**Seven Sisters Community Council**

**Cyngor Cymuned Blaendulais.**

**Minutes of the Monthly Meeting held on 9th May 2022**

Present: Chairman: Mr L C Jenkins

Councillors: Mrs L Ellar, Mr E W Francis,

Cllr. S K Hunt, Mr D John, Mr B L Parfitt,

Mr D C Thomas and Mr P Totterdale

Clerk: Mrs L E Oliver

**1 Apologies for Absence**.

There were apologies from Mr Davies

**2 Declaration of Interests**.

There were no declarations

**3 To Receive the Minutes of the Monthly Meeting held on 4th April 2022.**

After an alteration it was RESOLVED that the minutes were a true record of the meeting.

**4 Matters Arising**.

There were no matters arising

**5 Policing Matters**

There were no matters raised

**6 Community Hall and CHAOSS**.

Mr Parfitt said a water leak had occurred which needed a commercial plumber. Suggestions were made and he said he would contact someone tomorrow.

CHAOSS had not held a meeting as yet to approve the requested £6000 donation

**7 Recreation Ground**

Cllr Hunt said he had not spoken to Nite Lite yet but there did not seem to be much progress on the CCTV system. The Clerk was asked to write to Nite Lite and give them 28 days to complete, or the order would be cancelled.

**8 Brynbedd Cemetery**

The Vice Chairman said there was a lot of tidying needed and some trees which had grown needed to be removed. It was agreed Cllr Hunt would ask NPTCBC to do this. The Chairman said it was important that they were actually killed off so that no regrowth would occur.

**9 Planning Matters**.

There had been no applications

**10 Correspondence**.

Stephanie French re Mr Neil Francis – circulated 7th April 22

Seven Sisters RFC invitation to their Annual Presentation Club Dinner

It was agreed the Vice Chairman would attend

Email from Cllrs Hunt and Harris

The Clerk was asked to invite them to speak to Councillors at the next meeting.

**11 Clerk’s Report**. Noted

# Income £ p

Cemetery 325.00 Accounts for payment

L Oliver, April 325.20

C Freeman, April as per contrac**t**

# HMRC – PAYE 994.34

NPTCBC – Trade Refuse 641.75

Welsh Water – Rates, hall and cemetery 323.97

S Fox – Relief Caretaker 356.25

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# 12 Doctor’s Surgery

The Vice Chairman gave a report which was duly noted

**13 Any Other Business**

The Chairman gave congratulations to Cllr Hunt and Cllr Harris and said he hoped Cllr Hunt would continue to support the Council.

Mr John stressed the importance of having remote facilities at meetings to help councillors with work or family commitments. After discussion it was agreed the Clerk and Mr John would obtain prices for the equipment needed and Cllr Hunt would try and get a grant to fund this.

In view of comments made recently by a councillor regarding another councillor, the Clerk was asked to circulate standing orders and code of conduct to councillors so that they could refresh themselves of the content.

The Chairman then closed the meeting.

Chairman: L C Jenkins Date: 13th June 2022

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