

KIDWELLY TOWN COUNCIL

2nd FEBRUARY 2021

At the VIRTUAL meeting of the **POLICY & RESOURCES COMMITTEE** held on Tuesday 2nd February 2021

Present	Town Mayor	D.Lloyd-Waterford
	Deputy Mayor	
	Councillors	J.Gilasbey, J.Bezant, J.James, J.Mayne, C.Peters, C.Peters-Bond, G.Beer, C.Davies
	Town Clerk	Virginia O'Reilly
	Town Secretary	A Padgett
	Admin Assist.	Owain Davies
Apologies	Councillors	P.Thompson, A.Jenkins

399 MEMBERS' DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

400 RISK MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

The current document is under review. Further information will be sought from One Voice Wales, Society for Local Council Clerks and the county council.

401 COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

The next edition of the newsletter will focus on future planned projects, to inform residents of development schemes and update on present ongoing undertakings such as the Industrial Museum, Ten Towns Initiative and Ger y Gwendraeth leisure park. General information on vaccination arrangements is awaited from the surgery. The Hub representative will provide a report outlining its work.

402 THE WAY FORWARD

It was noted that the Coastal Funding Bid Stage 2 has been submitted, the outcome expected in March. Discussion on related matters will continue.

Outlines for projects will be prepared in readiness for possible future funding initiatives.

The Ten Towns Initiative representative is arranging consultation with local organisations.

Town square and main street development, the former town hall, tourism, marketing, will all be considered in an effort to regenerate the area.

The town clerk will circulate a list of all current initiatives. Individual councillors can choose an initiative on which to take the lead.

403 LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND ELECTIONS (WALES) BILL

A guide to the Bill had been circulated for consideration. Several issues arising may affect the town council. Advice from One Voice Wales on necessary action will be sought.

404 CONNECTING WITH YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY

The Welsh Government report had been circulated. It was noted that, as a communications guide, it included many excellent ideas on how the council can engage with the community.

Various ideas were proposed, such as, monthly release of council activities in publications with large circulation and individual items such as the cockle wars.

Members were encouraged to consider the report contents.