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# TONNA COMMUNITY COUNCIL CYNGOR CYMUNED TONNAU

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## TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

Dear Councillor,

The next Ordinary Meeting of Tonna Community Council will be held on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 at Tonna Primary Community School, School Road, Tonna, immediately following the AGM

Your attendance is kindly requested. The Agenda appears below.

Yours faithfully,

*Peter L White*

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Clerk to the Council.

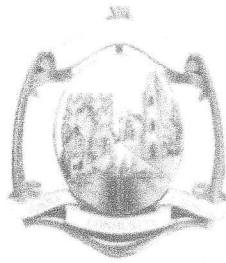
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## AGENDA

- 1) Apologies
- 2) Declaration of interests
- 3) Community Police Matters
- 4) County Borough Councillors Report
- 5) To confirm the Minutes of Meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> April, 2019.
- 6) Matters arising
- 7) Delegates Report
- 8) Playgrounds
- 9) Wish List
- 10) Correspondence
- 11) Planning
- 12) Accounts monitoring
- 13) Financial Matters

To confirm the date of the next Ordinary Meeting of the Council to be held on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup>, June, 2019, commencing at 7.00 pm.

Please notify the Clerk by 10<sup>th</sup> May if there is any item that you may wish to be added to the Agenda.



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Council Meeting held at Tonna Primary Community School, School Road, Tonna, commencing at 7.00 pm, on Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> May, 2019.

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Chair, Cllr. H. Bradley

Present Cllr's. Ms. J. Barnes, Mrs. C. Harper, D. Harrison, M. Hughes, C. Powell, S. Radford, M. Rowlands and W. Walters

2715 Apologies

Cllr's. C. Roberts and C. Williams

2716 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

2717 Community Police Matters

There was no police presence at tonight's meeting. The Clerk reported that Cllr Ms Johanne Barnes had attended the May Pact Meeting. She was able to report that there was very little activity in Tonna that would have required police attendance and the priorities' remained at parking and dog fouling.

2718 County Borough Councillors Report

The County Borough Councillor opened by telling the members that there was still money available for acceptable worthy causes in the village. She was also able to report that she had been made Cabinet Member for Community Safety and Public Protection. This included Environmental Health.

When asked she was able to say that dropped kerbs were still on the list of work to be done in the village, but she was not able to say exactly when this was likely to be done. She said that resurfacing of Fairyland Road and Dulais Fach Road was also included in the works to be done during the year. The Clerk said that there was an urgent issue with Dulais Fach Road near the canal and Cllr Jones said that she would try to get a temporary job done as soon as possible. The traffic chaos caused through the gas works at Llantwit and in the village was a serious source of complaint and she said that she had been making complaints via the County Borough Council on behalf of the residents. She said that she was pleased that the Llantwit part had now been completed and that buses were now able to return to their proper route through the village. There was no further progress regarding the proposed defibrillator but she would follow this up.

2719 The minutes of the meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> April, 2019 were accepted as a correct record.

2720 Matters Arising

There were no matters arising.

2721 Delegates Reports

There were no Delegates Reports

2722 Playgrounds

Cllr. Darren Harrison reported that the Playground sub-committee had met and had decided that the schemes being looked at were going to finally look like being a very poor attempt. With this in mind it was felt that the proposal should be to split the project into three stages.

The recommendation was that for stage 1. the football area be improved to make it as flat as possible. The work here could be carried out fairly simply and quickly. Phase 2. could be to clear the middle part of the park and cover with tarmac. A wall could then be built and the area marked out for basketball etc. This area could be completed fairly simply and speedily. These two stages would show progress to the residents. Finally it was recommended that the final part should be fenced off as a kiddies area complete with a separate gate. After a brief discussion the members agreed to the basic outline and the sub-committee were asked to continue with their good progress.

2723 Wish List

The Clerk advised that there were currently no items on the wish list. He reminded the Councillors that some items that were going forward, such as the Playground Project had been moved to a place of their own on the agenda.

The Chair asked if there was anything that the members would like to include on the wish list. Several general items were mentioned but nothing added to the list at this time.

2724 Correspondence

One Voice Wales	Planning Aid Conference	Noted
NPTCBC	LDP "Planning your place"	Noted
Bobath	Request for funds	Noted
Tonna RFC	Permission for events	
	Cllr's Colin Powell and Michael Hughes declared an interest	Approved
John Davies	Telegraph poles	Clerk to write to Tonna RFC The Clerk was able to report that this issue had been resolved
Gareth Smith	Request to move seats near A.J Motors	
	The Council discussed this matter in depth and finally came to the decision that there was no other site available within the village. They did however to ask Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council if they would install a litter bin in the area. The Clerk will respond to Mr. Smith.	

2725 GDPR

No report

2726 Planning

There were no planning applications

2727 Accounts Monitoring

The Clerk presented the meeting with copies of the draft year end Bank Reconciliation.

2728 Financial Matters

The Clerk reported that there had been no progress on the amending of the Bank Mandate due to the inability of the two new signatories to attend HSBC Neath Branch. He said that both Councillors were hopeful that they could visit the Bank very shortly. He also reported that a cheque for £40 made payable to AALC had not been processed. He said that this had now been cancelled and he suggested a new cheque be sent. This was approved by the Council.

PAYMENTS

AALC	Annual subscriptions	Approved
Zurich Municipal	Insurance	Approved
Clive Willis	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grass cut	Approved
Clive Willis	Quarry Rd., bridge repairs	Approved
Amazon	Printer Ink	Approved

Cllr. H. Bradley

Chairs allowance

Approved

2729 The Chair then advised the members that the next Ordinary Meeting of the Council would take place on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June at Tonna Primary Community School, School Road, Tonna, commencing at 7.00 pm.

The meeting closed at 8.55 pm

Chairman.....

Date.....