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THIS IS A MEETING WHICH THE PUBLIC ARE ENTITLED TO ATTEND

11th July 2024

Dear Sir/Madam

ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

A meeting of the Ordinary Meeting of the Council will be held in Remotely via Microsoft Teams (if you would like to attend this meeting please contact committee.services@blaenau-gwent.gov.uk) on Thursday, 18th July, 2024 at 10.00 am.

Yours faithfully



Stephen Vickers
Joint Chief Executive

AGENDA

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1. SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION

You are welcome to use Welsh at the meeting, a minimum notice period of 3 working days is required should you wish to do so. A simultaneous translation will be provided if requested.

2. APOLOGIES

To receive.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATIONS

To consider any declarations of interest and dispensations made.

4. PRESIDING MEMBER'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

To receive.

5. ANNUAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL 7 - 42

To consider and if thought fit, approve the decisions of the meeting held on 23rd May, 2024.

6. ORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL 43 - 54

To consider and if thought fit, approve the decisions of the meeting held on 21st March, 2024.

7. SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL 55 - 60

To consider and if thought fit, approve the decisions of the meeting held on 12th June, 2024.

8. PLANNING COMMITTEE 61 - 64

To confirm the decisions of the Planning Committee held on 23rd April, 2024.

9. CABINET 65 - 68

To confirm the decisions of Cabinet held on 10th April, 2024.

10. SPECIAL CABINET 69 - 72

To confirm the decisions of Special Cabinet held on 29th April, 2024.

11. **GOVERNANCE & AUDIT COMMITTEE** 73 - 76
- To confirm the decisions of the Governance & Audit Committee held on 21st February, 2024.
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13. **GOVERNANCE & AUDIT COMMITTEE** 79 - 82
- To confirm the decisions of the Governance & Audit Committee held on 17th April, 2024.
14. **CORPORATE AND PERFORMANCE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE** 83 - 86
- To confirm the decisions of the Corporate & Performance Scrutiny Committee held on 25th April, 2024.
15. **PLACE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE** 87 - 90
- To confirm the decisions of the Place Scrutiny Committee held on 17th June, 2024.
16. **GOVERNANCE & AUDIT COMMITTEE** 91 - 96
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17. **PEOPLE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE** 97 - 98
- To confirm the decisions of the People Scrutiny Committee held on 2nd July, 2024.
18. **MEMBERS QUESTIONS**
- To receive questions, if any, from Members.
19. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS**
- To receive questions, if any, from the public.

20. **TAI CALON RULE CHANGES** 99 - 190
- To consider the report of Martyn Price, Director of Resources & Company Secretary, Tai Calon Community Housing.
21. **BLAENAU GWENT NET ZERO 2050 FRAMEWORK AND SUPPORTING LOCAL AREA ENERGY PLAN 2024** 191 - 520
- To consider the joint Officers' report.
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- To consider the report of the Service Manager – Neighbourhood Services.
23. **REVISED LDP DELIVERY AGREEMENT TIMETABLE** 543 - 590
- To consider the report of the Development Plans Team Manager.
24. **BLAENAU GWENT ENGAGEMENT & PARTICIPATION STRATEGY** 591 - 646
- To consider the joint Officers' report.
25. **COUNCIL TAX PREMIUMS ON LONG-TERM EMPTY PROPERTIES AND 2ND HOMES** 647 - 730
- To consider the report of the Service Manager Revenues & Charging Assessments.
26. **ETHICS & STANDARDS COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT** 731 - 734
- To consider the report of the Head of Legal and Corporate Compliance (Monitoring Officer).
27. **REVIEW OF POLITICAL BALANCE AND MEMBERSHIP REPORT** 735 - 738
- To consider the attached report.

To: Councillor C. Smith (Presiding Member)
Councillor D. Wilkshire (Deputy Presiding Member)
Councillor P. Baldwin
Councillor S. Behr
Councillor D. Bevan
Councillor K. Chaplin
Councillor M. Cross
Councillor H. Cunningham
Councillor D. Davies
Councillor G. A. Davies
Councillor M. Day
Councillor S. Edmunds
Councillor J. Gardner
Councillor J. Hill
Councillor W. Hodgins
Councillor J. Holt
Councillor G. Humphreys
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Councillor E. Jones
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Councillor L. Parsons
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Councillor T. Smith
Councillor G. Thomas
Councillor J. Thomas
Councillor S. Thomas
Councillor H. Trollope
Councillor J. Wilkins
Councillor L. Winnett
Councillor D. Woods

All other Members (for information)
Joint Chief Executive
Chief Officers