

**LLANTWIT FARDRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL
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Minutes of the Hybrid Meeting of the Leisure and Amenities Committee of Llantwit Fardre Community Council held on Monday, 14th September ,2026 at 5 p.m. at the Community Council Chamber, Carnegie Parish Hall, Main Road, Church Village.

PRESENT

Community Councillor J Beattie – Chair

Community Councillors

A Green and A Raines

Non-Committee Members in attendance

G Warren

Officers in Attendance

Ms Claire Hendy - Clerk & Executive Officer

10. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

RESOLVED – to note that apologies for absence had been received from Community Councillor J Murphy and K Johnson

11. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

RESOLVED – to note that in accordance with Members Code of Conduct there Were no personal declarations of interest made at the meeting pertaining to the Agenda.

12. MINUTES

RESOLVED – to approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Leisure and Amenities Committee held on the 15th June 2026. Subject to noting Councillor A Raines was present at the meeting.

REPORTS OF THE CLERK

13. PLAY AREA & AMENITY LAND MAINTENANCE REPORT

Members considered the report prepared by the Clerk updating Members on works undertaken to both amenity and play areas over the last few months.

RESOLVED that Members:

1. Acknowledge the report and note the planned and ongoing works.
2. Agree to provide officers with suggestion of future goals and priorities throughout the year.

14. PROVISION OF DDA ROUNDABOUT AT TONTEG PLAY AREA

The Clerk provided Members with a report asking Members to consider the purchase of a DDA compliant roundabout for one of the Council's most used play areas. It was explained that as a Council our main aim is to create an inclusive play environment for all.

After considering the request Members of the Leisure & Amenities Committee **RESOLVED**

1. Approve the installation of the DDA Roundabout as part of the 5-year play area plan
2. Agree to recommend to Council Supplier 2 at the cost of **£12,890 +VAT**
3. Agree to ensure the completed installation complies with the relevant playground safety and accessibility requirements.

15. INCREASED PROVISION OF RECYCLING BINS ACROSS THE COMMUNITY COUNCIL AREAS.

Members considered the proposal to increase the amount of recycling bins in our play areas following on from the positive trial at Tonteg Play area where there was an increase of around 70% of recyclable materials. Members considered the

areas suggested and put forward their views as to which play areas would be the best locations to start a new five-year plan .

Members **RESOLVED** to

- 1) Noted the positive outcome of the trial bins
- 2) Agree to the continued use of the same recycling bin product that was installed at Tonteg play area
- 3) Approve the installation of recycling bins at the following locations
 - a. Maes Y Bryn Play Area,
 - b. Station Rd Play Area
 - c. Tonteg Play Area (This is due to the amount of footfall the play area attracts)
- 4) Approve the expenditure of approximately **£2,196.15 + vat**

16. PROPOSED REVAMP OF WOODLANS UPPER PLAY AREA

Members considered the in-depth of the report that was presented to them by the Clerk. Many questions were put forwards in relation to the plans that had been received. Member agree that they would like to see the full plan from Contractor 1 before agreeing to proceed along with the finding from the play inspection report for 2026/27 which was in the process of being completed by the external play inspector.

After in depth discussion and suggestions Members **RESOLOVED** to

- 1) receive a full plan from contractor 1 and
- 2) consider the report of the play inspector before moving forward to recommend to Council.

17. CARBON FOOTPRINT

Members **RESOLOVED** to acknowledged the Council's work that is being carried out to improve the carbon footprint of the Llantwit Fardre Community Council

Jeff Beattie (CHAIR)

The meeting closed at 5.45 p.m.

Signed..... Date.....

