

Bedwas, Trethomas & Machen Community Council

Minutes of the meeting Full Council on Thursday 4th June 2026 – 6.30pm

| <u>Present</u> | | <u>Apologies</u> |
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| J Winslade (Chair) | C Morgan | D Havard |
| K Ingram | L Aldworth | P Rosser |
| N Bull | D Davies | S Aicheler |
| A McConnell | | L Phipps |
| | A Butler (Clerk) | |

GWENT POLICE PRESENTATION

1333 Monthly report received. No officer available to attend

PRESENTATION FROM ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

1334 Two members of the fellowship gave a presentation and answered questions. Literature was left to be distributed through the BTM area

BEDWAS WORKMEN'S HALL

1335 A copy of the management committee meeting minutes for May1 was forwarded to all members. Water leak has been dealt with by Dwr Cymru. Electrical repairs also completed by AJC Electrical. New Defib cabinet fitted

FULL COUNCIL

1336 **Declarations of Interest:**

As below

1337 Cllr Winslade chaired the meeting that commenced at 6.30pm. Attendance noted as above. There were no residents' addresses

1338 The meeting acknowledged the minutes of the Annual Meeting and the Full Council meeting, both held on 13th May to be a true and correct record and agreed for signature.
Proposed Cllr Morgan, seconded Cllr Davies

1339 **Clerk's report**

Window catch on first floor kitchen window needs replacing. Quote obtained from Fairway Windows

[Agreed by council and clerk to implement](#)

Quote received from Llantwit Property Maintenance for remedial works on drain to the right hand side of the building, identified during current works.

[Agreed to proceed](#)

Finance matters

1340 **Finance report**

Cllr Winslade presented a summary of the financial transactions for May. The summary agreed as satisfactory by the Council

1341 Financial Assistance Applications

One received from Caerphilly Ladies' Choir. It was agreed to award a grant of £300, £100 from each ward

RESOLVED that: In pursuance of the power conferred by Section 137 of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) and being of the opinion that the expenditure above satisfies the requirements of that section

1342 Council Committees

Finance, Employment and Policies Committee

Next meeting arranged for 27th July 2026

Environment & CIL Committee

Report presented from meeting held on 28th May 2026

Following points agreed:

Quotes agreed for painting of console boxes

Quote accepted for two new planters at Waun Ganol Park

Bulbs to be purchased for Bedwas, Trethomas, Machen, GYR and Lower GYR to plant in autumn this year

£3000 agreed in principle for benches in Trethomas. ECIL Committee to seek permission, quotes and agreement from Sub-Zero

Next meeting arranged for 28th September

Land & Buildings Committee

Next meeting, arranged for 8th June 2026, has been postponed. New date to be arranged shortly

Events & Leisure Committee

Meeting held on 18th May was not quorate. Informal discussion held. Plans in place for Transport Day on 28th June. Ongoing plans for Fun Day on 8th August

Meeting Next meeting arranged for 21st September 2026

Cllr Aldworth declared an interest and left the room

1343 Planning Applications

Case ref: 26/0321/HH and 26/0319/HH were noted and agreed

Date of next meeting

Next Full Council meeting is 2nd July at 6.30pm

The meeting closed at 7.28pm

Signed: J Winslade Chair Date: 2/7/26