

COMMUNITY LIAISON COMMITTEE

Decision Notice – Remote Meeting, 1st July, 2025.

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Present: Councillor R.M. Birch (Chair); Councillors A. Asbrey, C. Cave, W. Gilligan, S.J. Haines, S.M. Hanks, N.P. Hodges, H.M. Payne, S.D. Perkes and R.R. Thomas.

Representing Town and Community Councils: Councillors B. Brooks (Barry Town Council)(Substitute), M. Wilson (Cowbridge with Llanblethian Town Council), G. Thomas (Llantwit Major Town Council), M. Phillips (Dinas Powys Community Council), H. Baker (Ewenny Community Council)(Substitute), S. Jefferies (Llandough Community Council), J. Shaw (Llandow Community Council), S. Bonnar (Llanfair Community Council), L. Green (Llanmaes Community Council)(Substitute), P. Summers (Penllyn Community Council), S.M. Toker (St. Athan Community Council), I. Perry (St. Nicholas and Bonvilston Community Council), N. Parry (Sully and Lavernock Community Council) and C. Hawkins (Wick Community Council).

Also present: Councillors G. John (Cabinet Member for Leisure, Sport and Wellbeing), Dr. I J. Johnson, and E. Williams (Cabinet Member for Social Care and Health).

AGENDA ITEM 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE –

These were received from Councillors M.R. Wilson (Vice-Chair), S. Campbell, S. Hodges (Barry Town Council), M. Cuddy (Penarth Town Council), R. Cox (Penarth Town Council)(Substitute), B. Morris (Colwinston Community Council), J. Radcliffe (Ewenny Community Council), M. Narusberg (Llanmaes Community Council), C. Wride (Pendoylan Community Council) and A. Cory (St. Georges and St. Brides Super Ely Community Council).

AGENDA ITEM 2. MINUTES –

AGREED – T H A T the minutes of the meeting held on 7th April, 2025 be approved as a correct record.

AGENDA ITEM 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST –

No declarations of interest were received.

AGENDA ITEM 4. SOUTH WALES POLICE SERVICE – VERBAL UPDATE –

AGREED – T H A T the apologies received from Inspector Childs be noted.

AGENDA ITEM 5. SOUTH WALES FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE –
VERBAL UPDATE –

AGREED –

- (1) T H A T the verbal update provided by Group Manager O’Keefe be noted.
- (2) T H A T a written update from Group Manager O’Keefe be provided to all Committee members, via the Democratic and Scrutiny Services Officer following the meeting, including advice specific to warmer weather.

Reasons for decisions

- (1) Having regard to updated information since the last Committee meeting (April 2025).
- (2) So that Committee Members may share both the Fire Service update and warm weather safety advice with their respective Town and Community Councils.

AGENDA ITEM 6. NOMINATION OF REPRESENTATIVE FROM
COMMUNITY COUNCILS FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICES BOARD –

AGREED – T H A T the report be deferred to the next meeting of the Committee.

Reason for decision

To allow the Committee further time to consider relevant nominations and to take the matter to a vote with a higher number of Town and Community Council Representatives in attendance.

AGENDA ITEM 7. DEMOCRACY AND BOUNDARY COMMISSION
CYMRU: VALE OF GLAMORGAN ELECTORAL ARRANGEMENTS REVIEW –

AGREED –

- (1) T H A T the Vale of Glamorgan Council’s observations to the Commission’s initial consultation on the first stage of the review and comments on the same, as set out within the report, be noted.
- (2) T H A T both the report and Committee comments be referred to Council on the 14th July, 2025.

Reasons for decisions

(1) Having regard to the contents of the report to apprise the Community Liaison Committee of the Council's observations to the Commission's initial consultation on the first stage of the review.

(2) To update Council and to approve the response to the initial consultation phase of the review.