

CAERNARFON ROYAL TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES OF GENERAL COMMITTEE 17 NOVEMBER 2009

Present

His Worship The Mayor – Cllr H W Roberts

Councillors

W L Davies, H Edwards, I C Thomas, M Powell Jones, W R Owen, O T Owen, M Thomas, A Bohana, R Bonner Pritchard, R Anderson, A Kirk, A Roberts

Guest Speaker : Aled Sion - Urdd Gobaith Cymru

Welcomed by the Mayor

Copy of presentation attached

1. Apologies

Cllr W T Owen (illness) Cllr G Parry (working) Cllr M Davies (family illness)

2. Declaration of Personal Interest

Planning – W R Owen, I C Thomas, R Anderson, H Edwards

Planning item 3 – W L Davies and H W Roberts

3. Urgent Items

Update from Entertainment Committee

4. Planning

To consider applications

Resolved

To send a list of recommendations to the relevant planning authority

5. Accounts

To approve bills for payment

Resolved

Accept for payment

6. Notice of Motion Cllr. A. Roberts

Resolved

Not to support the Motion

7. Gisda Newsletter

Resolved

To accept for information only

8. List of courses and conferences

For the Clerk next year

Resolved

Move to the next finance panel

9. Gwynedd Council

Letter Re: Crossing – Victoria Dock

Resolved

Discuss with item 16

10. One Voice Wales

Recommendation Re: Consultation for Councillors Commission Expert Panel for Wales

Resolved

Accept for information only

11. Welsh Assembly Government

Consultation – Local Government (Wales) Measure – Statutory Guidance

Resolved

Anyone wishing to pass comment to do so through the clerk

12. Welsh Assembly Government

Swine Flu

Resolved

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13. Welsh Assembly Government

Proposed guidance for the Wales programme for improvement for the fire and rescue authorities in Wales

Resolved

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14. Citizens Advice Bureau

Annual Report

Resolved

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15. Report by Cllr. Hywel Roberts

Re: Caernarfon Marketing Association

Resolved

3 Directors have been established and are currently approaching others, with the next meeting on November 23rd to try and progress. Currently working on the tender document for a website, but unable to proceed until all directors are in place - therefore to be realistic the website will not be up and running until March

16. Report by Cllr Alun Roberts

Re: Meeting working in partnership – Gwynedd Council

3 areas of discussion – Social Services, Highways, and housing. Useful evening. County council noted the points raised and their answers documented in item 9

Resolved

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17. Report by Cllr. Alun Roberts

Re: Caernarfon Town Centre Environmental Project

Workshop to get local peoples views. **Ideas** from the meeting were

- ✓ Reverse the one way on Bangor Street or make two way
- ✓ Cars not allowed around the Castle
- ✓ Train to go through tunnel
- ✓ Residence parking behind post office
- ✓ Better cycle path route
- ✓ Traffic to come in at top of Pool Street

Public will be given another opportunity to air their views on the Square before any decisions are made. This will give everyone the opportunity to air their views

Resolved

Accept for information

18. Questions

Does the Council have a list of Dates for flying flags, and if so can it be changed?

Yes, through notice of Motion

Meeting ended at 7.40 Dated.....