TREDEGAR TOWN COUNCIL

Reporting of decisions and recommendations -Civic Meeting of Council held Wednesday, 5th March, 2025 at 6.30 p.m.

Present:	Councillors M. Turner (Chair) E. Griffin A.E. Tippings G. Badham A. Jones E. Jones G. Jones-Griffiths G. Meredith D. Rowberry H. Trollope S. Trollope K. Waldron
	K. Waldron G. Walters

In attendance: Clerk – Ms. C. Aherne

Apologies. Councillors K. Phillips, A.E. Evans, S. Mavar and J. Thomas

Declarations of Interest

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

To receive Mayor's report, as appropriate

None received.

To receive the verbal recommendations of all Sub-Committee / Working Party meetings held prior to this meeting of Council

The recommendations of the Policy Sub-Committee held immediately prior to Council were approved accordingly.

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 – None received.

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)

Councillors D. Rowberry and A.E. Tippings declared an interest in the following applications and took no part in discussion or voting thereon.

Horeb Chapel - Any financial assistance received would be used for updating the heating.

2021/22 March'2022 CQ No. 284 £300.00 - Approved accordingly.

Sardis Chapel - Any financial assistance received would be used for additional heating.

2021/22 March'2022 CQ No. 285 £300. 00 - Approved accordingly.

Correspondence

Councillor D. Rowberry declared an interest in respect of 'Licensing', Councillor M. Turner regarding 'Smart Money Cymru Community Bank' and Councillor G. Badham regarding the 'local business complaint', taking no part in discussion or voting thereon.

Items of correspondence were received and noted accordingly; items in respect of expenditure were agreed appropriately.

Councillors E. Jones and D. Rowberry declared an interest in the following item and took no part in discussion or voting thereon.

Planning:

- a) i) List of planning applications received in week 8
 - ii) List of planning applications received in week 9
- b) To consider Planning Applications submitted for Council's observations;

App. No. Proposal

C/2024/0316 Retention of rear extension, Crown Auto Centre, Merthyr **No objections** Road.

C/2025/0057 Construction of 2 pairs of semi-detached houses and one two storey detached house at land adjacent to Fairfield. Tredegar.

C/2025/0036 Demolition of the existing building, importation of inert material and associated works, Unit 6 Tafarnaubach Ind. Estate, Tredegar.

C/2025/0049 For the partial change of use of 2 King Street to shop and single storey extension to 2 & 4 King Street.

C/2025/0059 Construction of new detached dwelling with associated **No objections** parking and garden, widening of existing lane, 13 Hollycroft, Beaufort Road, Tredegar.

C/2024/0294 Retention existing new detached dwelling and provision **No objections** new access road improvement works, including landscaping, ecological enhancement and services, Springfield Cottage, Queen Victoria Street.

c) Other Planning Matters: Tree works to the Circle.

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.