

# **CAERNARFON ROYAL TOWN COUNCIL**

## MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING 21 FEBRUARY 2017

Present

The Deputy Mayor – CLlr I C Thomas

Councillors

W L Davies, W R Owen, W T Owen, H W Roberts, A Bohana,  
A Hopcyn, E Hughes, T Thomas, C Williams, G Thomas (p)

### **1. Apologies**

Cllr B Owen, Cllr E Lovgreen, Cllr G Thomas ©, Cllr M Thomas and  
Cllr M Sarnacki

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

None

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

I C Thomas – Item 9 Civic society and planning item 1

W R Owen – planning

H W Roberts – item 9 civic society

W T Owen – planning

### **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 7 February 2017

ii) Entertainment sub Committee 7 February 2017

*(passed at last meeting)*

iii) Personnel Meeting 10 February 2017

#### **Resolved**

i. Accept as a true record ( 7 in favour, 2 abstained)

ii. Accept for information ( 6 in favour, 2 abstained)

**iii.** Accept as a true record ( 6 in favour, 3 abstained)

## 6. Planning Applications

To approve planning applications

### **Resolved**

1. C17/0073/14/LL

Moved from council 7 February

Restoration works to  
Porth Mawr to include an interpretation  
centre with a new structure on the roof  
in the north tower, and conversion of  
southern tower into two holiday units

*Agree*

3 Hole in the Wall Street, Caernarfon

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2, C17/0024/14/LL

*Agree*

Change of use from  
Children's nursery and resource centre/  
office into a residential dwelling

**Treweryn, Maesincla, Caernarfon**

(Cllr W T Owen was out for the planning items )  
Cllr W R Owen arrived at 18.55 after the planning)

## 7. Accounts

To approve the bills for payment

### **Resolved**

Accept and pay (unanimous)

## 8. Council's Working Document

Clerk asked for volunteers to look at the guidelines for disaster  
account

### **Resolved**

Accept the document and ask Cllr H W Roberts, Cllr M Thomas and Cllr  
G Thomas © to help the clerk create guidelines (unanimous)

## 9. Letter from Caernarfon Civic Society

Re: Equipment

Clerk explained that several groups have this issue now

### **Resolved**

Buy a new projector but need to look at costs in June when we re assess room hire costs to consider charging for use of projector, which is currently free ( unanimous)

(Cllr H W Roberts and Cllr I C Thomas left the room for this item and Cllr W L Davies was elected to chair the item)

## 10. One Voice Wales

- i) White Paper : Reforming Local Government – Resilient and Renewed
- ii) BCUHB Stakeholders event for people aged 50+ event in Celtic Royal Hotel 14<sup>th</sup> March 2017

### **Resolved**

- i) For the consultation group to meet to discuss (unanimous)
- ii) Accept for information and anyone wishing to attend to do so ( unanimous)

## 11. E-mail from Walled Towns

Re: Programme on Heritage Led regeneration for 29<sup>th</sup> March

### **Resolved**

Accept for information and those who are interested to note date in diary (unanimous)

## 12. Letter from Mr Ian Hunt

Re: Post Office clock

### **Resolved**

Write to the senior officer of the Post Office asking what their response is on the topic and asking them to repair the clock, also to write to Costa to ask the same regarding the clock on the side of their building (10 in favour , 1 abstained)

## 13. One Voice Wales

Membership

### **Resolved**

To re join ( 7 in favour, Cllr W R Owen against as they have not signed the language charter and 3 abstained)

#### **14. Local Democracy and Boundary Commission for Wales**

Review of the electoral arrangements for the County of Gwynedd

##### **Resolved**

Individuals to give clerk comments by end of March to put on agenda in April (unanimous)

#### **15. Gwynedd Council**

Proposed parking restriction

##### *Colour copy enclosed in your envelope*

##### **Resolved**

Market Street – need to remove the red markings as the individual has passed away

Wesley street – need to consider red lines down side of the church

New Street - need to continue the red lines to the car park entrance as currently is, and leave a gap between number 18/16 to the alley

Segontium Terrace – consider leaving parts of the street available for residents rather than yellow lines the entire length

ST David's Rd – Foresee problems as there are dropped curbs on the other side and a bus stop, so need to look at the location carefully, but agree a disabled bay is required for the individual  
(7 in favour)

#### **16. Webinar: Financial Management and Governance in Community and Town Councils 27 February 2017**

##### **Resolved**

Clerk to attend

#### **17. Questions**

None

Meeting ended at 19.37

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