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NOTICE OF MEETING

10 December 2025

Dear Councillor

You are summoned to attend a meeting of Abertillery and Llanhilleth Community Council, to be held in the Council Chamber, Council Offices Mitre Street and via video conferencing (Zoom) on **Wednesday 17 December 2025 at 7.00pm**. The agenda for the meeting is set out below.

Meetings of community councils in Wales are normally open to the public (except those parts of any meeting that discuss confidential matters). Public access to the Abertillery and Llanhilleth Community Council chamber is very limited but any member of the public who wishes to attend this meeting via Zoom should contact the council via the email address above.

Yours faithfully

Erika Davies, Deputy Clerk.

AGENDA

- 1. Apologies for absence**
- 2. Declarations of interest or dispensations**
- 3. Minutes 26 November (papers attached)**
- 4. Public Questions (standing orders 4f)**
- 5. Presentation from Dave Leech - Strategic Director for Adults & Communities**
Presenting and gathering some initial feedback from Members about The Blaenau Gwent Deal.
- 6. Grant Applications (papers attached)**
There is currently £4,685.59 remaining in the Council Grants budget.
To consider the following grant application:-
Abertillery Aikido Dojo: £1,000 for annual rent. (Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976, s19)
- 7. Section 6 Biodiversity Report (papers attached)**
Council to review and agree the Section 6 Biodiversity Report 2023-2025, as recommended by the PlaCE Committee.

8. School Transport (papers attached)

Council to agree the allocation of the £10,000 budget line for school transport. (Local Government Act 1972 s137)

9. Abertillery Institute Support Letter

Council to agree for the Clerk to write a letter of support for Abertillery Institute, confirming the backing of Abertillery and Llanhilleth Community Council in the Institute's grant application for National Lottery Funding for renovation works.

10. Committee Minutes (papers attached)

Leisure and Tourism – 07 November 2025

HR – 29 October 2025

HR – 26 November 2025

PlaCE – 17 October 2025

PlaCE – 31 October 2025

Community Empowerment – 30 October 2025

Party in the Park – 26 April 2025

Fun Run – 17 May 2024

Cwmtillery Ward Grant – 07 November 2025

11. School Governor Representative

Motion to reinstate Cllr. Ben Owen-Jones as the Council representative on the Governing Body of Sofrydd Primary School

12. Resolution to Exclude the Press and Public

Members are recommended to consider and resolve that, by virtue of the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960, the press and public are excluded from discussions on the following items on the basis that disclosure thereof would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.

13. New Website

Council to approve the new website and its publication as soon as practicable, as recommended by the Community Empowerment Committee.

14. Date of Next Meeting

14th January 2026 at 7pm (Budget Meeting)