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**MINUTES OF MENAI BRIDGE TOWN COUNCIL ORDINARY MEETING HELD ON  
THURSDAY, 20 DECEMBER 2018 AT 7.00 PM IN  
CANOLFAN COED CYRNOL, MENAI BRIDGE**

**PRESENT:** The Town Mayor Councillor Eryl Lewis (Chair)  
The Deputy Mayor Councillor J Jones  
Councillor G Bebb, Councillor C Davey, Councillor D M Davies, Councillor Ella Fisk,  
Councillor H Hunt, Councillor Hefin Jones, Councillor W Love, Councillor D Owen,  
Councillor R Williams, Councillor S Williams, Councillor Sonia Williams,

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Mrs W Faulkner, Town Clerk  
Sioned Jones, Translator

**APOLOGIES:** County Councillor A Mummery,  
Councillor K Moran

(Note: Names within [ ] denote Proposer and Seconder)

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73.0 Two members of the Great Straits Raft Run Committee were present to discuss their involvement in the Christmas Fayre. Following discussions, it was agreed that they would sing Carols on the Sunday between 3 and 4pm.

74.1 Attendance Register  
The register was read out to the Committee.

75.2 Apologies for Absence  
The apologies for absence received are noted above.

76.3 To receive the declaration of Acceptance of Office from the new member.  
Hefin Wyn Jones read aloud and signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office, which was countersigned by the Clerk, as Proper Officer of the Council.

77.4 Declarations of Interest: Code of Conduct  
- Members were reminded that they must declare the existence and nature of any personal interests (using the form provided for this purpose)  
No declarations of interest were received.

78.5 Public participation session  
No members of the public were present.

79.6 To receive and approve the minutes of the Council meeting held on the 15 November 2018 and address any matters arising.

The minutes were confirmed as a correct record [DMDavies/CDavey]

Matters arising:

67.8 The Town Clerk confirmed that she has acknowledged the resident's letter and is still making enquiries regarding a suitable space for the youths of Menai Bridge to ride their BMX bikes. Councillor J Jones to make enquiries and report back to Council.

66.7 It was confirmed that confirmation regarding the Town Council donation, towards the defibrillators is expected from the Raft Run Committee in due course.

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80.7 Council Business

80.7.1 To approve and accept the Annual Return for the year ended 31 March 2018

Members approved, accepted and discussed the Annual Return for the year ended 31 March 2018.

80.7.2 To discuss the Bowling Green and CCTV

Following discussions, it was agreed to contact CCTV Services for a better understanding of the quote received.

80.7.3 Review of Menai Bridge Town Council by the Standards Committee

The Town Clerk informed Members of the Review to be conducted at the Council office on the 7 February 2019.

80.7.4 To discuss Precept 2019/20

A Sub-Committee was formed to make initial estimates for 2019/20 and report back to the Council.

81.8 Liaison with Other Bodies: Members' Report.

Nothing to report.

82.9 Correspondence

Receipt of various correspondence have already been forwarded to Members, for their attention/Information.

- Letter from Isle of Anglesey County Council regarding Proposed Temporary Road Closures from organisers of the Anglesey Half Marathon for the 3rd March 2019 – Noted
- Letter from The Planning Inspectorate regarding Appeal Decision regarding planning application Ynys Faelog, Menai Bridge LL59 5EP – Appeal dismissed - Noted

83.10 Extra bills for payment

It was unanimously agreed to approve the extra bills presented for payment.

84.11 Members Questions (S.13 Standing Orders)

Cllr Selwyn Williams reported that the improvement work to the War Memorial Community Centre was completed.

85.12 Report from County Council Members

- It was reported that the Isle of Anglesey County Council are considering other options in relation to the bus services 43 and 47 so as not to terminate the services.
- Further work will be carried out in the new year regarding the Council Tax.

86.13 Town Mayor's Announcements

- Coffee morning St Mary's Church
- Victoria Event, Beaumaris
- Meeting attended regarding the Augmented Reality Board on the Belgian Promenade
- Budget meeting at County Council Offices, Llangefni
- Mayor's Sunday on the 2 December 2018
- Drop In Session at Council Office
- Photo with Menai Bridge Tigers Juniors in their new kit where I was presented with a bouquet of flowers
- Meeting with Beaumaris Town Council and the Isle of Anglesey County Council regarding the A545

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87.14 Planning: Applications/Decisions

No planning applications/decisions were received from the local planning authority.

88.15 Draft Minutes:

a) To receive the minutes of the Finance, Planning and General Purposes Committee held on the 1 November 2018

It was unanimously agreed to receive the minutes.

The meeting concluded at 8.40 pm

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Councillor Eryl M Lewis  
Chair

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Date

