

# **CAERNARFON ROYAL TOWN COUNCIL**

## MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING 4 NOVEMBER 2014

### Present

His Worship the Mayor – Cllr W R Owen

### Councillors

I C Thomas, H W Roberts, A W Bohana, M W Thomas, E Lovgreen, E Hughes, T Thomas, K Williams, W L Davies

### **Guest Speaker : Helen Gwyn – Twinning + DVD**

15 minutes worth of the dvd was shown which drew attention to the importance of the Twinning to locals and the people of Landerneau, noting that the past 20 years have been very successful.

Helen Gwyn (chairman of the local committee) then gave her own personal account of the history of the Twinning relationship, noting how nice it was that so many Mayors have visited on the trips, some also connected to the sporting activities and also thanked Cllr E Lovgreen for all her hard work coordinating the visits. Finally she presented the Mayor with gifts from the Mayor of Landerneau from this year's visit along with an agreement to celebrate the past 20 years and looking forward to it continuing

### **1. Apologies**

G Thomas , C Williams, W T Owen, B Owen, H Edwards, A Hopcyn

### **2. Mayor's Announcements**

None

### **3. Declaration of Personal Interest**

None

4. **Urgent Items (Chairman/Clerk).** For information or for action by the Clerk. Resolutions are not permissible

None

**5. Minutes**

To confirm the following minutes:-

- i. Council 21 October 2014

**Resolved**

To accept as a true record

**6. Planning Applications**

To approve planning applications

**Resolved**

- 1. C124/1014/14/DA **Agree**  
Application for non-material amendments for the erection of extensions approved under application reference number C14/0587/14/LL

**Dolawen, Penygarth, Caernarfon**



- 2. C14/1012/14/LL **Agree**  
Siting of biomass burner unit to include chimney, shedder and bunker

**Welcome Furniture/ Ystad Ddiwydiannol Cibyn Caernarfon**



- 3. C14/1008/14/LL **Agree**  
Conversion of vacant residential flat above the hairdressing salon into 2 residential flats

**Salon Gwallt G & G Hairdresser  
46 Stryd y Llyn Caernarfon**



4. C14/1020/14/HY  
Erection of a non-illuminated sign

Agree

**Post Office, Castle Square, Caernarfon**

## **7. Accounts**

To approve the bills, donations and wages for payment

**Resolved**

Accept and pay

## **8. Bank Reconciliation**

**Resolved**

Accept for information only

## **9. Reply from Gwynedd Council Chief Executive**

Re: Transfer of assets

There was a feeling that Gwynedd Council should have an idea by now of the things they would be considering transferring, and that we need a full list in order to start timely discussions

**Resolved**

Send another letter

## **10. Letter from Aled Roberts AM**

Re: Speed limits on trunk roads

Disappointed that we haven't formally been asked to comment within the consultation

**Resolved**

Write to Edwina Hart, Gwynedd Council and copy to Aled Roberts noting our disappointment that no formal consultation with Town and community councils

## **11. Christmas chocolates**

**Resolved**

£50 to each of the care homes and a box of biscuits for each ward at Eryri Hospital and Maesincla Day Centre. Continue to give selection boxes to Pendalar and Bontnewydd Home and £25 to Gisda

## **12. Letter from Comrades**

Re: Buffet after Remembrance Sunday

**Resolved**

Contribute £150

**13. Copy of the information presented at the Seminar – Developing the deposit version of the Joint Local Development Plan** – grateful to Cllr. W. T. Owen

**Resolved**

Grateful to Cllr W T Owen for bringing the information back

**14. Gwynedd Council**

Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Street Parking Places – (Vinegar Hill Caernarfon) Order 2014

**Resolved**

Support

**15. Gwynedd Council**

Re: Reply re: Litter bins

**Resolved**

Accept for information only

**16. Minutes re: Dyffryn Cadnant Project Meeting**

**Resolved**

Accept for information only and those who haven't replied to the clerk re 16<sup>th</sup> to do so

**17. The Big Screen**

**Resolved**

Continue to have it for 2 days

**18. Report from One Voice Wales Annual Conference**

**Resolved**

Accept for information and grateful for the report

**19. Questions**

Does the Council want a joint meeting with Felinheli Councillors ?

Yes

Do the Councillors want to go out for a meal after the December Council Meeting ?

Names to clerk

Meeting ended at 7.10

Signed ..... Dated .....

