

**Minutes of a Meeting of of Disserth & Trecoed Community Council on 13th June
2017 commencing at 7.00pm in Iron Room, Cwmbach**

Present: Cllr G Price, H Harwood, S Richardson, P Deakin
Cty Cllr G Williams

Apologies: Cllr D Morgan

TC 50/17 Minutes

The Minutes of the Annual meeting held on 9th May 2017 were approved and signed.

TC 51/17 Minutes

The Minutes of the last meeting held on 9th May 2017 were approved and signed.

DT 52/17 Information from Minutes

a) Reflective Marker Posts

The Chairman had been informed that the reflective posts have now been placed at the entrance to Cwmbach.

b) Salt Bin

The Clerk had received confirmation that the Salt Bin along Gaufron Lane will be replaced within the programme prior to the winter months.

DT 53/17 Correspondence

a) Royal Voluntary Service – Grant Application

Application for grant towards the cost of running the Assisted Shopping Bus.

Resolved: to donate £200.

DT 54/17 Planning Applications

a) P/2017/0625 for Erection of a conservatory replacing an existing decking area at 5 Goylands Close. **No objection.**

DT 55/17 Finances

a) Bank Mandate

There continue to be issues with the Bank Mandate. Several members had problems with their identification and the mandate has been returned several times. The Clerk will submit the mandate following the meeting. However, members agreed that if this is not accepted the Council would look into moving its account to Lloyds Bank.

b) Cheques

To enable the Council to operate, it was agreed that former member Vic Norris be asked to be second signatory on the cheques until the new mandate has been accepted. This was agreed.

DT 56/17 Community Council Vacancies – Co-option Advertisement

The Clerk reminded members that the closing date for applications is 12.00 noon on 3rd July 2017. All applications must be in writing and received by that date. Co-options will take place at the July meeting.

DT 57/17 County Councillors Report

- a) New Members – Cty Cllr Williams reported that lots of training has been taking place for new and existing members.
- b) Cabinet – the new Cabinet has now been formed from a coalition between the Independent Group and the Conservatives. The Cabinet is made up of 6 Independent members and 4 Conservative.
- c) Cty Cllr Williams has been appointed Chair of Scrutiny Committee A and read out the parameters of his role.
- d) Recycling – there have been many issues with the recent limited opening hours of Household Recycling Sites particularly the issue of householders with vans as their only vehicle. This is currently being reviewed with the hope that sites will now open for 5 days each week. Cty Cllr Williams will update members at the next meeting.
- e) Adult & Social Care – this service continues to be significantly over budget.
- f) Schools – the new Governing Body to work on the transition of the merger of Llandrindod and Builth Wells High Schools has been set up and has held several meetings. The advertisement for the new Head Teacher is now

DT 58/17 Public Questions

None.

DT 59/17 Information

a) Oaklands Lane

Cty Cllr Williams mentioned that a lorry had gone down in the gutter along Oaklands Lane near Half Acre. He asked the Clerk to report this.

b) Park Homes

Cty Cllr Williams mentioned that he is working on several issues with regard to Park Homes with Sarah Jones the officer for Powys. He has given her a deadline for the end of June to provide the relevant information and investigate issues. The Clerk will provide contact information to Cllr Harwood.