



# GRAIG COMMUNITY COUNCIL

## Clerk's Report

25th November 2015

Additional information to the agenda for the meeting being held on Wednesday 25th November 2015 at 7pm at Graig Community Centre, Bassaleg (**Item No 5 on the agenda**)

**1. Play Areas** – Fort View play area has been completed and the toddler's play area at the rear of Rhiwderin CC is nearing completion. It is unknown to date whether the negotiations for the purchase of the land formerly used as the Rhiwderin play area have been completed. Caernarvon Drive proposed play area has been abandoned and will now only contain a footpath through the green and some bench seating. It is hoped that the NCC Officer who administered the installation of all the play areas will attend a Council meeting in the near future to discuss progress and maintenance.

**2. Coach House on Caerphilly Road in Bassaleg** - The Clerk is to arrange a meeting with the Coach House owner and Chairman of the Council when convenient to both parties.

**3. Crash Barrier on Pentre Tai Road by Level Crossing** - This barrier has been inspected and deemed not fit for purpose. It's repair has been added to NCC's schedule of works.

**4. Weed killing on Pentre Tai Road** - the area has been inspected and will be added to NCC's schedule of works.

**5. Cycle Path by Bassaleg School** - signage for the cycleway is confusing or non-existent so NCC will paint signage onto the carriageway pending the dropping kerbs and the continuation of the red cycleway asphalt being installed.

**6. Parking on grass verges on Laurel Road** - NCC have recently confirmed that they have passed this issue on to the Police who will determine what action should be taken. This issue will continue to be monitored.

**Of the unresolved outstanding issues still being monitored items 1, 3, 4, 5, & 6 above, and items a) to f) below will be discussed with the Cabinet Member for Streetscene and City Services Cllr Deb Davies who will be attending this month's meeting.**

### Unresolved outstanding issues being monitored

The following issues remain unresolved but will be monitored and any updates reported above.

- a) Adoption of footpath at the top of Highfield Lane
- b) Forge Road bus stop and lay by signage
- c) Former Garthfield Cottage site fencing and footpath
- d) Boundary fencing along Caerphilly Road between the Rhiwderin Inn and Laurel Road Junction
- e) Dog fouling signage
- f) Dedicated right turn into Laurel Drive
- g) Possible solar farm at Rhiwderin

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Please note: The contents of this report have been compiled by the Clerk and are subject to change as and when new information is received. This report has **not** been approved by the Community Council before publication as meeting minutes would be, and is intended only as a useful tool to give information on the current status of ongoing issues and reduce time spent at meetings discussing updates unnecessarily.

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