

CYNGOR BWRDEISTREF SIROL
RHONDDA CYNON TAF
COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

A meeting of the CABINET will be held at the Council Chamber, The Pavilions, Cambrian Park. Clydach Vale, Tonypany, CF40 2XX
Thursday, 16th February, 2017 at 10.30 am

Contact: Hannah Williams (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 5pm on the Tuesday, 14 February 2017 Councillors and Members of the public have the right to address the Cabinet in the medium of English or Welsh.

It must be noted that the facility to address the Cabinet 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. MINUTES

To receive the minutes of the previous Cabinet meeting held on Thursday 9th February, 2017.

3. THE COUNCIL'S CAPITAL PROGRAMME 2017/18 - 2019/20

To receive the report of the Group Director, Corporate & Frontline Services, proposing the three year capital programme for 2017/18– 2019/20.

(Pages 13 - 40)

4. PRE-SCRUTINY: DIGITAL WORKPLACE - AGILE WORKING

To receive the report of the Group Director, Corporate & Frontline Services, providing Cabinet with feedback from the meeting of the Overview & Scrutiny Committee held on Tuesday, 13th December, 2016 in respect of the ambitious and major programme digitally transforming the Council's services.

(Pages 41 - 76)

5. WELSH LANGUAGE PROMOTION STRATEGY

To receive the report of the Secretary to the Cabinet, advising Members of the outcome of the recent meeting of the Welsh Language Cabinet Steering Group, in respect of the Welsh Language Promotion Strategy and Action Plan.

(Pages 77 - 228)

6. WELSH GOVERNMENT PILOT OF 30 HOUR CHILDCARE OFFER FOR 3 AND 4 YEAR OLDS

To receive the report of the Temporary Director, Education & Lifelong Learning, providing Members with information on the proposed Welsh Government offer of 30 hours free childcare / education for eligible 3 and 4 year olds.

(Pages 229 - 268)

7. WELSH GOVERNMENT'S VIBRANT & VIABLE PLACES REGENERATION FRAMEWORK: PROPOSALS FOR POTENTIAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

To receive the report of the Director, Regeneration & Planning, providing details of project proposals for potential funding opportunities for the Pontypridd settlement area and seeks approval for the submission of proposals to Welsh Government should further funds become available.

(Pages 269 - 274)

8. SOCIAL SERVICES AND WELLBEING ACT: IMPLEMENTATION PROGRAMME, WELLBEING OF FUTURE GENERATIONS ACT: IMPLEMENTATION PROGRAMME. UNDERSTANDING OUR COMMUNITIES: THE POPULATION NEEDS ASSESSMENT AND THE WELL-BEING ASSESSMENT

To receive the report of the Group Director, Community & Children's Services & the Group Director, Corporate & Frontline Services, providing an update from the Cwm Taf multi agency workstream tasked with producing the Population Needs Assessment (PNA) required under part 2 of the Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act (SSWB Act) and the Well-being Assessment (WBA) required under the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act (WFG Act).

(Pages 275 - 550)

9. CWM TAF MASH (MULTI AGENCY SAFEGUARDING HUB) ANNUAL REPORT 2015/16

To receive the report of the Group Director, Community & Children's Services, sharing with Cabinet the Cwm Taf MASH Annual Report Year One 2015/16.

(Pages 551 - 588)

10. DEVELOPMENT OF NATIONAL FOSTERING FRAMEWORK

To receive the report of the Group Director, Community & Children's Services, updating the Cabinet on the work that is being undertaken to develop a National Fostering Framework across Wales.

(Pages 589 - 646)

11. HACKNEY CARRIAGE (TAXI)/ PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER KNOWLEDGE TEST

To receive the report of the Service Director, Public Health & Protection, seeking Cabinet approval for the introduction of a pre requisite condition for application to licence for licensing of Hackney Carriage/ Private Hire Vehicle Drivers to incorporate a Hackney Carriage (taxi)/ Private Hire Vehicle driver Knowledge Test.

(Pages 647 - 652)

12. URGENT ITEMS

To consider any urgent business as the Chairman feels appropriate.



Service Director and Secretary to the Cabinet

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