

CWMDU AND DISTRICT COMMUNITY COUNCIL
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A meeting of the Community Council will be held on 6th November 2025 7pm at Tretower Village Hall and you are summoned to attend.

Agenda

Public Participation:

66/25	Apologies for absence:	1 min
67/25	Members' declarations of Interest <i>Reminder to members. A personal interest is also a prejudicial interest because under the objective, public perception test (Para 12(1) of the Members' Code of Conduct) where you have a personal interest in any business of your authority you may also have a prejudicial interest in that business if the interest is one which a member of the public with knowledge of the relevant facts would reasonable regard as so significant that it is likely to prejudice your judgment of the public interest.</i> Declaration of interest received from Cllr M Calvin - Tretower Village hall	1 min
68/25	Minutes to approve from the meeting on the 2nd October 2025 of the Full Council and any matters arising: Matters arising not on the agenda: • Crickhowell 6th form consultation with parents and children has started, with Crickhowell High School hosting meetings and an online survey • At the time of agenda publication, the Truck Road speeding review report has not been received.	5 min
69/25	Outside body reports: • Hinterland Group/Community Council Association (Usk Valley) - (Cllr J Johns, Cllr M Pearce, Cllr J Williams) • Five Councils - Item: Date suggested of 13th November 2025 (location Tretower) Refreshments to arrange. • Community Transport Group - (Cllr M Calvin) • LGV Five Councils Energy Group - (Cllr M Calvin) • Bwlch Church (Cllr J Williams) Correspondence: Email to Cllr M Calvin in relation to noise nuisance passed to County Councillor C Masefield	24 min
70/25	Standing Item: County Councillors Report (for information only) • Phone Box removal Representations have been made to BT from Powys.	15 min
71/25	Standing Item: Place Plan/Community Plan	10 min

	Invite has been sent to BBNPA - awaiting new contact Playing Field - update from Cllr W Forster/Clerk Moveable goalposts - multiple enquiries sent to potential grant funders Motion: to accept the draft safeguarding and equality and diversity policies	
72/25	Standing item Fedw/Vedw Wood Charity (Clerk): Signed agreement to Black Mountain Training scanned and emailed Item: to receive the quote for research work from the Weller Law group in relation to charity issues.	24 min
73/25	Standing Item Planning applications: Non Statutory application: 25/23692/AG - Cllr M Calvin to update the Council on this agricultural application. This application has now changed to a PAR - 25/23692/PAR Issues: - Nant Helyg - no further action taken after the previous meeting. - Tretower Court and Castle - CADW - Dec 24 agreed actions were chased - any updates - Glanpant Farm - any updates regarding the enforcement - Penuel Chapel, Cwm-du 25/23685/FUL - Proposal: Change of use of existing Chapel into Holiday Let and installation of foul drainage system and construction of drainage mound. Responses to the Community Council's comment have been received from the agent on the 02nd October 2025. Draft response circulated after receiving information from the BBNPA regarding the previous questions around verbal advice and further updated information on the portal.	24 min
74/25	Standing Item: Finance Report (Responsible Finance Officer): Motion: Reconciliation to be accepted by full council October Motion: To note payments already made and payments due covering Sep/Oct via ONLINE PAYMENTS: Item: Rental of land from Powys. Invoices for Church of Wales land. Invoices/up-coming payments: Bank Report & Payments - Draft Budget 26/27 - Cwmdu Eisteddfod wishes to thank the Community Council for their continued support	10 min
75/25	Standing Item: Maintenance - Tremynfa Road Bench - Bench delivered 22nd September. Update from Cllr H Jackson - Hedge - no quote from two contractors, correspondence from the Trunk Road Agency (sent to Chair and Vice-Chair). (Clerk update)	5 min
76/25	Standing Item: Speeding & other Village Matters U0503 verge Cwmdu	15 min

	- Speed gun/speedwatch/speeding issues - A40 - resident email (Cllr W Forster) Request by residents to join the group in collecting data regarding speeding and noise vibration and road conditions on the A40. - Flooding Storm Bert - onsite meeting to be arranged with County Councillors to assist with identification of problem calvert to make sure the issue is dealt with before the Winter season	
77/25	Standing Item: Governance One Voice Wales - governance toolkit - Clerk & Cllr J Williams Section 6 report completed and sent to S6BiodiversityDuty@gov.wales and uploaded to the current website. - Training Plan - any updates - Social Media and Website - update from the Clerk. Aubergine are transferring documents as the moment, they note a new accessibility statement will be required (draft document for information only is available on the drive) Casual Vacancy Notice and Co-option: no applications received at the publication of this agenda	10 min
78/25	Date of next committee meeting 4th December 2025	1 min

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