

**SCLEDDAU COMMUNITY COUNCIL/  
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**MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2024 AT  
FISHGUARD AFC, MANOROWEN**

**In attendance**

M Raymond (Chair), J Miles, Cllr D Harries, D Williams, A Phillips, D Hadan, M Scrimshaw, A Phelps, A Anderson, S Price

**Apologies**

W Miles

**Declarations of interest**

None.

**Minutes of last meeting**

Proposed D Williams, all in favour.

**1. Matters Arising**

- 1.1 Asset transfer – No further information had been received from the Local Authority. Cllr Harries advised that he would contact them again requesting that an agreement to the walkway. All were in favour. He advised that the issue of the bins be brought up as a separate matter.
- 1.2 Bus Shelter – It was noted that the repairs to the bus shelter would be completed that Friday (12<sup>th</sup> April 2024).
- 1.3 Cefn Coed – It was noted that the Cefn Coed area had been tidied up following WI-FI installation and was looking a lot better than it was previously.

**2. Agenda Items**

- 2.1 Membership of One Voice Wales – The membership for this year would cost £197. It was agreed to renew, all were in favour.
- 2.2 Zurich Insurance – The renewal cost for the insurance would be £241.00 for this year. All were in favour to continue with the insurance policy as it stood.
- 2.3 Doing the Small things Grant – All were in agreement to apply for the grant up to the amount of £3,000. This would be utilised against the upkeep of the playgrounds and other assets within the parish. The application had to be submitted by the 29<sup>th</sup> April.
- 2.4 One Voice Pembrokeshire Area Committee – The next meeting was going to be held on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April at the Old wool Market in Haverfordwest. Julia Miles outlined that she would try and attend and represent Sclleddau Community Council.

**3. Planning applications**

Meadow Lake, Dwrbach, Fishguard – Proposal 100kw solar array composing of 5x29mx4m ground units. The Councillors outlined that they had no objection to solar panels being installed but had concerns that if they were visible from the road this would be unsightly. Report back to Planning.

#### 4. Finance Expenditure

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| Clerk's Salary (by standing order – paid) | £185.60                  | By standing order |
| Margaret Mabe (by standing order – paid)  | £40.00                   | By standing order |
| HMRC                                      | Still Awaiting deduction | By direct debit   |

#### Applications for Funding:

Fishguard YFC and Community Hall: After a deliberation it was agreed that £250 would be donated towards the Community Hall. It was agreed that the Clerk would write to Fisghuard YFC to ask that special recognition could be given to Scleddau Community Council due to the amount of support that has been provided in the past with previous donations.

PODs Project – It was agreed that more information be sought about the project and how it supports schools within the Scleddau vicinity before a final decision was made.

St John's Ambulance Pembrokeshire – After a deliberation it was agreed to donate £250 to St John's Ambulance.

#### 5. Financial Income

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| None |  |  |
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#### 6. PCC report

Cllr Harried had found out that the Salt bins in the vicinity would be replenished for free. We needed to outline what bins needed filling.

Residents have been reimbursed for the cars being chipped at the Panteg Road. Cllr Harries drove that way and said that it looked pretty clean and it appeared to be swept often. It was felt the stones that are on the verge of the road are causing the issues.

Haverfordwest Bridge – The council are pressing ahead with the construction of the bridge by the riverside.

Withybush Airfield – The council are looking at leasing it out as it is losing money each year.

## **7. Any other business**

Fly tipping – It was noted that there is an Enforcement Team in place for Fly Tipping. It was discussed that there was a lot of dog mess between Chapel Road and Rhosfelin. There were also loose chippings and pot holes on Cefn Road. Cllr Harries advised that he would chase this up.

Transition Bro Gwaun – A Anderson outlined that the turbine community organisation earns £25,000 a year where this is reinvested back into the community. They were hoping to purchase a new turbine and would be applying for a grant to help cover some of the costs. It was asked if Sceddau Community Council would support the grant application. There were be no financial obligation or liability. MS proposed, all were in favour.

Dropped Kerbs – It was noted that there were not enough dropped kerbs in Chapel Road. It was agreed to contact the Local Authority.

Layby – It was noted that bins were not being emptied in the area, some of which had been removed, where in turn there was a lot of rubbish in the area. Cllr Harries advised he would contact the Local Authority.

EAGA Developments Ltd – It was noted that 3 complaints had been made about the grounds of the property and that it was left in an unkempt state. It was agreed to write a letter outlining that a number of complaints had been made and to politely ask if the area could be tidied.

Meeting closed at 8.30