

APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE - WEDNESDAY, 17 DECEMBER 2025

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE HELD HYBRID MEETING IN COMMITTEE ROOMS 2/3, CIVIC OFFICES, ANGEL STREET, BRIDGEND, CF31 4WB ON WEDNESDAY, 17 DECEMBER 2025 AT 09:00

Present

Councillor JC Spanswick – Chairperson

I M Spiller
G Walter

AJ Williams
M Jones

RL Penhale-Thomas
M J Evans

A Ulberini-Williams

Invitee:

Gary Evans

GatenbySanderson

Officers:

Laura Griffiths
Paul Miles
Lindsay Harvey
Jake Morgan

Group Manager – Legal and Democratic Services
Group Manager – HR and Organisational Development
Corporate Director – Education, Early Years and Young People
Chief Executive

13. Apologies for Absence

Decision Made	None
Date Decision Made	17 December 2025

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14. Declarations of Interest

Decision Made	The following declarations of interest were made: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cllr Martyn Jones declared a personal interest in item 4 as he works with two of the internal candidates.• Cllr Melanie Evans declared a personal interest in item 4 as she knows one of the candidates.
Date Decision Made	17 December 2025

15. Exclusion of the Public

Decision Made	<p><u>RESOLVED:</u></p> <p>The following items are not for publication as they contain exempt information as defined in Paragraph 12 and 13 of Part 4 and Paragraph 21 of Part 5 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as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.</p> <p>Following the application of the public interest test the Committee resolved pursuant to the Act to consider these items in private, with the public being excluded from the meeting during such consideration.</p>
Date Decision Made	17 December 2025

16. Appointment Process: Head of Strategy, Early Years and Youth

Decision Made	This decision was exempt and therefore not available for public inspection.
Date Decision Made	7 January 2026