WELSH ST DONATS COMMUNITY COUNCIL CYNGOR CYMUNED LLANDDWUDD

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REPORT FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR MICHAEL MORGAN:

Speed Limits in Welsh St Donats Village: the Vale Council has approved a 20mph speed limit in Welsh St Donats. Details will follow. It appears that other areas in the Welsh St Donats ward do not qualify for a 20mph speed limit. However, Michael will be pushing for road safety issues around speed limits, such as improved signage and road markings.

Flooding at roadside near Spring House, Bonvilston: the Vale Council is aware of the situation and has put in temporary bollards to warn road users of the hazard. Council officers are looking into the matter.

POLICE REPORT: a theft of a trailer from a farm in Maendy in November (no suspects identified) was the only reported in the last few months in the Welsh St Donats area.

HIGHWAYS AND FOOTPATHS:

The Community Council continues to report potholes, fly tipping and litter, blocked footpaths and damaged stiles. Do please add your voice and report these yourself by emailing details to contactonevale@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk

Several residents have raised concerns over the damage to verges in our lanes. While little can be done without visual evidence, Michael Morgan is hoping this will be addressed in the forthcoming draft Rural Roads Policy.

The Community Council continues discussions with Natural Resources Wales and the Vale Council to install signage for Tair Onen to help delivery and emergency services locate the different parts of the community.

COMMUNITY POWER: Philip Popp is researching possible funding and appropriate schemes for our area. Further details to follow.

FINANCES: Payments for grass cutting in October (£52.50), training sessions (£35.00) and One Voice Wales conference fees (£54.00) were approved at our meeting in January. The precept for 2023-24 was set at £7,000.00. No increase from the previous year.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS: 22/1206/FUL, Orchard Dene, WSD, 22/01260/FUL and 22/010305 and 22/01305/FUL Pant Wilkin Stables, Aberthin were considered and comments submitted. The Vale Council approved 22/01115/FUL Forge Cottage, WSD

Our next meetings are 7th February and 7th March. If you have any concerns or queries you feel the Community Council may be able to assist you with, please do not hesitate to get in touch with the Clerk or Community Councillors. We will do our very best to help you. Contact details are on the website.

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