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Minutes of the meeting of Risca East Community Council held on 15<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

- 600. To sign the register and to receive apologies.
  - 600.1.Community Councillors present: Councillors Rob Derraven, , Dai Davies, Zoe Davies Nigel George, Philippa Leonard and Sue Thorne.
  - 600.2. Apologies were received from Councillors John Blackburn and Arianna Leonard
- 601. To receive representatives from the Police.
  - 601.1. There were no Police Officers present.
- 602. To receive representations from the public none
- 603. The minutes of the previous meeting held on 15th February 2018 were **agreed**.
- 604. Matters Arising
  - 604.1. Minute 596.3 Pantomime 2018 The Clerk had written to the Clerk of Risca Town Council but had not received any response.
  - 604.2. Minute 598.1 Fly Tipping Cllr Sue Thorne reported that she had spoken to Cllrs Nigel George and Philippa Leonard and had responded to the residents.
- 605.Clerk's Report
  - 605.1.The Clerk provided a financial statement of the 2017/18 income and expenditure as at 15<sup>th</sup> March 2018 which showed a total spend of £19,881.36 with income received to date of £25,711.19. The bank balance was £39,635.12
  - 605.2. The Council **accepted** the Clerk's report.
- 606. The Clerk's schedule of correspondence was received and the actions **agreed**. Item 606.9 Community Resource Centre. Cllr Zoe Davies challenged some of the claims made in the correspondence regarding the public's response to the consultation process. After a lengthy discussion the Community Council again **re-affirmed** its support in principle for the project but would not agree to donate money towards the cost of the planning application.
  - Item 606.3 Invoice for hosting the Council's web site. It was **agreed** that the Clerk should establish how many "hits" the web site had received.

- 607. Risca East/Risca Town joint meeting.
  - 607.1. It was **agreed** that the next joint meeting should be held on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2018 at 6 pm in St. David's Church, Ty Sign.
- 608. To receive a report from Councillor Nigel George
  - 608.1. Cllr George reported that the garages in Holly Road had been demolished. The post boxes were to be delivered soon. He had met with the Police Inspector regarding unlicensed vehicles. He confirmed that an £400 fine for fly tipping had been imposed.
- 609. Local Issues
  - 609.1.Ty Sign Ward Cllr Rob Derraven spoke about the problem of unlicensed motor bikes being used on the housing estate. Cllr Zoe Davies said that the dog litter bins needed emptying more frequently. Cllr Dai Davies reported that the design for the Skate Board Park still hadn't been agreed.
  - 609.2. Pontymister Upper Ward nothing reported
  - 609.3. Trenewydd Ward nothing reported
- 610.To Consider Planning Applications
  - 610.1.18/0126/FULL 21 Cotswold Way, Trenewydd Park, Risca erect first floor rear extension and extend existing side dormer
  - 610.2.18/0162/FULL 35 Birch Grove, Ty Sign, Risca create drive to front and erect retaining wall

Signed	Chairman	19 <sup>th</sup>	April	2018
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