LLANTWIT FARDRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL CYNGOR CYMUNED LLANILLTUD FAERDREF



MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

3RD OCTOBER, 2022

REPORT OF THE CLERK

1. <u>ITEM REQUESTED BY COMMUNITY COUNCILLORS G.STACEY AND</u> G.WARREN

<u>CCTV – CAE FARDRE HOUSING ESTATE, CHURCH VILLAGE</u>

- 1.1 The above item has been requested to be placed on this agenda by Community Councillors G.Stacey and G.Warren, following further problems of anti-social behaviour that has been experienced by residents of Cae Fardre Housing Estate, Church Village.
- 1.2 Over the years many meetings have been held with multi agencies such as the Police, RCTCBC, Trivalis together with the respective Member of Parliament and the Senedd Member for Pontypridd to find ways in alleviating the problems with the above estate.
- 1.3 One such meeting, which was recently attended by the Assistant Chief Constable highlighted the need for more efficient CCTV cameras to be purchased to assist in protecting the safety of residents living on the estate and also visitors to the estate.
- 1.4 It is therefore proposed that three such cameras be purchased at a cost of £8,000 each and that they be placed on the stations that are currently in situ, these cameras would be monitored from the Control Centre which is located at Sardis House, Pontypridd.
- 1.5 It is therefore suggested that one of the CCTV cameras be

sponsored by this Community Council, the cost of which could be taken from the Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL).

- 1.6 As Members may be aware, at the beginning of this financial year there was £29,403 in receipts from CIL, £2,865 of which was used for the installation of waiting restrictions at Cae Fardre and £3,200 +VAT is to be used for the Council's new signage (as agreed at the Council meeting held on the 25th July, 2022, Minute No.57(b)(2) refers). The deduction of £2,865 and £3,200 leaves a balance of £23,338.
- 1.7 Should Members agree to £8,000 being deducted from the CIL receipts to assist in the purchase of a CCTV camera to be installed on the Cae Fardre Housing Estate then a balance of £15,338 would remain. However, Members also need to be mindful of the fact that an invoice is awaited from RCTCBC for the waiting and loading restrictions that have been agreed for the junction of Y Deri, Main Road, Llantwit Fardre but this will be less than £5,000.

2. **RECOMMENDATION**

2.1 Members are asked to consider whether to agree to £8,000 being used from CIL receipts for the purchase of a CCTV camera to assist in protecting the safety of residents of Cae Fardre Housing Estate, Church Village.