
**MINUTES OF MENAI BRIDGE TOWN COUNCIL ORDINARY MEETING HELD ON
THURSDAY, 16 MAY 2019 AT 7.00 PM IN
CANOLFAN COED CYRNOL, MENAI BRIDGE**

PRESENT: The Town Mayor Councillor Eryl Lewis, Chair
The Deputy Town Mayor Councillor J Jones
Councillor D M Davies, Councillor Ella Fisk, Councillor H Hunt, Councillor K Moran,
Councillor D Owen, Councillor R Williams, Councillor Sonia Williams

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

APOLOGIES: Councillor G Bebb, Councillor C Davey, Councillor H Jones, Councillor W Love,
Councillor S Williams
County Councillor R Meirion Jones, County Councillor Alun Mummery

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

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- 145.1 Attendance Register
The register was read out to the Committee.
- 146.2 Apologies for Absence
The apologies for absence received are noted above.
- 147.3 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.
- 148.4 Public participation session
No members of the public were present.
- 149.5 To receive and approve the minutes of the Council meeting held on the 18 March 2019 and address any matters arising.
The minutes were approved and confirmed as a correct record [DMDavies/KMoran]
- 150.6 Council Business
6.1 To receive and accept The Isle of Anglesey County Council's Standards Committee Report on the Town and Community Councils Registers of Members' Interests
The report was received, shared with all members of the Town Council, discussed further at Council and accepted. The Town Clerk reminded members that she intends to arrange the bespoke Code of Conduct training with One Voice Wales this Summer. A hard copy of the Isle of Anglesey County Council's Standards Committee Report on the Town and Community Councils Registers of Members' Interests is available at the Town Council office.
6.2 To discuss and consider Digital Banking
Following discussions, it was RESOLVED to proceed with Digital Banking [SoniaWilliams/Ella Fisk] all in favour.
- 151.7 Liaison with Other Bodies: Members' Report
- Menai Bridge Band – Councillor Ella Fisk attended a meeting.
- Friends of Church Island – Councillor H Hunt was unable to attend a recent meeting.
- BULG Bangor University Liaison Group Meeting – Councillor Eryl Lewis attended.

152.8 Correspondence

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

- The Isle of Anglesey County Council (IoACC) letter regarding road closure at Beach Road on the 3 June 2019 – Noted
- E-mail regarding the crowning ceremony at Ysgol David Hughes on 30 May – Town Mayor will be in attendance.
- Menter Môn Annual Report – Noted
- Request from Bowling Club to erect a banner on Raft Run Day to advertise tea/coffee at Pavilion – Granted.
- Friends of Church Island Agenda for their AGM – Noted
- St Mary's Church Spring Fair on the 18 May – Noted
- Thank you letter for donation from Friends of Menai Bridge Library
- Invitation from RAF Valley to attend Annual Reception 2019 on the 4 July 2019 – passed on to the Town Mayor for 2019/20

153.9 Extra bills for payment

There were no extra bills for payment.

154.10 Members Questions (S.13 Standing Orders)

There were no questions.

155.11 Report from County Council Members

County Councillor R Williams reported the following items:

- The 43 and 47 bus service will finish on the 31 May 2019. A new timetable will be put in place commencing on the 1 June 2019 with a new revised route. ACTION: Town Clerk to forward e-mail regarding the new route to all Members.
- Complaint received regarding boats speeding on the Menai Straits. It was reported that there are speed restrictions in place at Felinheli
- No update regarding the Bridge
- Cllr R Williams has e-mailed the Planning Service in relation to the Mostyn Arms.
- Councillor Margaret Murley Roberts was elected the new Chairman of the Isle of Anglesey County Council and Councillor Glyn Haynes was elected the Vice-Chairman for 2019/20.

156.12 Town Mayor's Announcements

- Discussion were held regarding the Town Mayor Chain of Office and that it may need replacing.
- Took the opportunity to thank her fellow Councillors for their support over the last 2 years, it has been an honour. She also thanked the Town Clerk and officers of the Council.

157.13 Planning: Applications/Decisions

There were no planning applications/consultations or decisions received from the local planning authority.

158.14 Items bought to the Council's attention by Councillors

Councillor R Williams reported some volunteers eager to participate in the Town Council activities.

159.15 Minutes

To receive the minutes from the following Committee:

a) Finance, Planning and General Purposes Committee held on the 4 April 2019

The above minutes were received.

160.16 To receive and consider the recommendations of the Audit Assurance and Personnel Committee held on the 18 April 2019

The recommendations of the above Committee were received, considered and approved. Salaries will be paid to Officers of the Town Council on the 23rd of each month.

161.17 To receive and consider report by the Town Clerk

The Town Clerk's report was received, considered and noted.

The meeting concluded at 8.00 pm

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Councillor E M Lewis
Chair

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Date