

**SCLEDDAU COMMUNITY COUNCIL/
CYNGOR CYMUNEDOL SCLEDDAU**

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**MINUTES OF MEETING ON MONDAY 15TH NOVEMBER 2021
AT FISHGUARD AFC CLUB, MANOROWEN, FISHGUARD AT 7.30PM**

In attendance

M Raymond (Chair), D Williams, A Phelps, J Miles, A Phillips, D Haden, M Charman, M Scrimshaw, Cllr S Kurtz, H Smith (Clerk)

Apologies

W Miles

Minutes of last meeting

Proposed A Phelps, seconded M Charman. All in favour.

1. Matters Arising

- 1.1. Bank account opening with Natwest - still going through the process of getting signatories.
- 1.2. Co-opting of new Councillor - M Scrimshaw signed the Declaration of Office.
- 1.3. Charity donations - D Williams proposed £150 to Paul Satori, £50 to Mencap. Seconded by M Scrimshaw. All in favour. M Charman signed cheques, but another signatory was not present so cheques would be sent after next meeting.

2. Agenda Items

- 2.1. None.

3. Planning applications

3.1 21/0738/PA - Proposal: Replacement milking parlour with covered collecting yard at Ciliauwen, Letterston, Haverfordwest SA62 5XB. Proposed by D Williams, seconded by A Phelps. All in favour, no objections.

4 Finance Expenditure

None		
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5 Financial Income

None		
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6 PCC report

Cllr S Kurtz sent an email prior to the meeting:

"Barham Rd and the water

I've met with Planed, Welsh Water and raised this in the last full council meeting. As you'll know, the price for residents expected to pay shot up after the depot was not able to be part of the plans due to water pressure constraints. I met with Welsh Water to put pressure on them, and remind them of their 'not-for-profit' status to try and get them to reduce the cost per household.

I then received the following from the Head of Housing within PCC ahead of the community meeting on the 2nd of November:

Dear Clls,

Further to you raising at full council whether any progress had been made on the matter of the private water supply pipework at Trecwn, I can confirm that positive meetings have recently been held with DCWW and VMS facilitated by Planed.

There is now a definite scheme that we are working on with costings being finalised so that this information can be relayed to the residents impacted. A community meeting is being arranged for the 2nd November whereas progress will be explained to them. Actual costings per property won't be available at this point as we are still discussing procurement options, although some indicative figures have been made available, but these will be subject to tender prices being received.

An internal meeting with finance and legal has also been arranged to confirm the funding and repayment options that will be made available to the residents from the LA.

I am hoping to speak to Jon Murphy on Monday to see if I can get the most up to date info on this ahead of our meeting on Monday. As we've mentioned previously, should the road be 'dug up' to lay new pipe, then this is an opportunity for it to be repaired better than it currently is (obviously). I hope then this leads to discussions on PCC adopting the road.

Speed limit through Sclleddau

Following the good news that my campaign of letters to the previous Transport Secretary Ken Skates, and Paul Davies MS' further influence, for the speed of the A40 through Sclleddau to be reduced from 50 to 40mph was a success. This is due to be done during 2022/2023 and a pedestrian crossing assessment is due to be undertaken as well. After chatting with Alun and Dai, I've written to the local police and Go Safe asking for further speed patrols to be stationed in the village.

Bus shelters

I believe there has been a little confusion around this, as I think Fishguard YFC were waiting to hear more from the council as to what was needed, and I think the council were expecting the YFC to paint etc when they could? I may be wrong, but that was the impression I got from speaking to the YFC recently. I believe you have decided to do the work yourselves? No problem if so, but the YFC wanted me to let you know that they would be able to do the necessary work but would need whatever materials (paint, brushes etc) purchased for them. Forgive me on this, I am no longer directly involved with the day to day running of Fishguard YFC for obvious reasons (and haven't been for a couple of years – I'm too old!), but whatever council decides to do on the bus shelters, I will relay the message straight back to Teleri, the chairman, on Monday evening."

Cllr S Kurtz also updated the council in person regarding the above.

He mentioned that the second home premium of 200% would come into place from 1st April 2022. 25% of the premium goes toward the Enhancing Pembrokeshire grant and the 75% towards new building, community housing trusts etc.

The new Chief Executive is in place. There is still the issue about the payoff of the previous CE. There is an audit being undertaken and the outcome of this will determine whether another senior officer on garden leave will get a payout.

7 Any other business

7.1 A Phillips reported that there was still fly tipping between the houses and the bus stop. Clerk to report. D Williams reported there was a lot of litter everywhere in Sclleddau. The bins in the laybys always seemd to be overflowing. Clerk to request emptying rota. The WRC was vital to the community, in light of possible closure, and concern was

expressed about the limited hours at the Manorowen WRC.

7.2 GoSafe had been in Scloddau 2 weeks ago. S Kurtz had requested from them the number caught speeding and how often they had been.

7.3 M Scrimshaw reported Wesley Place road was in bad condition, Clerk to report pothole.

7.4 D Williams had asked the garden centre for a Christmas tree which they will provide at cost. Council approved a budget of £50, proposed D Williams, seconded A Phelps. D Williams already has the lights for it.

Meeting closed at 8.30pm.

Date of next meeting – Monday 13th December 2021

This meeting will be held in accordance with
The Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021