

Minutes of a **Meeting** of the **NEW QUAY TOWN COUNCIL** held at the Memorial Hall, New Quay on **Monday 26 March 2018**

PRESENT: Councillor D Potter (Chairman), Councillor J Davies, J Evans, S Hartley, G Hopley , P Hopley, A Jones, M Rees, B Stones and H Williams,

(7.00pm- 8.15pm)

### **121 Apologies**

None.

### **122 Personal Matters**

None

### **123 Declaration of Personal/Prejudicial Interest**

### **124 Minutes of the Meeting held on 26 February 2018**

124.01 The Minutes of the meeting of the 26 February 2018 were confirmed as a true record.

### **125 Matters arising**

125.01/113.01/102.02/89.02/78.02/66.05/59.01 It had been discussed at the recent Harbour Users Consultative Committee if the beach could be raked with the licence for the dredging.

125.02 It was reported that there was no mention of the Ambulance Service relocating as part of the new Integrated Centre in Aberaeron in the Cambrian News. Councillor Potter had discussed this issue with Councillor Ray Quant who would be raising the issue at Full Council. In order to ascertain the number of residents in New Quay during the winter and summer Councillor Potter would obtain the bedstock survey results from the Tourism Service in Ceredigion County Council.

125.03/120.01 An update on the Memorial Hall was provided. The Charitable Trust Committee had requested that the Committee receive additional six months by the County Council and the income for the hall during that time. A questionnaire would also be circulated to residents of New Quay to ascertain if they wanted a hall and if they would be willing to assist the committee. It was also proposed that the hall be open on Friday mornings to serve tea and coffee to residents who were unable to attend the WI market in Caerwedros. It was envisaged that other stalls and table top would also attend.

125.04 Jim Hey was proceeding with the Town map

125.05/120.01 An update on the NQ Working group was requested and if they were addressing the weeds and litter issues. It was reported that the committee would be considering clearing sections of the Town on mass.

### **126 County Councillor's Report**

126.01 Meeting with Anne Eleri regarding the art project year of the sea, 4 had been successful for interview. Town Council would be consulted on any proposal.

126.02 Mooring fees would be considered by Cabinet tomorrow.

126.03 County Council had cut hedges on the way down towards the harbour as requested

126.04 Work to commence on the pier next week following inspection

126.05 Extra recycling bins would be placed around the harbour to accommodate plastic recycling. They would also be seagull proof.

126.06 The next community working group would be held at 7.00pm at Penrhiwllan.

### **127 Finance**

Opening Balance £23,046.94 (£1012.66 ring fenced for defibrillator and £500.00 towards the Dylan Thomas Project).

127.01 Clerk Salary & Expenses £265.00 (

127.02 Clerk back pay £98.32 (March)

127.03 Aberaeron Swimming Pool £200.00

127.04 Paul Hughes £415.00

127.05 Hire of Hall £45.00

127.06 Cardigan Bay Regatta £100.00

Closing Balance £21,923.62 (£1012.66 ring fenced for defibrillator and £500.00 towards the Dylan Thomas Project).

Closing balance for Town Council account £20,410.96

The Review of the Budget for March was noted.

### **128 Planning Applications**

128.01 A180193 Removal of existing garage and erection of replacement garage and annex. HILBRE, 1, PICTON CRESCENT, CEI NEWYDD, CEREDIGION- OBJECT as this was an overdevelopment of a rear garden in a conservation area

128.02 A180108 TOWYN FARM, A486 FROM NEW QUAY TO THE JUNCTION WITH THE UR33 CAPEL MAEN Y GROES, NEW QUAY, CEREDIGION- NO OBJECTION

### **129 Planning decisions**

None.

### **130 Correspondence**

130.01 Tourism Information Centre – Following consideration of the letter received from the Tourism Section, Members requested the running costs of the TIC in order to consider relocating the museum in the building together with the TIC. Members were of the opinion that the Town could not afford to lose this vital service.

130.02 Action on minutes was considered. Issues raised were that larger no dogs and no dog fouling signs would be obtained. The Clerk would contact Borth Community Council to ascertain of where they had purchased their signage. The New Quay Town Council sign would be taken down and painted by Councillor J Davies. Councillor Davies would also follow up the repair of the toll boards.

130.03 Green Paper consultation 'Strengthening Local Government: Delivering for People'. This can be accessed via the Welsh Government website was noted.

<https://beta.gov.wales/strengthening-local-government-delivering-people>

130.04 General Data Protection Regulation was considered and adopted accordingly.

**131 Arrangements for the next meeting**

It was agreed that the next meeting would be held on Monday, 30 April 2018 at 7.00pm