

MINUTES of a Meeting of LLANIDLOES WITHOUT COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Date: Thursday 28th August, 2025.

Time: 7.30pm

Place: The Schoolroom, Baptist Chapel, Shortbridge Street, Llanidloes.

PRESENT: Councillors G. Jarman (Chairman) J. Francis Jones (V.Ch); D.E. Chapman; A.K. Davies;
G.M. Jones; H.G. Jones

Apologies were received from Clr. G. Jones

The Minutes of the last meeting, having been circulated, were approved by Councillors, and were signed by the Chairman.

MATTERS ARISING

Responses received from Clr. Preston These had been distributed to Councillors for their information.

Conditions of roads in area No further information had been received.

Conditions of picnic benches at Tycoch, Deildre No response had been received from Severn Trent.

Code of Conduct Training The clerk had sent an email with the Councils interest in the Code of Conduct Training and was waiting further information.

Provision of bench on cycle route between Cwmbelan and Llanidloes Clr. A.K. Davies has been approached by a further 4 Llanidloes residents regarding the provision of a bench. The Clerk was asked to email Clr. Glyn Preston as this is not within our area. The clerk was asked to write to Llangurig Community Council and inform them.

River Severn Llanidloes Trees are growing in the River Severn below Longbridge which could cause flooding to Victoria Avenue if they are allowed to remain. Trees are also growing out of the bridge.

Road widening scheme by Llanidloes Schools Councillors have had comments at the road widening by the Schools in Llanidloes which is considered to be a waste of money. Lorries are having difficulty passing now as the road has been narrowed. It is concerning that Powys have no say in how the money is spent.

Community Council Vacancy No request has been received by the Returning Officer for Powys County Council and the Council will co-opt a person to fill the vacancy as soon as it is practicable. Councillors agreed to co-opt Mr Geraint Jones, Glynhafren, Old Hall, Llanidloes, for the vacancy and the clerk was asked to write to him.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS

25/1119/FUL Erection of a replacement dwelling, including change of use of use of agricultural land to form dwelling curtilage, access improvements and installation of a package treatment plant at Bron Y Geifr, Van, Llanidloes, Powys.

This was supported.

Woodpecker Rally The clerk has received a plan showing the public rights closures for the Woodpecker Rally on the 30th August, 2025, and these are available for Councillors.

Active Travel Network Map Details have been distributed to Councillors

BT Payphones Consultation Outcome of consultation have been presented and the consultation closed.

Citizens Advice Powys Their Key Achievements Qrt 25.26 are available to Councillors.

Cross Border Health Funding and Provision in Powys The clerk has received a copy of recent letter sent from Cty. Cllr. William Powell to the First Minister expressing his serious concerns about the lack of funding for cross-border health services and treatments for the residents of Powys County Council. Councillors agreed with all issues raised in the letter and asked the Clerk to write to the First Minister with our concerns and supporting Cllr Powell. Patients that were going to Shrewsbury Hospital are now going to Aberystwyth and patients are having to travel long distances to attend appointments.

LLAIS National Survey – The Health & Social Care We Want They are running a survey and a chance to be part of a national conversation about your rights, expectations and responsibilities. The survey is available on line.

National Forest Landscape Scheme 2025-27 Details of the National Forest Landscape Scheme 2025-27. Details have been sent to Councillors.

Notice of emergency closure Bridleways 136, 137 & 137(a) Llanidloes Without have been closed as a matter of urgency for public safety.

Notice of emergency closure Bridleway 71 Llanidloes Without has been closed initially until 11th September, 2025.

The clerk was asked to write to Powys to ask what is the problem with the bridge at Glyn Cottages as there are concerns regarding the plans for the future as it is very well used.

October meeting will be changed to Thursday 23rd October, 2025.

Bus route Van to Newtown Timetables are on the website and available from clerk.

Burnside, Glan-y-Nant The clerk was asked to inform the Council Department in Llanidloes that trees need to be cut back at Burnside, Glan-y-Nant which are causing damage to the property.

Cheques to be signed

Clerks salary	£160.00
Admin expenses	£240.00

There was no other business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed.