



COUNCIL – 9TH OCTOBER 2018

SUBJECT: QUESTIONS RECEIVED UNDER RULE OF PROCEDURE 10(2)

REPORT BY: HEAD OF LEGAL SERVICES AND MONITORING OFFICER

1. LEISURE PROVISION

To the Cabinet Member for Education and Achievement from Councillor Kevin Etheridge.

- (1) To ask the Cabinet Member for Education to confirm if Leisure Officers have had any discussions with Governors over providing services from Pontllanfraith Leisure Centre to Islwyn High School in the last 12 months and prior to the consultation over the Leisure and Sports strategy which ended on 21st September 2018.
- (2) To ask the Cabinet Member for Education to define the content of any discussions with the governors and any provisional agreements on funding of current services from Pontllanfraith Leisure Centre to Islwyn High School, and if any discussion and votes have been taken by governors in this respect, and if a "memorandum of understanding " between Council and the School has been discussed and the results of these discussions.

2. HIGHWAY MATTERS

To the Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Economy, Infrastructure and Sustainability from Councillor Kevin Etheridge.

To ask the Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member to confirm in regard the Sirhowy Bridge Blackwood :

1. Confirm it is a Private Finance Contract and the term left on the contract
2. Confirm all cost of repairs will fall to the private sector
3. Details of the penalty clauses and confirmation no cost will fall to the ratepayers of the County Borough, and the details of the cost so far incurred
4. The works are on track to be completed and the bridge opened end of October.