**Minutes of the meeting of Bronwydd Community Council held in Bronwydd Hall on Wednesday 28th May 2025 at 7.00 p.m.**

**Present**: Cllr S Phillips (Chairperson); Cllr R Carpenter; Cllr P Giles; Cllr G Morgan; Cllr G Evans; Cllr B Phillips; Cllr A Conti; Cllr L Rowe and Cllr D Jones

Also in attendance: Mrs M Morgan (Clerk) and Cllr B Davies County Councillor

**01/25 Apologies** – No apologies.

**02/25 Declaration of Interest** – To be completed as and when matters arise.

Cllr S Phillips declared an interest flooding at Y Graig – local resident.

Cllr A Conti declared an interest re broken drain in Pentremorgan.

**03/25 To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 23/04/2025.**

Resolved that the minutes of the meetings held on 23/04/2025 be accepted as a true record. Proposed by Cllr R Carpenter and seconded by Cllr G Morgan.

# 04/25 Comments from the Chairperson

Chairperson will comment on points when they arise.

Chairperson expressed his condolences on behalf of the Community Council following the death of Mr Irfon Jones a previous Community Councillor and County Councillor.

**05/25 Matters arising from the minutes.**

1. The following invoices are due for payment – Bevan Buckland £111.00; 2months wages £223.64; Zurich Town & Parish insurance renewal - £402.04.

Income – Precept £5020.00

C/A - £2135.43 D/A - £16181.83

Clerk contacted One Voice Wales regarding Audit Wales invoice. Advised to contact Audit Wales directly. A report was received from Audit Wales and following a discussion it was agreed to pay the £602.00 invoice. Enquiries to be made regarding a financial policy.

Clerk contacted One Voice Wales regarding the request from Bevan Buckland Ltd. Advised that no other council had contacted them regarding this request. Following a discussion with Bevan Buckland it was agreed to send the requested information.

Flowers to be purchased for the flower boxes in the Bronwydd area.

Proposed by Cllr B Phillips and seconded by Cllr R Carpenter.

Asset Register was distributed to all councillors and contents agreed. No change from last year.

1. Gwili Railway – Cllr P Giles attended an open day on the Gwili Railway at the request of the previous Chairperson. It was an enjoyable day. Cllr Giles reported that two new cottages are to be built to replace the one that was demolished. Agreed that Gwili Railway be removed from the agenda for now.
2. 20mph speed limit/Traffic Calming measures – no replies received from Mark Jacobs or Go Safe following emails sent in March. County Councillor B Davies will make further enquiries. Four independent complaints received from residents in the community regarding the speed of vehicles. Residents feel unsafe walking on the main road. Cllr L Rowe to look at setting up an online petition for the community.
3. Bronwydd Road parking – Ongoing. Agreed that this be removed from the agenda for now.
4. Sheep Dip – Ongoing. Cllr G Evans to discuss the matter with the welder and make enquiries with other welders.
5. Flooding of properties at Y Graig – Ongoing. Vegetation on both sides of the road has been removed and a surveyor has attended. The work is now out to tender and will hopefully be completed by the winter. Concern raised regarding the damage caused to the road. County Cllr B Davies reported that the Council is aware of the urgency of the work.

**06/25 Planning Applications/Decisions**

No planning applications

# 07/25 Correspondence

* Email regarding Electoral Arrangements of Carmarthenshire
* Consultation regarding Council Tax
* Road closure changes – 02/06/25 for 5 days from 9.30a.m. – 3.00p.m.

# 08/25 Items for discussion and decision (Must be put on the agenda prior to the meeting)

None

# 09/25 County Councillors Feedback and Question time

**Upper Bronwydd** – Nothing

**Cwmdwyfran** – Nothing

**Pentre Morgan –** Cllr A Conti declared an interest. Repair work on the manholes will be carried out next week.

**Lower Bronwydd** – Speed of the school bus is still causing concern. Time, date, and registration number required to report the bus. Electric post opposite Plasnewydd and situated on Troedyrhiw land is leaning. Clerk to report to the National Grid. Noted that BT are pushing digital voice in the area. If there is no mobile signal then nothing should be changed.

# 10/25 Date, location, and time of the next meeting

**RESOLVED that the next meeting would be held on Wednesday 25/06/2025 at 7.00p.m. The meeting closed at 8.20p.m.**