

County Hall Rhadyr Usk NP15 1GA

Wednesday, 19 October 2022

Notice of meeting

County Council

Thursday, 27th October, 2022 at 2.00 pm, Council Chamber, County Hall, The Rhadyr, Usk, NP15 1GA

AGENDA

Prayers will be said prior to the Council meeting at 1.50pm. All members are welcome to join the Chair for prayers should they wish to do.

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7. Motions to Council:

7.1. Submitted by County Councillor Jayne McKenna

Further to this Council's declaration in September about Non-Domestic Rates, this Council:

- Recognises the perfect storm of challenges facing town centre businesses in Monmouthshire this winter.
- Calls on the administration to consider steps to encourage shopping local in the run up to Christmas 2022, including free parking and free public transport at weekends.

8. Members Questions

8.1. From County Councillor Jan Butler to County Councillor Catrin Maby, Cabinet Member for Climate Change and the Environment

What representations has the administration made to Welsh Government about road safety on the A4042?

8.2. From County Councillor Paul Pavia to County Councillor Catrin Maby, Cabinet Member for Climate Change and the Environment

Will the Cabinet Member make a statement regarding a county-wide review of Council controlled car parks?

8.3. From County Councillor Paul Pavia to County Councillor Rachel Garrick, Cabinet Member for Resources

What assessment has the Cabinet Member made regarding the impact of energy price rises on school budgets this year?

8.4. From County Councillor Christopher Edwards to County Councillor Catrin Maby, Cabinet Member for Climate Change and the Environment

Could the cabinet member inform council of progress with the grant funding bid to Welsh Government in 2022/23 for a safer routes in communities scheme for road safety improvement works for St Lawrence Road (between Kingsmark Lane and Racecourse roundabout), Chepstow.

8.5. From County Councillor Lisa Dymock to County Councillor Sara Burch, Cabinet Member for Inclusive and Active Communities

What action is the administration taking to improve facilities for young people in the Caldicot area in the next 12 months?

9. Next Meeting - 1st December 2022

Paul Matthews

Chief Executive / Prif Weithredwr



MONMOUTHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL CYNGOR SIR FYNWY

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE COMMITTEE IS AS FOLLOWS:

County Councillor Laura Wright Grofield: Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Tony Kear Llanbadoc & Usk; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Catrin Maby Drybridge; Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Jan Butler Goetre Fawr; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Ian Chandler Llantilio Crossenny; Green Party Labour and Co-Operative County Councillor Sara Burch Cantref: Party County Councillor Alistair Neill Gobion Fawr; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Su McConnel Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru Croesonen: Labour and Co-Operative County Councillor Mary Ann Brocklesby Llanelly Hill; Partv County Councillor Fay Bromfield Llangybi Fawr; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Jane Lucas Osbaston; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Emma Bryn Wyesham; Independent Group County Councillor Peter Strong Rogiet: Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Meirion Howells Llanbadoc & Usk; Independent Group Chepstow Castle & County Councillor Paul Griffiths Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru Larkfield: County Councillor Jackie Strong Caldicot Cross; Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru Labour and Co-Operative County Councillor Rachel Catherine Garrick Caldicot Castle: Partv County Councillor Maria Stevens Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru Severn: County Councillor Steven Garratt Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru Overmonnow: County Councillor Angela Sandles Magor East with Undy; Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Ben Callard Llanfoist & Govilon; Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor John Crook Magor East with Undy; Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Tomos Dafydd Davies Llanfoist & Govilon; Welsh Conservative Party Chepstow Castle & County Councillor Dale Rooke Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru Larkfield: County Councillor Catherine Fookes Town: Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Sue Riley Bulwark and Thornwell: Mitchel Troy and Trellech County Councillor Jayne McKenna Welsh Conservative Party United: County Councillor Jill Bond West End: Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Louise Brown Welsh Conservative Party Shirenewton: County Councillor Lisa Dymock Portskewett: Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Tony Easson Dewstow: Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Christopher Edwards St. Kingsmark; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Martyn Groucutt Lansdown; Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru County Councillor Simon Howarth Llanelly Hill; Independent Group Mitchel Troy and Trellech County Councillor Richard John Welsh Conservative Party United: County Councillor David Jones Independent Group Crucorney; County Councillor Penny Jones Raglan; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Malcolm Lane Mardy; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Phil Murphy Caerwent: Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Paul Pavia Mount Pleasant: Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Maureen Powell Pen Y Fal; Welsh Conservative Party County Councillor Frances Taylor Independent Group

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Park;

County Councillor Tudor Thomas

County Councillor Armand Watts

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Aims and Values of Monmouthshire County Council

Our purpose

Building Sustainable and Resilient Communities

Objectives we are working towards

- Giving people the best possible start in life
- A thriving and connected county
- Maximise the Potential of the natural and built environment
- Lifelong well-being
- A future focused council

Our Values

Openness. We are open and honest. People have the chance to get involved in decisions that affect them, tell us what matters and do things for themselves/their communities. If we cannot do something to help, we'll say so; if it will take a while to get the answer we'll explain why; if we can't answer immediately we'll try to connect you to the people who can help — building trust and engagement is a key foundation.

Fairness. We provide fair chances, to help people and communities thrive. If something does not seem fair, we will listen and help explain why. We will always try to treat everyone fairly and consistently. We cannot always make everyone happy, but will commit to listening and explaining why we did what we did.

Flexibility. We will continue to change and be flexible to enable delivery of the most effective and efficient services. This means a genuine commitment to working with everyone to embrace new ways of working.

Teamwork. We will work with you and our partners to support and inspire everyone to get involved so we can achieve great things together. We don't see ourselves as the 'fixers' or problem-solvers, but we will make the best of the ideas, assets and resources available to make sure we do the things that most positively impact our people and places.

Kindness: We will show kindness to all those we work with putting the importance of relationships and the connections we have with one another at the heart of all interactions.