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COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

A hybrid meeting of the CABINET will be held on
Monday, 15th November, 2021 at 10.00 am

Contact: Emma Wilkins - Council Business Unit (Tel No. 07385406118)

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 Thursday, 11 November 2021 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:- ExecutiveandRegulatoryBusinessUnit@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 meetings held on the 4th and 18th October as accurate records.

(Pages 5 - 18)

3. COUNCIL'S PERFORMANCE AND RESOURCES (QUARTER 2)

To receive the report of the Director, Finance and Digital Services, which provides Members with an overview of the Council's performance, both from a financial and operational perspective, based on the first six months of this financial year (to the 30th September 2021).

(Pages 19 - 46)

4. COUNCIL TAX BASE FOR 2022-23

To receive the report of the Director, Finance and Digital Services, which formally sets the Council Tax Base for the financial year 2022/23.

(Pages 47 - 52)

5. PUBLIC SERVICES OMBUDSMAN FOR WALES - ANNUAL REPORT AND LETTER 2020-2021

To receive the report of the Director of Legal Services advising Cabinet of the publication of the Public Services Ombudsman for Wales' ('PSOW') Annual Report and Annual Letter to this Council for 2020-2021.

(Pages 53 - 78)

6. PROGRESS UPDATE ON THE DELIVERY OF REGENERATION IN PONTYPRIDD TOWN CENTRE

To receive the report of the Director for Prosperity and Development providing Members with a progress update in respect of the delivery of regeneration in Pontypridd Town Centre.

(Pages 79 - 86)

7. UPDATE REPORT ON ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STRATEGY & IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

To receive the report of the Director of Corporate Estates providing Members with an update on the work undertaken in developing a Council Strategy for Electric Vehicle Charging (EVC) following the formal consultation undertaken and how the proposed strategy relates to the wider RCT Council Net Zero and Carbon Reduction commitments.

(Pages 87 - 148)

8. URGENT ITEMS

To consider any urgent business as the Chairman feels appropriate.



Service Director of Democratic Services & Communication

Circulation:-

Councillors: Councillor A Morgan (Chair)
Councillor M Webber (Deputy Chair)
Councillor R Bevan
Councillor A Crimmings
Councillor M Norris
Councillor J Rosser
Councillor R Lewis
Councillor C Leyshon
Councillor G Hopkins

Officers: Chris Bradshaw, Chief Executive
Christian Hanagan, Service Director of Democratic Services & Communication
Paul Mee, Group Director Community & Children's Services
Richard Evans, Director of Human Resources
David Powell, Director of Corporate Estates
Simon Gale, Director of Prosperity & Development
Andy Wilkins, Director of Legal Services
Barrie Davies, Director of Finance & Digital Services
Louise Davies, Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services
Gaynor Davies, Director of Education and Inclusion Services
Derek James, Service Director – Prosperity & Development
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