

CYNGOR BWRDEISTREF SIROL RHONDDA CYNON TAF **COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

COMMITTEE SUMMONS

C Hanagan Service Director of Democratic Services & Communication Rhondda Cynon Taf County Borough Council 2 Llys Cadwyn Taff Street **Pontypridd CF37 4TH**

Meeting Contact: Marc Jones - Democratic Services Officer (07385 401845)

YOU ARE SUMMONED to a virtual meeting of the LOCAL EDUCATION AUTHORITY GOVERNORS APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE to be held on MONDAY, 11TH MARCH, 2024 at 11.00 AM.

AGENDA

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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 meeting of the Local Education Authority Governors Appointments Committee held on 29th November 2023.

TO CONSIDER PASSING THE UNDER-MENTIONED RESOLUTION: -

3.

"That the press and public be excluded from the meeting under Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972 for the next item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt 3 - 6

EXEMPT REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION AND INCLUSION SERVICES

4. APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF LOCAL EDUCATION AUTHORITY GOVERNORS

To consider applications for the appointment of Local Education Authority Governors

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5. URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any items, which the Chairman, by reason of special circumstances, is of the opinion should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency.

<u>Service Director of Democratic Services & Communication</u>

Circulation:-

The Chair and Vice-Chair:

(County Borough Councillor R Lewis and County Borough Councillor G Stacey respectively)

County Borough Councillors:

Councillor J Brencher, Councillor S Evans and Councillor S Hickman

Christian Hanagan, Service Director of Democratic Services & Communication Non Morgan, Senior Manager of Governor Support and Emergency Planning

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Agenda Item 2



RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNCIL LOCAL EDUCATION AUTHORITY GOVERNORS APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE

Minutes of the virtual meeting of the Local Education Authority Governors Appointments Committee held on Wednesday, 29 November 2023 at 11.00 am.

This meeting was live streamed, details of which can be accessed here

County Borough Councillors - Local Education Authority Governors Appointments Committee Members in attendance:-

Councillor R Lewis (Chair)

Councillor G Stacey Councillor J Brencher Councillor S Evans Councillor S Hickman

Officers in attendance:-

Ms C Edwards, Head of Service Transformation and Data Systems
Mrs A Hunt, Governor Support Officer

1 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

RESOLVED – In accordance with the Members Code of Conduct, the following declaration of personal interests in a matter pertaining to the agenda was declared:-

County Borough Councillor G. Stacey in respect of agenda item 6, "The Applicant is known to me".

County Borough Councillor J. Brencher in respect of agenda item 6, "I am a Governor at Maesycoed Primary School and will leave the meeting when then item is discussed".

County Borough Councillor J. Brencher in respect of agenda item 6, "I am known to the Applicant for Trehopcyn Primary School".

County Borough Councillor J. Brencher in respect of agenda item 6, "I have worked at Pontypridd High School and therefore, I will leave the meeting when the item is discussed".

2 MINUTES

It was **RESOLVED** to approve the minutes of the 17th July 2023 as an accurate reflection of the meeting.

3 TO CONSIDER PASSING THE UNDER-MENTIONED RESOLUTION: -

RESOLVED that the press and public be excluded from the meeting under Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972 for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 13 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act (as amended), namely, information relating to a particular individual. Transparency in the conduct of Local Authority business is desirable, however, personal data relating to the conduct and capabilities of individuals will be discussed and considered. Consequently, it is considered the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs and the public interest in disclosing information.

4 APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF LOCAL EDUCATION AUTHORITY GOVERNORS

In her report, the Head of Service, Transformation, Data Systems, Admissions and Governors advised the Committee of applications received for Local Education Authority governorships.

In addition to the applications listed in the report, four applications for governorships were circulated for consideration.

Following consideration of the applications before them, Members **RESOLVED** that the following persons be appointed as Local Education Authority Governors, as set out below:

| SCHOOL | GOVERNOR | EFFECTIVE DATE |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| Abercynon Community Primary | Mrs M Morris | 29 th November 2023 |
| Alaw Primary | Mrs S Evans | 29 th November 2023 |
| Bodringallt Primary | CBC G Jones | 29 th November 2023 |
| Brynnau Primary | CBC D Evans | 29 th November 2023 |
| Cwmlai Primary | Mr H Morgan | 29 th November 2023 |
| Gelli Primary | CBC W Lewis | 23 rd February 2024 |

| Glenboi Community Primary | CBC A Morgan | 15 th March 2024 |
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| Gwauncelyn Primary | Mr C Oestrich | 20 th November 2023 |
| Hafod Primary | Mr C Williams | 20 th January 2024 |
| Hendreforgan Primary | Cllr C Batchelor- Howells | 29 th November 2023 |
| Llwynypia Primary | Miss T Morgan | 29 th November 2023 |
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| | Maesycoed Primary | Tomkinson | 29" November 2023 |
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(**Note:** Having earlier declared a personal and prejudicial interest in the matter County Borough Councillor J. Brencher left the meeting for the Appointment of the Governors at Maesycoed Primary).

| Oaklands Primary | Miss H Wagner | 29 th November 2023 |
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| Penrhys Primary | Miss C Ellis | 29 th November 2023 |
| Pontygwaith Primary | Mr L Adams | 18 th February 2024 |
| Ton Pentre Junior | Mrs J Jones | 20 th November 2023 |
| Tonysguboriau Primary | Mrs G Swanton | 29 th November 2023 |
| Tref Y Rhyg Primary | Mr S Burgess | 29 th November 2023 |
| Trehopcyn Primary | Mrs V McCarthy | 29 th November 2023 |
| Ynyshir Primary | Mrs S Evans | 18 th February 2024 |

| YGG Bodringallt | Mrs A Bessant | 29 th November 2023 |
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| Ysgol Hen Felin | Mr T Osborne | 29 th November 2023 |
| Ysgol Hen Felin | Mrs K Edwards | 20 th November 2023 |
| Ysgol Ty Coch | Mr A Lawthom | 29 th November 2023 |

| Tonyrefail Community | Mr C Batchelor- Howells | 29 th November 2023 |
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| Hawthorn High | Mrs J Thorngate | 29 th November 2023 |
| Pontypridd High | Miss KV Davies | 29 th November 2023 |
| Pontypridd High | Mr C David | 29 th November 2023 |

(**Note:** Having earlier declared a personal and prejudicial interest in the matter County Borough Councillor J. Brencher left the meeting for the Appointment of the Governors at Pontypridd High).

| Ysgol Gyfun Cwm | Mr A Williams | 29 th November 2023 |
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This meeting closed at 11.22 am

Councillor R Lewis CHAIR.

Agenda Item 4

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