

CYNGOR BWRDEISTREF SIROL
RHONDDA CYNON TAF
COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

A meeting of the CABINET will be held at the County Borough Council Headquarters, The Pavilions, Clydach Vale (The Council Chamber)

THURSDAY, 12TH FEBRUARY, 2015 at 2pm.

Contact: Mrs Emma Wilkins (Tel No. 01443 424062)

Councillors and members of the public wishing to request the facility to address the Cabinet on any of the business as listed below, must request to do so by 5 p.m. on the 10TH FEBRUARY 2015. It must be noted that this facility is at the discretion of the Chair and each request will be considered based on the agenda items being considered, the public interest/interest of the member in each matter and the demands of the business on that day. To make such a request please contact the Cabinet Office on 01443-424062 or alternatively please email Cabinet@rctcbc.gov.uk.

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

1 DECLARATION OF INTEREST:

To receive disclosures of personal interest from Members in accordance with the Code of Conduct.

Note:

1. Members are requested to identify the item number and subject matter that their interest relates to and signify the nature of the personal interest; and
2. Where Members withdraw from a meeting as a consequence of the disclosure of a prejudicial interest they **must** notify the Chairman when they leave.

2. CHILDREN'S SERVICES MODEL FOR CONSULTATION.

Report of the Group Director, Community & Children's Services outlining the progress made in developing a Children's Services Delivery Model for Rhondda Cynon Taf.

- 3. JOINT SUPPLIES SERVICE – CONSTITUTION AMENDMENT.**
Report of the Group Director, Corporate & Frontline Services asking Cabinet Members to consider, and if appropriate, approve the amendment of the existing joint supplies constitution.

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- 4 KEY STAGE 4 EXAMINATION RESULTS AND THE NEW PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL CATEGORISATION FOR 2014.**
Report of the Director, Education & Lifelong Learning providing Members with final confirmation of the Key Stage 4 Examination Results and the new Welsh Government Primary and Secondary School Categorisation for 2014.

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- 5 REALIGNMENT OF LEARNING SUPPORT CLASSES FOR PUPILS WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS.**
Report of the Director, Education & Lifelong Learning advising Members of the outcome of the recent consultation in respect of the proposal to realign mainstream Learning Support Class provision within Rhondda Cynon Taf.

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- 6 REVIEW OF THE COUNCIL'S CAR MILEAGE RATES.**
Report of the Director, Human Resources seeking Cabinet Members views on reducing the current mileage reimbursement rate payable to staff that utilise their vehicles for work related purposes.

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- 7 COUNCIL FEES & CHARGES (INCLUDING PROPOSALS TO REVISE CHARGES FOR LEISURE SERVICES) 2015/16**
Joint report of the Group Director, Corporate & Frontline Services and Group Director, Community and Children's Services outlining the proposed increases to Council fees and charges for the Financial Year 2015/16, with specific reference to Leisure fees and charges.

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- 8 STAFF PANEL REPORT**
Report of the Service Director, Cabinet & Public Relations updating Members on the work undertaken by the Council's Staff Panel

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9 THE COUNCIL'S 2015/2016 REVENUE BUDGET.

Report of the Group Director, Corporate & Frontline Services outlining the proposed budget strategy for the Council following the second stage consultation process.

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10. URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any urgent business as the Chairman feels appropriate.

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Service Director and Secretary to the Cabinet

