



**RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**RECORD OF DECISIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE**

**DECISION MADE BY: Cabinet    DATE DECISION MADE: 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2015.**

***Agenda Item 4***

**SUBJECT:**  
Pontypridd Community Day Centre

**Cabinet Members Present  
County Borough Councillors:**

A.Morgan (Chairman), R.Bevan, A.Crimmings, M.Forey,  
E. Hanagan, G Hopkins, K. Montague, J. Rosser & M.Webber

**Other County Borough Councillor(s)  
In Attendance:-  
P Jarman & M Powell**

**1. DECISION MADE:**

**Agreed –**

- To note the current building maintenance issues with Pontypridd Community Day Centre as outlined in the report.
- To instruct officers to urgently review opportunities to work with local, voluntary and third sector providers to commission affordable community provision within the Pontypridd area to meet any unmet need should the Day Centre close.
- That subject to officers identifying and agreeing appropriate community provision within the Pontypridd area to meet any unmet need, to close Pontypridd Community Day Centre (as soon as is practicable) for the reasons outlined in the report.

**N.B** With the permission of the Chairman, County Borough Councillors P Jarman and M Powell spoke on this item.

**2. REASON FOR THE DECISION BEING MADE:**

- To advise Cabinet of the current condition of the facility, low centre usage and declining demands for meals, making continuation of operating at the Pontypridd Community Day Centre unsustainable and does not represent value for money.
- In delivering the Council's wellbeing duties under the Social Services and Wellbeing Act and in delivering its role in enabling and supporting community based resources this is an ideal opportunity to work with local community based providers to deliver a community based, town centre alternative.

**3. CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN PRIOR TO DECISION BEING MADE:**

- None

**4. PERSONAL INTERESTS DECLARED:**

- None

**5. DISPENSATION TO SPEAK (AS GRANTED BY STANDARDS COMMITTEE):**

N/A

**6. (a) IS THE DECISION URGENT AND NOT TO BE THE SUBJECT OF ANY CALL-IN BY THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE:**

YES      NO ✓

**Note:** This decision will not come into force and may not be implemented until the expiry of 5 clear working days after its publication i.e. **18<sup>th</sup> November 2015** to enable it to be the subject to the Call-In Procedure in Rule 17.1 of the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules.

**6. (b) IF YES, REASONS WHY IN THE OPINION OF THE DECISION-MAKER THE DECISION IS URGENT:**

N/A

**6. (c) SIGNATURE OF MAYOR OR DEPUTY MAYOR 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:**

N/A

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(Mayor)

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(Dated)



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(Proper Officer)

**10.11.15**  
(Dated)