COMMUNITY LIAISON COMMITTEE

Decision Notice –Remote Meeting, 10th October, 2024.

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<u>Present</u>: Councillor R.M. Birch (Chair); Councillor M.R. Wilson (Vice-Chair); Councillors A. Asbrey, S. Campbell, C.A. Cave, S. Haines, S.M. Hanks, N.P. Hodges, J. Lynch-Wilson, H.M. Payne, and R.R. Thomas.

Representing Town and Community Councils: S. Hodges (Barry Town Council), M. Wilson (Cowbridge with Llanblethian Town Council) (Substitute), G. Thomas (Llantwit Major Town Council), R. Cox (Penarth Town Council) (Substitute), C. Hadley (Colwinston Community Council), M. Phillips (Dinas Powys Community Council) (Substitute). Dr. M. Misra (Llandough Community Council) (Substitute), J. Shaw (Llandow Community Council), M. Narusberg (Llanmaes Community Council), P. Summers (Penllyn Community Council) (Substitute), S.M. Toker (St Athan Community Council), H. Rosenberg (St. Brides Major Community Council) (Substitute), T. Partridge (St. Donats Community Council), I. Perry (St. Nicholas and Bonvilston Community Council), A. Cory (St. Georges and St. Brides Super Ely Community Council), N. Parry (Sully and Lavernock Community Council), C. Hawkins (Wick Community Council).

<u>Also present</u>: Councillors I. Buckley, L. Burnett (Executive Leader and Cabinet Member for Performance and Resources), H.C. Hamilton, C. Stallard and E. Williams (Cabinet Member for Social Care and Health).

AGENDA ITEM 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE –

These were received from Councillors W. Gilligan and S.D. Perkes and Councillors J. Andrew (Cowbridge with Llanblethian Town Council), M. Cuddy (Penarth Town Council), K. Hatton (Dinas Powys Community Council), J. Radcliffe (Ewenny Community Council), S. Jefferies (Llandough Community Council), S. Howells (Penllyn Community Council), A. Parry (St. Brides Community Council and N. Bosworth (Welsh St. Donats Community Council).

AGENDA ITEM 2. MINUTES –

AGREED – T H A T the minutes of the meetings held on 18th April, 2024 and 21st May, 2024 be approved as a correct record subject to it being noted that Councillor H.M. Payne had tendered apologies for both meetings.

AGENDA ITEM 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST –

No declarations of interest were received.

AGENDA ITEM 4. SOUTH WALES POLICE SERVICE – VERBAL UPDATE -

AGREED - T H A T Inspector Childs be thanked for their time and verbal update.

AGENDA ITEM 5. SOUTH WALES FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE – VERBAL UPDATE -

AGREED - T H A T Group Manager Treherne be thanked for their time and verbal update.

AGENDA ITEM 6. LOCAL BUS SERVICES IN THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN (DEH) -

AGREED -

- (1) THAT the update report be noted.
- (2) THAT an invitation to attend a future meeting of the Committee be extended to all Bus Operators across the Vale of Glamorgan area collectively; Cardiff Bus, First Cymru and Adventure Travel.

Reason for decision

- (1) Having regard to the contents of the update report on the past, present and future aspects of local bus services in the Vale of Glamorgan.
- (2) To provide the Committee with the opportunity to have further input on Bus routes and services available across the Vale of Glamorgan.

AGENDA ITEM 7. VALE OF GLAMORGAN PUBLIC SERVICES BOARD ANNUAL REPORT (REF) –

AGREED -

- (1) THAT both the reference and appended report from the Corporate Performance and Resources Scrutiny Committee be noted.
- (2) T H A T an Executive Summary of the Vale of Glamorgan Public Services Board Annual Report 2023/24 be produced and disseminated amongst members of the Community Liaison Committee as well as all Town and Community Council

Clerks.

Reasons for decisions

- (1) Having regard to the contents of both the reference and appended report on the progress made in the delivery of the Wellbeing Objectives and steps set by the Vale Public Service Board in its Well-being Plan 2023-28.
- (2) To support Town and Community Council's understanding of the relevance of the report at a local level and to more easily digest the information contained within the Annual Report.

AGENDA ITEM 8. RESHAPING PROGRAMME: STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES – A RESPONSE TO AUDIT WALES REPORTS ON TACKLING POVERTY AND THIRD SECTOR WORKING (REF) -

AGREED - T H A T both the Cabinet reference and appended report be commended.

Reason for decision

Having regard to the contents of both the reference and appended report on the findings and recommendations produced by the programme of engagement with Cwmpas and oversight of the development of the body of work.

AGENDA ITEM 9. DRAFT VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL CORPORATE PLAN 2025-30 (REF) –

AGREED - T H A T both the verbal reference and appended Cabinet report be noted.

Reason for decision

Having regard to the contents of both the verbal reference and appended report to provide Committee with the opportunity to consider the draft Corporate Plan and provide feedback as part of the programme of consultation prior to Cabinet considering a final draft in due course.

AGENDA ITEM 10. NOMINATION OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM TOWN AND COMMUNITY COUNCILS FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICES BOARD (CX) -

AGREED -

(1) THAT a request be sent to the Public Service Board, that two representatives of Town and Community Councils be appointed to the Board, one representative for Town Councils and one representative for Community Councils.

(2) T H A T Councillor S. Hodges (Barry Town Council), continues to represent Town and Community Councils on the Public Service Board until such time that the Community Liaison Committee request, as per Recommendation 1 above, be responded to.

Reason for recommendation

- (1) To increase the number of representative seats available to promote continued rotation of Town and Community Councils who take up a representative seat and subsequently promote better understanding of the Public Service Board and it's working links with Town and Community Councils in the Vale of Glamorgan.
- (2) To provide Town and Community Councils with additional time to consider the Town and Community Council representative role(s) on the Public Service Board ahead of a vote at a future Community Liaison Committee meeting.