MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 14th June 2016 at FELINDRE VILLAGE HALL

These notes do not form part of the meeting but may be acted upon by the Members.

In Attendance: 1 member of the public.

Comments from members of the public;

No grass cut this year on village verges in Teme valley by Powys County Council

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING

Present: Cllr Ms A Jones Cllr G Evans Cllr Mrs A Hoyle, Cllr P Barrett (Chair), Cllr *E* Harris. Cllr B Thomas and Cllr J *Lewis*

APOLOGIES

Cllr M Morgan and Cllr A Kenyon-Wade

Declarations of Interest. Members were requested to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interests they may have in matters to be considered at the meeting in accordance with the Local Authorities (Model Code of Conduct Order) (Wales) Order 2008.

Personal

Cllr M/s A Jones Knucklas Community Centre Cllr Mrs A Hoyle Knucklas Community Centre

5546. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Minutes of the meetings on 10th May 2016 were approved without amendment and signed by the Chairman.

5547. MATTERS ARISING

From the meeting of 10th May. Only matters which do not appear on the Agenda should be raised.

Asset Transfer of land at Knucklas Community Centre -

Councillor G Evans reported with the Clerk, on the meeting with Vickie Julian of Powys CC and Helen Barrett from PCBlaw to get quicker progress on the transfer. However it was confirmed that costs of between £600-£1000 may have to be incurred by Beguildy CC to complete the Asset Transfer.

Members agreed that the Clerk contact Powys CC to see if there is any funding towards these costs.

Garreg Lwyd update

Members discussed at length the area for which community benefits should be used from turbines. It was agreed that Cllr B Thomas do some calculations and forward them to all members followed by a meeting at Felindre Village Hall on Friday 24th June at 6:00pm.

Inspection of Children's play area

Clerk awaiting yearly play inspection.

VAT 2015/16

Clerk confirmed receipt of £1217.52 for above year

5548 COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT.

County Councillor John Brunt explained that the hedge cutting on the B4355 had been stopped because of environmental rules preventing such works during the bird nesting season. The works are planned to restart in the autumn.

He outlined the route which the power cable, taking electricity generated by the Garreg Clwyd Hill Windfarm, would take in this area.

Councillor Brunt went on to update the Council on the possible changes to the Waste Recycling Site at Knucklas.

County Councillor Brunt took part in the discussions with the representatives of RES Ltd, explaining the role of ACCB and the Council's involvement with the group.

5549 FINANCE

a) Payments -

N King (June 2016 Salary)	£335.81
HM Inspector of Taxes (Income Tax deducted from Clerks Salary)	(£67.16)
Net Pay	£268.21
Felindre village hall rooms hire	£ 25.00
Highground grass cutting	£115.63

Members agreed the above payments.

5550. PLANNING

Powys County Council new planning notification system-Members noted

Garreg Lwyd Hedgerow removal-Members approved the proposals.

5551. HIGHWAYS HOUSING AND ENVIROMENT.

Powys County Council-road closure in Knucklas July/August 2016-Members noted.

Grass cutting of verges in Teme valley were appalling and Clerk to write complaint.

5552. HEYOPE RECREATION GROUND

1) The minutes for the meeting of the 10th May 2016 were approved without amendment and duly signed by the Chairman.

5553. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE

Request from Lin Jones for contribution towards keeping Llanbister School open deferred to June meeting. Members agreed a contribution of £500 Cllr Barrett to agree payee on cheque.

5554 ANY URGENT BUSINESS/INFORMATION (at discretion of Chair)

None.

Meeting closed at 9:39 pm

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: 7:30pm Tuesday 5th July at Knucklas Community Centre.