**Cyngor Cymuned Meifod Community Council**

Minutes of the meeting of Meifod Community Council held on Monday 27th February 2023.

The meeting commenced with a minutes silence in memory of the late Rhiannon Jones, a long serving past member of the Community Council.

Present: Cllrs. A. Williams, J. Williams, N. Pickstock, W. Evans, J. Wilkinson, J. Sisley, J. Morris, G. Owen and A. Hughes.

**Apologies (001)** – Nil

**Declaration of Interest (002)** – Ccllr. Wilkinson declared an interest in planning and Cllr. A. Williams declared an interest in Correspondence (Maen Cemetry)

**Minutes of the previous meeting (003) –** The Council approved the minutes as a true record with one adjustment.

**Correspondence Received (004) –**

1. Biodiversity Report – The Clerk advised the Council needed to have a biodiversity policy in place. Clerk to look into more.

Cllr. A. Williams left the room.

1. Maen Cemetry Grant – A letter requesting fuding for Maen Cemetry had been received. The Council were all in favour to award the Cemetry and increased amount of £200.

**Finance (005)** –

Mrs C Pritchard

Mrs R Williams - £200.00

Maen Cemetry - £200.00

All payments presented to the Council were approved for payment.

**Planning (006)**

1. Planning Application 22/2202/FUL: Siting of 4 holiday pods, improvements to existing access, installation of septic tank and all associated works | Land Opposite Upper Garreg Llwyd Sarnau Llanymynech Powys SY22 6QW

***The Council were all in favour to support this application, as long as it meets all the specified requirements***

**Highways (007) –**

The following works had been completed:-

1. Pothole repairs on the road by the Corsydd.
2. The Clawdd had been swept and drains cleared

The following need to be reported to Powys County Council:-

1. Road to Glascwm – potholes
2. Happy Valley – road surface is very rough and needs attention.
3. The Clerk was asked to write to highways regarding two entrances at Cefn Broniath. Large vehicles are cutting up the verge when approaching and leaving the property. There are also gates which are opening onto the highway, causing a hazard.

Ccllr. Wilkinson agreed to arrange a site visit with the highways department to discuss road issues.

Concerns had been raised with the repairs made to the river bank by Newbrige farm. Powys County Council are monitoring the situation but there was no new update at the time of meeting.

**Meifod Toilets (008)** – Nil

**Any other business (009)** –

1. **Dog Fouling** – Residents have raised complaints regarding the amount of dog fouling throughout the village. The Clerk had advised that Powys County Council had been around and put new signs up.
2. **Cluster** – The Cluster and Powys County Council agreed to carry on with the same agreement for another five years, however they CIC would be looking to cease if Llanfyllin Town Council were able to take it on.

Meeting closed at 20.18

The next meeting date of Meifod Community Council to be held on Monday 27th March 2023, at Meifod Village Hall.