

**FINAL MINUTES OF A MEETING OF
ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE OF PENNARD COMMUNITY COUNCIL
HELD ON THURSDAY 18th APRIL 2019
at PENNARD PARISH HALL (Small hall)
At 7:00 PM**

Present: Cllr Susan Rodaway (Chair), Cllr Lynda James, Cllr Jean Marnell, Cllr Angela Brunt, Cllr Sally Rogers

Clerk: Janet Crocker

1. Apologies:

Cllr Charlotte Toft, Cllr Richard Killick, Cllr Arthur Rogers, Cllr Jason Thomas, Cllr Darran Hichery, John Howard-Fletcher

2. Declarations of Interest:

None

3. Update on Drinking Fountain at Pennard Cliffs

There was no update at the moment from the Coffee Shop as the survey was yet to be arranged.

4. Update on Application to RDP for funding for feasibility study for Community Hub on Playing Field

We have spoken with the RDP Officer with regards to the Feasibility Study Application Form. We are awaiting further guidance in the form of a meeting.

It was suggested that a Community Plan would be a good idea and that we should look at developing one in the future.

It was proposed that we move Point 9 up the agenda as it naturally followed on from point 4.

Proposed seconded and agreed

9. To Discuss Promotion and Raising Awareness of Community Engagement/Participatory Budgeting Via VocalEyes Platform

Cllr Rodaway explained that she had asked ~~the~~ about applying for funding for a Community Plan before the Vocaleyes project was set up.

She went on to explain the role of Vocaleyes to the new Councilors. It was suggested that we have an event sponsored by the Vocaleyes project to engage with the Community and get ideas for a Community Plan and afternoon and evening session was suggested. It was also discussed whether or not this should be a joint event covering both the Community Hub and the Community Plan.

Cllr Marnell said she would be happy to help with the production of a leaflet to go round the ward advertising the event/s and asking for opinions. Everyone present was asked to think about the format of the meetings and send any suggestions to the Clerk.

5. To Discuss Tree Planting in Kittle

A letter had been received by Cllr. Lynda James from a Kittle resident asking about planting some replacement trees on the grass area by Belvedere Close. The Environment Committee agreed this is something that could be addressed by the Community Council Environmental Projects fund. It was decided to contact Coeden Fach for information about the provision of

established fruit trees for the community and the most appropriate species. We will also write to the Highways Department for permission and to establish if there would be any objections from residents.

6. To Discuss recommendation to Full Council to Declare a Climate Emergency

This was discussed and it was decided to take the recommendation to the next meeting of Full Council.

Proposed Seconded and agreed with 1 against.

7. To Agree Issuing Press Release on Litter Pick Equipment and OVW Awards Won

Cllr Rodaway would speak to the Beauford Arms and the Southgate Club about organizing a local litter pic which would hopefully be supported by Councilors and the Community, photos would be taken and sent to the Evening Post

8. To Form Working Party for Terracycle

This was discussed and decided that we would contact the School in the first instance, to see if they were happy to support this venture. The Southgate Club and Beauford Arms were also suggested as possible collectors of crisp packets. Once we have gauged support, we can advertise the initiative to the Community.

The meeting closed at 8.10 pm
