>  Domino Pizza ( Hawthorn / Nantgarw ) – proposed opening timings to 4.00 am  It was agreed to object to the opening times given the noise / disturbance likely to be caused to residents .

<p><b>6.</b></p>	<p><b>Police Report</b></p> <p>Crime stats circulated prior to the meeting .</p>
<p><b>7.</b></p>	<p><b>Member Reports</b></p> <p>Cllr Lintern  – Old Nantgarw School , Quarry Lane  Can the fence either be put back up or removed ?</p> <p>As the building is privately owned this is not a matter for RCT .</p>
<p><b>8.</b></p> <p>8.1</p> <p>8.2</p>	<p><b>Financial Reports and Statements</b></p> <p>March Payments &amp; Employee Costs Approved</p> <p>Noted Income &amp; Expenditure , year to date</p>
<p><b>9.</b></p>	<p>Update on Projects :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Two picnic tables with seating for Taff’s Well Park , one by the basketball court &amp; the other one by tennis court / play park ( RCT contacted 14/11/24, reminded 18/02/25 )</li> <li>- Additional bus shelter for Nantgarw , on road from roundabout by big wheel to A470 roundabout ( shelter only on 1 side of road ) ( RCT instructed to carry out the work on 15/11/24, reminded 18/02/25 )</li> <li>- Highway signage  With TfW works coming to an end RCT are to be requested to undertake a review of the signage in Taff’s Well.  In addition , RCT are to be requested to consider including on the signage at each end of the Village images explaining that Taff’s Well is the home of the only Thermal Spring in Wales .  ( RCT contacted 14/11/24 , reminded 18/02/25 )</li> <li>- Tree planting locations proposed by Cllr Lamford were agreed &amp; in</li> </ul>

	<p>the first instance permission to plant will be sought from RCT . ( RCT contacted 18/02/25 , sent to JB 11/03/25 )</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tree planting location opposite Ladybird Cleaning proposed by Cllr Edwards ( NRW contacted 19/02/25 )</li> <li>- Bench on Taff trail proposed by Cllr Edwards ( RCT contacted 19/02/25 )</li> <li>- Community Noticeboard - Cllr Lamford It was agreed to ask RCT for permission to install a community noticeboard on the corner by Taffs Well school and the Hub. ( RCT contacted 18/02/25 )</li> <li>- Dragonsavers Credit Union to promote their activities ( contacted 11/03/25 )</li> <li>- Signage to the Community Hub – Cllr Lamford ( Cllr Bonetto to pursue )</li> <li>- Abbey Close , Ty Rhiw – Cllr Bonetto The overgrown land by the community centre has been cleared by RCT &amp; residents wish to take responsibility for future maintenance &amp; create a number of planters which will improve vehicle parking . Cllr Bonetto is to find out anticipated costs .</li> </ul>
<p><b>10.</b></p>	<p><b>Grant Applications – None</b></p>
<p><b>11.</b></p>	<p><b>Clerk’s Salary ( incremental salary range scp 24-28 )</b></p> <p>It was agreed that payment be at scp 28 from the 1<sup>st</sup> April 25.</p>
<p><b>12.</b></p> <p><b>12.1</b></p>	<p><b>AOB</b></p> <p>Cllr Edmunds referred to a project to retain historical chapel documents &amp; an anticipated grant application from the History Group.</p>

<p><b>12.2</b></p> <p><b>12.3</b></p> <p><b>12.4</b></p> <p><b>12.5</b></p>	<p>Cllr Bonetto , RCT to carry out resurfacing works on Cardiff Road , including the pedestrian crossing by the Co-Op ( end of March )</p> <p>Ty Rhiw Cemetery Chapel RCT to be asked about the fencing around the Chapel Cllr Bonetto to be given contact in Corporate Estates ( 11/03/25 )</p> <p>Cllr Bonetto – Licensing application from Oxford Street Express The Council was unanimous in agreeing to object to the proposed opening hours</p> <p>Cllr Edwards - Taff trail behind Ty Rhiw – very overgrown &amp; starting to block the path . ( Sustrans contacted 11/03/25 )</p>
	<p><b>Date of Next Meeting</b></p> <p>Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2025 commencing 6.00pm</p>

**\*Denotes Document Attached**