

**COUNTY BOROUGH OF BLAENAU GWENT**

**REPORT TO: THE PRESIDING MEMBER AND MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL**

**SUBJECT: CABINET – 7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2023**

**REPORT OF: DEMOCRATIC & COMMITTEE SUPPORT OFFICER**

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**PRESENT: Leader/  
Cabinet Member - Corporate Overview & Performance  
Councillor S. Thomas**

**Deputy Leader/Cabinet Member – Place & Environment  
Councillor H. Cunningham**

**Cabinet Member – Place and Regeneration  
Councillor J.C. Morgan**

**Cabinet Member – People & Social Services  
Councillor H. Trollope**

**Cabinet Member – People & Education  
Councillor S. Edmunds**

**WITH:**  
Chief Officer Resources  
Corporate Director Regeneration & Community Services  
Head of School Improvement & Inclusion  
Head of Democratic Services, Partnerships & Governance  
Chief Officer Customer and Commercial  
Interim Head of Childrens' Service  
Communications Officer

## **DECISIONS UNDER DELEGATED POWERS**

<b><u>ITEM</u></b>	<b><u>SUBJECT</u></b>
<b>No. 1</b>	<b><u>SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION</u></b>  It was noted that no requests had been received for the simultaneous translation service.
<b>No. 2</b>	<b><u>APOLOGIES</u></b>  The following apologies for absence were received:-  Interim Chief Executive Head of Legal and Corporate Compliance Interim Corporate Director Social Services
<b>No. 3</b>	<b><u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATIONS</u></b>  No declarations of interest or dispensations were reported.
	<b><u>DECISIONS</u></b>
<b>No. 4</b>	<b><u>CABINET</u></b>  Consideration was given to the decisions of the Cabinet Meeting held on 19 <sup>th</sup> April, 2023.  RESOLVED that the decisions be received as a true record of proceedings.
<b>No. 5</b>	<b><u>SPECIAL CABINET</u></b>  Consideration was given to the decisions of the Cabinet Meeting held on 28 <sup>th</sup> April, 2023.

	RESOLVED that the decisions be received as a true record of proceedings.									
<b>No. 6</b>	<p><b><u>SPECIAL CABINET</u></b></p> <p>Consideration was given to the decisions of the Cabinet Meeting held on 3rd May, 2023.</p> <p>RESOLVED that the decisions be received as a true record of proceedings.</p>									
	<p><b><u>GENERAL MATTERS</u></b></p>									
<b>No. 7</b>	<p><b><u>CONFERENCES, COURSES, INVITATIONS AND EVENTS</u></b></p> <p>Consideration was given to the following:-</p> <p><u>Leadership Programme for Councillors in Wales 2023/24</u></p> <p>RESOLVED that approval be given for 2 Members to attend the 2023/24 Leadership Programme for Councillors in Wales.</p>									
	<p><b><u>CORPORATE AND PERFORMANCE PORTFOLIO</u></b></p>									
<b>No. 8</b>	<p><b><u>GRANTS TO ORGANISATIONS</u></b></p> <p>Consideration was given to the report of the Chief Officer Resources.</p> <p>The following grants to organisation were received further to the publication of the report:-</p> <p><b><u>ABERTILLERY</u></b></p> <p><u>Abertillery &amp; Six Bells Ward - Councillor J. Holt</u></p> <table> <tr> <td>1.</td> <td>Abertillery BG RFC</td> <td>£100</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2.</td> <td>Chillax</td> <td>£100</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3.</td> <td>Abertillery Workmen's Institute</td> <td>£100</td> </tr> </table>	1.	Abertillery BG RFC	£100	2.	Chillax	£100	3.	Abertillery Workmen's Institute	£100
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Llanhilleth Ward - Councillor N. Parsons

1.	Knit and Natter	£100
2.	Abertillery Bluebirds AFC	£250
3.	Abertillery Operatic Society	£100

Llanhilleth Ward - Councillor H. Cunningham

1.	Soffryd Community Centre	£265
2.	Brynithel Community Centre	£265
3.	Llanhilleth Miners Institute	£265
4.	Aberbeeg Community Centre	£265

RESOLVED accordingly.

FURTHER RESOLVED, subject to the foregoing, that the report be accepted and the information contained therein be noted.

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**No. 9**

**FINANCE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT UP TO MARCH 2023**

Consideration was given to the report of the Service Manager – Performance and Democratic.

RESOLVED that the report be accepted and suggestions were provided to the content of the Finance and Performance Report in order to make it more efficient and effective as a management tool (Option 1).

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