Cwmbran Community Council
Cyngor Cymuned Cwmbrân

You are summoned to attend the following meeting:

**Environment, Sustainability & Planning Committee**

24 February 2016 at 6.00 pm

Venue: Council Chamber, Council House, Ventnor Road, Cwmbran NP44 3JY

# AGENDA

*To:* Councillors SWJ Ashley, M Day, S Evans (Vice Chair), R Jones (Chair), KK Manneh, R Seabourne, D Standing, WJ Walker, DJ Williams and TJ Winter

Councillors M Johnston, LJ Chaney SJ Brooks & WM Howell (Ex Officio Members)

*To:* *ALL OTHER MEMBERS FOR INFORMATION*

1. **Apologies for Absence**

2. **Members' Declarations of Interest**

3. **Planning, Highways & Footpaths Matters**

(a) Planning Lists - To deal with any outstanding planning consultations.

(b) Schedule of Torfaen County Borough Council Planning Decisions attached.

(c) Tree Preservation Order 177: Trees in Open Space to North of Court Road Industrial Estate and Bordering Cwmbran Brook, Off Llantarnam Road, Cwmbran. Details attached.

(d) Footpath at Court Farm Road

To update on the current position in relation to the Council's proposal to register the above footpath, following the expiry of the time period for receipt of objections.

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4. **"Clean for the Queen." HM The Queen's 90th Birthday Celebrations: 4 March 2016**

To report on progress (Minute ESP15/036 refers)

The Project will feature litter picking in partnership with Torfaen Canal Volunteer Group as part of the Clean for the Queen initiative, in celebration of HM Queen's 90th Birthday. The activity will take place alongside the canal, between Old Cwmbran and Henllys Way. Any members who wish to take part are invited to meet at the Council's offices at 9.45 am. We will return around 12.30 for light refreshments.

Torfaen County Borough Council will help us out with equipment and arrange collection of the filled bags of litter afterwards. We are in touch with Keep Wales tidy and also hope to arrange some positive media coverage.

If this small partnership arrangement proves successful, then it might be possible to tackle other sites later in the year.

Finally, the Council has also been made aware of proposed activity by the Llantarnam Residents Conservation Society as part of these celebrations. If any members are aware of any sites in this area that could benefit from the work of the Society in that area would they please let the Clerk know.

5. **Blaen Bran Community Woodland**

To update members on progress re support for environmental schemes at the woodland. (Minute ESP15/037 refers)

6. **Neighbourhood Services Matters**

Councillor Cunningham, Torfaen County Borough Council's Executive Member for Neighbourhood Services and Performance will attend this meeting.

7. **Seminars & Outside Bodies**

To consider the attached reports in relation to seminars and meetings of outside bodies, attended by representatives of the Council.

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| (i) | Shared Learning Events: Best Practice in Sustainable Development & Community Benefits | 3 February 2016 |

It is **recommended** that the reports are noted.

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