



Cwmbran Community Council
Cyngor Cymuned Cwmbrân

You are summoned to attend the following meeting:

Environment, Sustainability & Planning Committee

8 June 2016 at 6.00 pm

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

AGENDA

To: Councillors SWJ Ashley, L Chaney, M Day, S Evans (Chair), M Howell, R Seabourne (Vice-Chair), D Standing, WJ Walker, DJ Williams and TJ Winter

Councillors KK Manneh, R Jones, SJ Brooks and TA Matthews (Ex Officio Members)

To: *ALL OTHER MEMBERS FOR INFORMATION*

1. Appointment of Chairman

To note that, at a meeting held on 18 May 2016, Councillor S Evans was appointed Chairman of this committee for the Municipal Year 2016/17. Councillor R Seabourne was appointed as Vice Chairman.

2. Apologies for Absence

3. Members' Declarations of Interest

4. 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) [Town & Country Planning Act 1990 s78\(1\) Appeal](#) – works to trees at Three Blackbirds Inn, Llantarnam. Details attached. (Details have been sent to ward members already)

5. [Schools Eco Quiz 2016](#)

To consider the attached report.

6. Blaen Bran Community Woodland

Oral Update. (Minute ESP15/050 refers).

7. Neighbourhood Services Matters

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



8. Torfaen Environmental Association

Torfaen Environmental Association (TEA) is a registered Environmental body able to apply for funding through the Landfill Communities fund for a range of environmental improvements projects against a set criteria. It was initially involved in doorstep recycling schemes rolled out across Torfaen in 2006/7 but has been fairly inactive since.

Cwmbran Community Council has recently been approached about relaunching the Association. The objective of the refreshment of TEA would be to start the process of funding new projects via the Landfill Communities Fund. To enable this, a steering committee needs to be put in place able to promote, access and enable new projects to be realised.

The convening of a short meeting of invited interested bodies has thus been suggested. This meeting would be followed on a separate date by an AGM at which new members of the steering committee and affiliates would be engaged.

The Council has been invited to attend the introductory meeting to be set up for the early part of June, date to be confirmed but likely to be around 3.30pm -5.00pm possibly on a Thursday afternoon at Cwmbran Community Council Offices.

Members' views are requested.



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