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RE-CYCLING COLLECTIONS: At our meeting on 30th October, Michael Morgan told us the collections had been erratic due to some teething problems when the two black bag per household system was introduced. This resulted in a large and unpredicted amount of recycling for the Vale Council collect. The problem has been addressed and collections should continue as normal.

FINANCE: Payments were made to Allan Williams for cutting the grass in October (£318.00) and the Poppy Appeal for a wreath for Remembrance Sunday (£17.00). The Community Council will be represented at the service by the Chairman. A mid-year budget monitoring summary and a contract with Allan Williams for grass cutting in 2019 were signed and approved.

HIGHWAYS AND FOOTPATHS: In an effort to help reduce the speed of traffic in residential areas of the Vale, we are now supporting the 20s Plenty Group. The Chairman collected signatures at Bonfire Night for a petition to put pressure on the Vale Council to implement a 20mph speed limit.

M4 A48 LINK: Nick Craddock will be attending the next meeting on 17th December. Michael Morgan has indicated that in the light of concerns over the consultation process, he would be recommending that in future consultations the consultation process should come earlier in the process so those wishing to express views should not feel it was a foregone conclusion, as had happened on this occasion.

CONSULTATIONS: The WLGA survey of unadopted roads in Wales (parts 2 and 3), a review of Digital Innovation for the Economy and the Future of Work in Wales, and a consultation on the Statement of Principles for the Gambling Act 2005 were all discussed and responses submitted. The Independent Remuneration Panel Draft Annual Report was noted.

Our next meetings are 11th December and 8th January. Agenda will be displayed on the notice boards and website at least three clear days before the meeting. Residents are welcome and have the opportunity to speak to Councillors regarding any items on the agenda at the start of the meeting. If you have something you would like to raise with the Council, please email or write to the Clerk at least seven days before the meeting so it can be included in the agenda. The website has further information about the Community Council. Please be a frequent visitor.

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