

CYNGOR CYMUNED – LLANDEGLA - COMMUNITY COUNCIL

**Minutes of the General Meeting held on 5th June 2005
in the Committee Room at the Llandegla Memorial Hall, Llandegla 7.00pm**

1. Welcome

Attendance

Councillors Gwyneth Dillon, Wendy Spiers, Gaynor Wonderley, Sandra Ellis-Rogers, Neena Barlow, Steve Swygart, Janet Strivens, Elizabeth Parker-Clark (clerk for the meeting), County Councillor Terry Mendies

Apologies:

None received

2. Declarations of interest - it is a requirement that declarations from a member include the nature of the interest and whether it is personal or prejudicial' (standing orders no. 57)

None received

3. Public participation - public participation session this provides an opportunity for members of the public to raise questions about and comment on items on the agenda – (time for this session is limited to ten minutes)

Lyn Chapman from The Thursday Club shared a hand-crafted wall tile display representing the village created by The Thursday Group. This is to be sited in the village. Funding was requested for a plaque to be added to the display before mounting.

RESOLVED: *Councillor Strivens to bring quotations from The Thursday Club to the next council meeting*

4. To Confirm the minutes of the previous general meeting held on 1st May 2025.

Members confirmed the minutes as a true record and signed by the chair.

5. Matters arising from the minutes not on the agenda

None raised.

6. County Councillor's report

No further update on planning breaches, or yellow lines in the village.
Councillor Mendies to email DCC re car park.

RESOLVED: *Item on the footpath to be added to next agenda.*

7. Co-option of a returning Councillor

Hilary Berry was re-elected to Llandegla Community Council and signed the Declaration of Acceptance to Office.

8. Village assets

Councillor Swygart to appoint Richards, Moorhead & Lang (Landscape Architects) to undertake the Picnic Area footpath feasibility study now cheques can be written

RESOLVED: *Councillors Dillon and Swygart to sign a cheque for £600 to Richards, Moorhead & Lang.*

Councillor Dillon advised the council we are now in possession of the Asset Register.

Following an issue with access to cut a hedge next to the village carpark, (owned by Denbighshire County Council) Councillor Swygart emailed Highways who will insert bollards at the ends of the parking bay lines nearest the hedge to stop parking next to the hedge to allow the resident to cut the hedge. Councillor Swygart has also requested Denbighshire County Council weed the car park to improve the appearance.

Councillor Swygart observed a planter is preventing disabled pedestrian access to the car park as it blocks the route to the dropped kerb on the apex of the bend there. Thus, to improve disabled access in the village, the planter needs relocating.

RESOLVED: *Councillor Berry to ask permission from the Gardening club to move the planter.*

Councillor Swygart observed that an old, small caravan had been dumped in a small layby on the back lane between Llandegla and the crossroads leading rightwards to Llanarmon on the B road. Councillor Swygart contacted County Councillor Mendies to request this was added to DCC's 360 System for removal.

Councillor Swygart noted DCC groundsmen had parked by the old chapel, blocking the road to larger vehicles, in order to mow the grass. He successfully requested the vehicle was moved to prevent further bus issues in the village.

RESOLVED: *County Councillor Mendies to contact DCC Highways to request DCC vehicles entering the village are sympathetic to the bus issues in the village*

9. Financial report

Councillor Dillon advised she has attended the bank in Mold. Cheques can now be signed so outstanding invoices will be paid.

RESOLVED: *Councillor Dillon to pay invoices on behalf of the Community Council*

Councillor Dillon advised contact has now been made with the Audit Office and next year will be a full audit. The auditors have requested twelve documents.

RESOLVED: *Councillor Dillon to provide auditors with relevant paperwork for this year's audit.*

RESOLVED: *On appointment of the Community Council's new clerk, financial transactions to be recorded in the main body of minutes as well as in financial update.*

Councillor Dillon advised that the Community Council laptop is data free.

Councillor Dillon advised that the process of sorting past paperwork is ongoing.

Councillor Dillon advised contact has been made with One Voice Wales regarding outstanding councillor allowance payments.

RESOLVED: *Councillor Dillon to re- contact One Voice Wales*

10. Correspondence

Councillor Dillon highlighted there had been an enquiry regarding Footpath 15. Councillor Dillon advised there has been no planning application seen for Footpath 15.

Councillor Swygart shared a letter collated by a number of community councils raising questions around the proposed National Park.

RESOLVED: *Councillor Swygart will send a response confirming the council's support of the questions raised*

11. Clerk Advertisement.

Councillor Parker-Clark shared the prepared advert with amendments

RESOLVED: *Councillor Parker-Clark to advertise the vacancy on the Friends of Llandegla Facebook page and with Denbighshire County Council. The advert also to be placed on the Community Council's website and through One Voice Wales.*

12. Urgent Business under Section 100B(4) of the Government Act 1972

None

13. Date of the Next Community Council Meeting

Thursday 3rd July, (none in August) and Thursday 4th September 2025

Gwyneth A Dillon.

Chair to Community Council

3rd July 2025