Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol Pen-y-bont ar Ogwr Bridgend County Borough Council



Swyddfeydd Dinesig, Stryd yr Angel, Pen-y-bont, CF31 4WB / Civic Offices, Angel Street, Bridgend, CF31 4WB

Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg. Rhowch wybod i ni os mai Cymraeg yw eich dewis iaith.

We welcome correspondence in Welsh. Please let us know if your language choice is Welsh.



Dear Councillor,

Cyfarwyddiaeth y Prif Weithredwr / Chief Executive's Directorate

Deialu uniongyrchol / Direct line /: 01656 643148 /

643147 / 643694

Gofynnwch am / Ask for: Democratic Services

Ein cyf / Our ref: Eich cyf / Your ref:

Dyddiad/Date: Friday, 12 February 2021

STANDARDS COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Standards Committee will be held in the remotely via Microsoft Teams on **Thursday**, **18 February 2021** at **10:00**.

AGENDA

1. <u>Apologies for Absence</u>

To receive apologies for absence from Members.

2. <u>Declarations of Interest</u>

To receive declarations of personal and prejudicial interest (if any) from Members/Officers in accordance with the provisions of the Members' Code of Conduct adopted by Council on 1 September 2008.

3.	Approval of Minutes To receive for approval the Minutes of 19/11/2020 and 21/12/2020	3 - 6
4.	Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021	7 - 10
5.	Standards Committee - Hearings Process	11 - 22
6.	Adjudication Panel For Wales - Sanction Guidance	23 - 46

7. <u>Urgent Items</u>

To consider any item(s) of business in respect of which notice has been given in accordance with Rule 4 of the Council's Procedure Rules, and which the person presiding at the meeting is of the opinion should by reason of special circumstances be transacted at the meeting as a matter of urgency.

8. Exclusion of the Public

The Minutes relating to the following item is not for publication as it contains exempt information as defined in Paragraph 12 & 14 of Part 4, and Paragraph 21 of Part 5 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) (Wales) Order 2007.

If following the application of the public interest test the Committee resolves pursuant to the Act to consider the item in private, the public will be excluded from the meeting during such consideration.

9. Approval of Exempt Minutes

47 - 52

To receive for approval the exempt Minutes of 19/11/2020 and 21/12/2020

Note: Please note: Due to the current requirement for social distancing this meeting will not be held at its usual location. This will be a virtual meeting and Members and Officers will be attending remotely. The meeting will be recorded for subsequent transmission via the Council's internet site which will be available as soon as practicable after the meeting. If you have any queries regarding this, please contact cabinet_committee@bridgend.gov.uk or tel. 01656 643147 / 643148.

Yours faithfully

K Watson

Chief Officer, Legal, HR & Regulatory Services

Councillors:CouncillorsCouncillorsG ThomasMC ClarkeP Davies

Lay Members
Mr P Clarke
Mrs J Kiely
Mr C Jones OBE
Mr J Baker