TREDEGAR TOWN COUNCIL

Reporting of decisions and recommendations - Joint Civic and Ordinary Meeting of Council held on Wednesday, 10th December, 2025 at 6.30 p.m.

Present: Councillors A.E. Tippings (Chair)

A. Jones

M. Turner

K. Phillips

L. Thomas Evans

E. Jones

D. Rowberry

J. Thomas

P. Tolley

H. Trollope

S. Trollope

G. Walters

In attendance: Clerk - Ms. C. Aherne

Apologies: Councillors G. Badham, A.E. Evans, G. Jones-Griffiths,

S. Mavar and K. Waldron; RFO - Ms. A. Edwards

Declarations of Interest

The Chair reminded Members to make their declarations as and when necessary.

To receive Mayor's report, as appropriate

Received.

To receive any verbal recommendations of all Sub-Committees / Working Party meetings held prior to this meeting of Council

It was agreed the recommendations of the Events Sub-Committee and the Finance and Staffing Sub-Committee held prior to Council be approved accordingly.

Tredegar Recreation Ground: any update for discussion

None received.

Grants:

a) To receive and consider grants to Sporting and Cultural organisations (under the provision of the Local Govt. Miscellaneous Provision Act 1976 s.19 and Local Government Act 1972 s.137

Councillor J. Thomas declared an interest in the following application and took no part in discussion.

Tredegar Moose Ladies Circle – Any financial assistance received would be used towards painting of the external walls of the building and fencing around the car park.

20124/25 Nov'24 CQ No. 706744 £200.00: - Approved accordingly

b) To receive and consider grants to Churches & Chapels (s.137) - Grants as of 01.04.2017 now max £300.00 (before awarding a grant Council must be satisfied the grant is being given for non-religious purposes with the building being for community use) — None received.

To consider a Schedule of Accounts for payment in December 2025

The Schedule of Accounts was approved for payment.

To receive and adopt the following Minutes of Council:

- a) Events Sub-Committee 5th November, 2025
- b) Civic Meeting of Council 5th November, 2025
- c) Events Sub-Committee 19th November, 2025
- d) Ordinary Meeting of Council 19th November, 2025

It was agreed that all Minutes presented be moved as a true record.

Chair to sign Minutes - at earliest opportunity in accordance with WG Legislation and Guidance

Minutes approved were duly signed by the Chair in the presence of Council.

Correspondence

Councillor D. Rowberry declared an interest in 'Licensing' and took no part in discussion or voting thereon.

Items of correspondence were received and noted accordingly.

Councillors E. Jones, D. Rowberry and J. Thomas declared an interest in the following item and took no part in discussion or voting thereon.

Planning:

To consider Planning Applications submitted for Council's observations

App. No.	Proposal
C/2024/0144	RE-CONSULTATION Alteration of red line boundary for access
No objections	To demolish an existing wooden construction property and replace with a single storey Bungalow – Land at Old Tram Road, Waundeg, Tredegar.
P/2025/0191	Proposed change of use of vacant land to residential curtilage, Vacant land between The Gables and Deglan,
No objections	Charles Street.

P/2025/0291 Construction of a pair of semi-detached dwellings and

associated works, Plots 1-3. Former Pochin works Site,

No objections Newport Road.

P/2025/0298 Advertisement consent for 3 fascia signs and 4 window

posters plus 1 wall sign, 21 Castle Street.

Observations:

No objections; however, concern was expressed in regard to the impact upon the visual amenity, as this conservation area was core to the heritage of the town.

P/2025/0299 External alterations to front and side elevation, front roller

shutter door and installation of Inpost unit to the side

Observations elevation, 21 Castle Street.

No objections; however, a Member suggested the location of the unit should be re-sited, so as not to obscure, as the current position was directly in front of an existing window.

P/2025/0305 Proposed construction of a 2.4m high fence and gates as per design drawings, Bryn Bach Primary.

P/2025/0312 Proposed works to rear garden space including erection of

outbuilding, retaining wall, steps, driveway and gates. Retention of existing retaining walls, Willowbank Hillview,

No objections Retention of exist Georgetown.

P/2025/0332 Installation of 2 holiday chalets to provide tourism facility at

site adjoining Dan Y Bryn, Newport Road including access,

No objections ecology and Landscaping.

To consider other planning matters – None received.

Updates regarding Bedwellty House and Park / Parc Bryn Bach - any issues to have been previously reported direct to the House Management / Aneurin Leisure personally

Received and noted accordingly.

Delegates: to receive and consider reports from Delegates to Outside Bodies and the recommendations of Sub-Committees / Working Parties:

- a) Joint Committee of Local Councils
- b) Gwent Valleys One Voice Wales
- c) One Voice Wales Larger Councils and AGM
- d) Tredegar Twinning
- e) Pen Bryn Oer Community Fund
- f) School Governing Bodies
- g) Blaenau Gwent Heritage Forum
- h) Tredegar Business Forum

Updates received and noted accordingly.

Matters of Local Interest or Concern (by prior notice)	,
Received.	