

TREDEGAR TOWN COUNCIL

**Reporting of decisions and recommendations -
Civic Meeting of Council held Wednesday, 4th January, 2023 at 6.30 p.m.**

Present: Councillors **G. Evans (Chair)**
A.E. Tippings
M. Turner
P Cornlouer
D. Rowberry
K. Waldron
C. Walters
G. Walters

In attendance: Clerk – **Ms. C. Aherne**
RFO – **Ms. A. Edwards**

**Apologies Councillors K. Phillips, G. Badham, A. Jones, E. Jones,
P. Prosser, B. Rees, J. Thomas H. Trollope and S. Trollope**

Declarations of Interest

The Chair reminded Members to make their declarations as and when necessary:

To receive Mayor's report, as appropriate

The Mayor reported on Civic matters arising, and events attended, since the last meeting of Council.

To receive any verbal recommendations of all Sub-Committees / Working Party prior to this meeting:

The meeting of the Performance Review Sub-Committee was inquorate and therefore there were no recommendations for approval.

Grants:

a) To receive and consider grants to Sporting and Cultural organisations (under the provision of the Local Govt. Miscellaneous Provision Act 1976 s.19 and Local Government Act 1972 s.137)

b) To receive and consider grants to Churches & Chapels (s.137) - Grants as of 01.04.2017 now max £300.00 (before awarding a grant Council must be satisfied the grant is being given for non-religious purposes with the building being for community use)

- None received.

Councillor D. Rowberry declared an interest in respect of items relating to 'Licensing'

Correspondence

Items of correspondence were received and noted accordingly.

Planning:

- a) List of planning applications received in week 49.
- b) List of planning applications received in week 50.
- c) List of planning applications received in week 51.

To consider Planning Applications submitted for Council's observations

- None received.

To consider other planning matters – BGCBC Re: Planning Application C/2022/0327 - Proposal is for 5 flats rather than an HMO and enclosed copy of internal layout.

Council is concerned with the proliferation of HMO premises that have a negative impact on the wellbeing of residents and businesses and would have preferred provision of larger family-orientated accommodation, e.g. two flats rather than five flats.

Updates regarding Bedwellty House and Park / Parc Bryn Bach - any issues to have been previously reported direct to the House Management / Aneurin Leisure personally

- None received.

Delegates: to receive and consider reports from Delegates to Outside Bodies and the recommendations of Sub-Committees / Working Parties:

- a) Joint Committee of Local Councils**
- b) Gwent Valleys One Voice Wales**
- c) One Voice Wales Larger Councils and AGM**
- d) Tredegar Twinning**
- e) Pen Bryn Oer Community Fund**
- f) School Governing Bodies**
- g) Blaenau Gwent Heritage Forum**
- h) Blaenau Gwent CAB**
- i) Tredegar Business Forum**
- j) VVP / Tredegar Heritage Initiative**

Updates received and noted accordingly.

Matters of Local Interest or Concern (by prior notice)

Matters received were noted accordingly.
