



**COFNOD O BENDERFYNIAD WEDI'I DDIRPRWYO GAN SWYDDOG**  
**RECORD OF DELEGATED OFFICER DECISION**

**Penderfyniad Allweddol | Key Decision** ✓

**Mae'r Penderfyniad Wedi'i Ddirprwyo hwn wedi'i bennu yn 'Benderfyniad Allweddol' gan ei fod yn debygol o:**

This Delegated Decision has been established as a 'Key Decision' as it is likely:

**a) arwain at y Cyngor yn ysgwyddo gwariant sylweddol neu wneud arbedion sylweddol; to result in the Council incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant;** ☐

**neu / or:**

**b) fod yn arwyddocaol o ran sut mae'n effeithio ar gymunedau sy'n byw neu'n gweithio mewn ardal sy'n cynnwys dwy etholaeth neu adran etholiadol neu ragor. to be significant in terms of its effects on Communities living or working in an area comprising two or more electoral wards.** ☒

**c) Eraill / Other:**

**PWNC | SUBJECT: Adoption of Llantwit Fardre Community Council Street Lighting**

**DIBEN YR ADRODDIAD | PURPOSE OF THE REPORT:**

In accordance with the Council's Scheme of Delegation, this report has been prepared to accompany the intended officer decision of the Director for Highways, Streetcare and Transportation Services, to give permission in accordance with Section 15 of the Local Government Act, 2000 (Executive Functions) to adopt the streetlighting currently maintained by Llantwit Fardre Community Council.

**PENDERFYNIAD WEDI'I DDIRPRWYO | DELEGATED DECISION:**

**AGREED:**

1. That the streetlighting currently maintained by Llantwit Fardre Community Council is adopted and maintained by RCTCBC.

**Llofnod y Prif Swyddog**

Chief Officer Signature

Steve Williams

Director of Highways, Streetcare  
and Transportation

27.01.25

**Enw (priflythrennau)**

Name (Print Name)

**Swydd**

Designation


**Dyddiad**


Date

**Mae'r penderfyniad yn cael ei wneud yn unol ag Adran 15 o Ddeddf Llywodraeth Leol 2000 (Swyddogaethau'r Corff Gweithredol) ac yn y cylch gorchwyl sy wedi'i nodi yn Adran 5 o Ran 3 o Gyfansoddiad y Cyngor.**

The decision is taken in accordance with Section 15 of the Local Government Act, 2000 (Executive Functions) and in the terms set out in Section 5 of Part 3 of the Council's Constitution.

## YMGYNGHORI | CONSULTATION

	Councillor Andrew Morgan Leader of the Council	24.01.25
<b>LLOFNOD YR AELOD YMGYNG O'R CABINET  </b> CONSULTEE CABINET MEMBER SIGNATURE	<b>ENW A SWYDD  </b> NAME AND DESIGNATION	<b>DYDDIAD   DATE</b>

	Andrew Stone Service Director for Highways and Engineering	24.01.25
<b>LLOFNODSWYDDOG YMGYNGHOROL  </b> CONSULTEE OFFICER SIGNATURE	<b>ENW A SWYDD  </b> NAME AND DESIGNATION	<b>DYDDIAD   DATE</b>

### A FYDD Y PENDERFYNIAD YMA'N CAEL EFFAITH AR Y WARD?

WILL THIS DECISION HAVE AN IMPACT ON THE WARD?

**BYDD | YES** ✓      **NA FYDD | NO** X

### Unrhyw sylwadau pellach/Oes angen rhoi gwybod i'r Aelod Lleol: ✓

Any further comments/Need for Local Member to be informed:

Further to a request from Llantwit Fardre CC, RCTCBC will adopt and maintain the street lighting assets as per the attached drawings. Once the agreement is in place, all street lighting faults are to be reported to RCTCBC.

**RHEOLAU'R WEITHDREFN GALW-I-MEWN | CALL IN PROCEDURE RULES.**

**A YW'R PENDERFYNIAD YN UN BRYN A HEB FOD YN DESTUN PROSES GALW-I-MEWN GAN Y PWYLLGOR TROSOLWG A CHRAFFU?:**

**IS THE DECISION DEEMED URGENT AND NOT SUBJECT TO CALL-IN BY THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE:**

**YDY | YES x      NAC YDY | NO ✓**

**Rheswm dros fod yn fater brys | Reason for Urgency:**

***Os yw'n cael ei ystyried yn fater brys - llofnod y Llywydd, y Dirprwy Lywydd neu Bennaeth y Gwasanaeth Cyflogedig yn cadarnhau cytundeb fod y penderfyniad arfaethedig yn rhesymol yn yr holl amgylchiadau iddo gael ei drin fel mater brys, yn unol â rheol gweithdrefn trosolwg a chraffu 17.2:***

*If deemed urgent - signature of Presiding Member or Deputy Presiding Member or Head of Paid Service confirming agreement that the proposed decision is reasonable in all the circumstances for it being treated as a matter of urgency, in accordance with the overview and scrutiny procedure rule 17.2:*

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**(Llywydd | Presiding Member)      (Dyddiad | Date)**

**DS - Os yw hwn yn benderfyniad sy'n cael ei ail-ystyried yna does dim modd galw'r penderfyniad i mewn a bydd y penderfyniad yn dod i rym o'r dyddiad mae'r penderfyniad wedi'i lofnodi.**

**NB - If this is a reconsidered decision then the decision Cannot be Called In and the decision will take effect from the date the decision is signed.**

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**DYDDIADAU CYHOEDDI A GWEITHREDU | PUBLICATION & IMPLEMENTATION DATES**

**CYHOEDDI | PUBLICATION**

**Cyhoeddi ar Wefan y Cyngor | Publication on the Council's Website:-** \_\_\_\_28.01.25\_\_\_\_

**DYDDIAD | DATE**

**GWEITHREDU'R PENDERFYNIAD | IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECISION**

**Nodwch:** Fydd y penderfyniad hwn ddim yn dod i rym nac yn cael ei weithredu'n llawn nes cyn pen 3 diwrnod gwaith ar ôl ei gyhoeddi. Nod hyn yw ei alluogi i gael ei "Alw i Mewn" yn unol â Rheol 17.1, Rheolau Gweithdrefn Trosolwg a Chraffu.

**Note:** This decision will not come into force and may not be implemented until the expiry of 3 clear working days after its publication to enable it to be the subject to the Call-In Procedure in Rule 17.1 of the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules.

**Yn amodol ar y drefn "Galw i Mewn", caiff y penderfyniad ei roi ar waith ar:**

Subject to Call In the implementation date will be:

\_\_\_\_03.02.25\_\_\_\_  
**DYDDIAD / DATE**

**WEDI'I GYMERADWYO I'W GYHOEDDI: ✓ | APPROVED FOR PUBLICATION :✓**

**Rhagor o wybodaeth | Further Information:**

Cyfadrn   Directorate:	Finance Digital and Frontline Services
Enw'r Person Cyswllt   Contact Name:	Andrew Phipps
Swydd   Designation:	Street Lighting and Traffic Signals Manager

**RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**21<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2025**

**KEY OFFICER DELEGATED DECISION**

**ADOPTION OF LLANTWIT FARDRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL STREET LIGHTING**

**REPORT TO ACCOMPANY A DECISION OF THE DIRECTOR HIGHWAYS,  
STREETCARE AND TRANSPORTATION SERVICES**

**Author(s): Mr Andrew Phipps, Street Lighting and Traffic Signals Manager**

**1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

- 1.1 The purpose of the report is to grant permission in accordance with Section 15 of the Local Government Act, 2000 (Executive Functions) to adopt the streetlighting currently maintained by Llantwit Fardre Community Council. In accordance with the Constitution of the Council and the Council's Scheme of Delegation this report has been prepared to accompany the decision of the Director of Highways, Streetcare and Transportation Services.

**2. RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 2.1 It is recommended that the streetlighting currently maintained by Llantwit Fardre Community Council is adopted and maintained by RCTCBC.

**3 REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 3.1 RCTCBC, under their maintenance contract, will ensure the street lighting assets are maintained to current standards, codes of practice and regulations. This will include regular inspections, electrical and structural testing to ensure safety to the public. All reported queries/faults with the street lighting assets will be actioned promptly as per the maintenance contract requirements. They will also fall under the authority's current part-night policy.

**4. BACKGROUND**

- 4.1 Further to the transfer of the footpath maintenance back to RCTCBC, Llantwit Fardre Community Council representatives requested that the Council adopt all streetlighting, that is in their ownership, to RCT Highways.

**5 EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY IMPLICATIONS / SOCIO-ECONOMIC DUTY**

- 5.1 There are no equality and diversity implications resulting from the adoption.

## **6 WELSH LANGUAGE IMPLICATIONS**

There are no Welsh language implications resulting from the adoption.

## **7 CONSULTATION / INVOLVEMENT**

- 7.1 Director of Legal Services
- 7.2 Director for Highways, Streetcare and Transportation Services,
- 7.3 Llantwit Fardre Community Council

## **8 FINANCIAL IMPLICATION(S)**

- 8.1 A contribution of £23,000.00 will be provided by Llantwit Fardre Community Council for the future maintenance and running costs of the street lighting assets.
- 8.2 In addition, the following financial implications may be witnessed:
  - i. The legal costs associated with preparation of an agreement.
  - ii. Replacement costs of lighting columns and associated works when required.
  - iii. Revenue costs associated with the running and maintenance costs of the lighting columns.

## **9 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS OR LEGISLATION CONSIDERED**

- 9.1 Section 270 Highways Act 1980 – Transfer of Lighting Systems.

## **10 LINKS TO THE CORPORATE AND NATIONAL PRIORITIES AND THE WELL-BEING OF FUTURE GENERATIONS ACT.**

- 10.1 People and Communities - adoption of the street lighting assets will support and empower RCT residents to live safe, healthy and fulfilling lives.

## **11 CONCLUSION**

- 11.1 RCTCBC to adopt and maintain the street lighting assets currently owned by Llantwit Fardre Community Council.



**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

**AS AMENDED BY**

**THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985**

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