

CYNGOR BWRDEISTREF SIROL RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

A virtual meeting of the CABINET will be held on Thursday, 24th September, 2020 at 11.00 am

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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, 22 September 2020 Councillors and Members of the public should stipulate if this address will be 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 email:- Executive and Regulatory Business Unit@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 Cabinet Committee on the 28th July 2020 as an accurate record.

(Pages 5 - 10)

3. LEADER'S SCHEME OF DELEGATION

To receive the <u>Leader's Scheme of Delegation</u> for the 2020-21 Municipal Year, following the amendments reported at the Council's Annual General Meeting.

4. CABINET WORK PROGRAMME 2020-2021

To receive the report of the Service Director, Democratic Services & Communication, providing Cabinet Members with an update on the proposed list of matters requiring consideration by Cabinet over the 2020-21 Municipal Year.

(Pages 11 - 40)

5. 21ST CENTURY SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES PROGRAMME - MUTUAL INVESTMENT MODEL (MIM) 21ST CENTURY SCHOOLS WELSH EDUCATION PARTNERSHIP - STRATEGIC PARTNERING AGREEMENT (SPA)

To receive the report of the Chief Executive, which provides the Cabinet with an update on the Mutual Investment Model (MIM) funding element of Welsh Government's 21st Century Schools and Colleges Programme.

(Pages 41 - 2350)

6. THE COUNCIL'S SUPPLEMENTARY CAPITAL PROGRAMMES 2020/2021

To receive the report of the Director, Finance and Digital Services, which provides the Cabinet with details of phase 2 of the proposed supplementary capital programmes for Education & Inclusion Services and Highways, Transportation & Strategic Projects.

(Pages 2351 - 2396)

7. REVIEW OF REGENERATION BUSINESS GRANTS PORTFOLIO

To receive the report of the Director, Prosperity and Development, which seeks Cabinet approval to refocus the existing business support grant schemes delivered by the Regeneration Service, and to establish three further schemes – the Town Centre COVID 19 Recovery Grant, the Major Projects Investment Fund and the Flood Resilience Grant.

(Pages 2397 - 2404)

8. COUNCIL PERFORMANCE REPORT (QUARTER 1)

To receive the report of the Director of Finance and Digital Services, which provides the Cabinet with an overview of the Council's performance, both from a financial and operational perspective, based on the first three months of this financial year (to the 30th June 2020).

(Pages 2405 - 2438)

9. ESTABLISHING A SOCIAL LETTING AGENCY

To receive the report of the Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services, which informs Cabinet of the proposal to establish a Social Letting Agency to manage private rented properties on behalf of private landlords and ensure suitable housing allocations to clients in housing need. The report seeks to make Members aware of the potential financial implications of operating such an Agency should external grant funding secured for this purpose come to an end.

(Pages 2439 - 2452)

10. APPROVAL FOR RCT THEATRES TO PRODUCE A DIGITAL CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE TO SHARE ON-LINE IN DECEMBER 2020

To receive the report of the Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services, which provides Cabinet Members with information in relation to the proposal for RCT Theatres to produce a digital Christmas performance to share online in December 2020.

(Pages 2453 - 2458)

11. PROPOSED EXTENSION AND VARIATION TO RHONDDA CYNON TAF CBC'S DOG CONTROL PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDERS

To receive the report of the Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services, the Group Director, Prosperity, Development and Frontline Services and the Director, Legal Services, which informs the Cabinet of the outcomes of the public consultation exercise and seeks authority to extend the two Public Spaces Protection Orders relating to dog controls in Rhondda Cynon Taf (the Dog Control PSPO's).

(Pages 2459 - 2504)

12. CYNON GATEWAY NORTH (ABERDARE BYPASS)

To receive the report of the Group Director Prosperity, Development and Frontline Services, which updates the Cabinet on the current progress related to the development and delivery of the major transportation project: Cynon Gateway North (Aberdare Bypass).

(Pages 2505 - 2516)

13. URGENT ITEMS

To consider any urgent business as the Chairman feels appropriate.

Service Director of Democratic Services & Communication

Circulation:-

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