



5th March 2025

Dear Councillor.

Pursuant to the requirements of **Section 47 of the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021**, you are hereby summoned to attend the Council Finance meeting which will be held on a hybrid basis in the Council Chamber at **101, High Street, Blaenavon** and remotely on **Wednesday the 12th March 2025 commencing at 6:30pm** for the purpose of transacting the business shown in the agenda set below.

Should you wish to attend the meeting remotely, you should contact the Chief Officer to the Council to request a remote invitation.

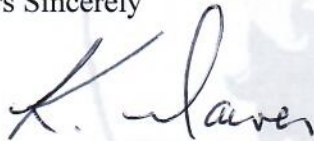
Members of the public have the right to ask questions at Council meetings and to speak in Welsh or English, provided that at least three working days' notice in writing of the question has been provided to the Chief Officer.

Agenda

1. To receive any questions from the public.
2. To receive and accept apologies.
3. **Declarations of Interest:** Members are invited to declare any interests they may have in any items on the agenda.
4. To receive a policing update from Inspector Lee Stachow (**Geographical Inspector for Torfaen**)
5. To receive a presentation from Aimi Morris and Jo Lloyd (**Operational Executive Officer and Wellbeing Engagement Officer - Torfaen Voluntary Alliance**) relating to a joint pilot Community Transport Development initiative for Blaenavon.
6. To receive an introduction from Cllr Jennifer Davies the newly elected Town Council member for the Blaenavon East ward.
7. **Council Meetings:** To confirm the minutes of the Council Finance Meeting held on the 12th of February 2025.

8. **Responsible Finance Officer's Update:** To receive and consider the February 2025 financial update.
9. To discuss and make any relevant determinations relating to a joint pilot Community Transport Development initiative for Blaenavon.
10. To receive and note the Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales Annual Report 2025/26
11. To discuss and make any relevant determinations relating to twinning opportunities 2025.
12. To discuss and make a determination regarding election costs for the forthcoming vacancy within the west ward.
13. To receive, discuss and make any relevant determinations relating to an upgrade to the Town Council's telephony system.
14. To discuss and make any relevant determinations relating to Stori Craft Group.
15. To discuss and make a determination regarding potential Town Council projects for allocation into the Project Action Plan 2025/26. Relevant updates or new projects as notified.

Yours Sincerely



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Chief Officer & Responsible Finance Officer.
Blaenavon Town Council.