

MINUTES of a Meeting of LLANIDLOES WITHOUT COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Date: Thursday 29th January, 2026.

Time: 7.30pm

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

PRESENT: Councillors G. Jerman (Chairman); A. K. Davies; S.E. Evans; H.G. Jones
County Clr. Fleur Frantz-Morgan

Apologies were received from Councillors J. Francis Jones, D.E. Chapman; G. Jones, G. Jones; G.M. Jones; County Clr. G.Preston.

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

MATTERS ARISING

Conditions of roads in area Discussions were held regarding the state of the roads in our area and Clr. Frantz-Morgan informed the meeting that when reporting a pothole a photo is required, nearest postcode and 3 word pin.

Parking of vehicles on Shortbridge Street and passed the bridge on double yellow lines is problematic for large vehicles to pass

Viewing point overlooking Clywedog Dam Nothing to report

Bridge between Tynwtra and Tanhinon Nothing further to report

State of Streets in Llanidloes Clr. Frantz-Morgan informed Councillors that there are plans to clean the town streets, a cleaner is coming in March. Trees on the side of the street need to be trimmed back as this has not been done for years.

Road past Caenocoed, Glan-y-Nant Nothing to report

Road by Clywedog Caravan Park Nothing to report

PLANNING APPLICATION - None

Section 137 Discretionary Limit For the financial year 2026-27 the appropriate sum for the purposes of this section increases from £11.10 to £11.60 per elector.

Citizens Advice Exec Team The Clerk has received a report of Citizens Advice achievement in helping people they have supported up to the end of 2025. Details from clerk.

Code of Conduct Training The link to the training will be sent to us in January 2026 and we will then receive an invoice for £60.

Marie Curie Great Daffodil Appeal 2026 This donation request was deferred to February meeting.

Cross Border Health Care A letter has been received from Llandrindod Wells Town Council regarding their concerns on the cross border health care that Powys residents receive. This letter had been forwarded to Councillors.

Montgomery Area Committee meeting will be held on line on Monday 2nd February, 2026. Clr. G. Jerman would look at this.

Provision of salt from Llanidloes to Rhydybenwch The clerk had complained to Powys Highways at the lack of provision of salt on the Old Hall road from Llanidloes to Rhydybenwch over the last two weekends when the road had been closed due to snow but visitors still travelled the road up to Hafren Forest.

Clr Frantz-Morgan informed the meeting that Powys Highways were prepared to provide salt bins and asked Councillors to consider where would be the best place to put them and the number that would be required?

St. David's Conference 2026 Councillors are invited to attend St David's Day Conference 2026 which will mark the 10th year of conference and bring partners together across Dyfed-Powys are on Wednesday 4th March 2026 on line.

Resilient Powys event will be held on Saturday 7th February at Knighton and District Community Hall. Details available from the clerk.

Bute Energy Planning applications for Banc Du and Rhiwlas Energy Parks were submitted to Planning and Environment Decisions Wales (PEDW) on 23th December 2026. PEDW will start its own five-week consultation which will be the final opportunity to give views on the proposals.

Flooding of 36 Victoria Avenue Clr G.M. Jones has written to Llanidloes Town Council with concerns about the flooding of number 36 Victoria Avenue, Llanidloes, due to vegetation on the roadside kerbs which are not cleaned regularly, the rain water washes down and blocks the drain in front of the house resulting in flooding. It was felt that the flooding was due to lack of maintenance and may need a flood prevention scheme to be put in place more than a larger pipe and culvert as they do not need this happening again. The clerk to write to highways.

Provision of bench at Cwmbelan Clr Davies reported that a bench has not been put in place to date, and Clr. Frantz-Morgan would look into this.

Brynposteg Landfill Site Reports of smells from the landfill site have been bed. No rubbish has been taken to the site since September and the Company has started to seal it. The whole site will be covered.

Road from Coed-y-Bontyn to Crowlem Clr. Evans reported that this road needs to be cleaned as well as the road from Tynfron to the Cwm. The clerk to report this matter.

Clr Frantz-Morgan informed Councillors that they are campaigning for a Banking Hub in Llanidloes as it is badly needed and the Liberals will be holding monthly surgeries 2nd Saturday of the month in Llanidloes Library and going to the Leg Club in the Van monthly.

Cheques to be signed

Clerks salary	£160.00
Admin expenses	£240.00

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