

CAERPHILLY COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

NOTICE OF CABINET DECISIONS FROM THE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY, 24TH APRIL 2019 AT 10.30 A.M.
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PRESENT:

Councillors: C.J. Cuss, N. George, C. Gordon, Mrs B. A. Jones, P. Marsden, S. Morgan, Mrs L. Phipps and D.V. Poole.

The Cabinet decisions are set out below. For further details please refer to the relevant Cabinet report.

ITEM	SUBJECT	
1.	Apologies for absence.	Apologies for absence were received from Councillor E. Stenner, C. Harray (Interim Chief Executive) and D. Street (Corporate Director – Social Services and Housing).
2.	Declarations of Interest.	Cllr S. Morgan declared a personal and prejudicial interest in item 5 (To Adopt the Welsh Government (WG) 'High Street and Retail Rate Relief' Scheme 2019/20 – Grant Funding) and left the meeting during its consideration.
3.	Minutes – 10th April 2019.	Subject to it being noted that Item 9 - Pontllanfraith Leisure Centre (Page 8) should state that the Leader referred to email correspondence received from Mr R. Lloyd, Ms K. Alderson and Ms L. Newman and the issues contained therein had been addressed, the minutes were approved as a correct record.
EXECUTIVE DECISIONS THAT ARE SUBJECT TO CALL-IN		
4.	Junior and Youth Forum Priorities	<p>Considered by Education for Life Scrutiny Committee on 2nd April 2019.</p> <p>RESOLVED that for the reasons contained in the Officer's Report and subject to an additional recommendation (v):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) the Junior and Youth Forum Priorities be supported by Cabinet; ii) the Youth Forum in addressing their Priority Issue of Mental Health, be supported; iii) the Junior Forum in addressing their Priority Issue of raising awareness of Drug and Alcohol Support, be supported; iv) issues raised by Children and Young People when making decisions which impact upon their lives, be supported. v) <i>that the Junior and Youth Forum Priorities also be presented to Social Services Scrutiny Committee.</i>

5.	To Adopt the Welsh Government (WG) 'High Street and Retail Rate Relief' Scheme 2019/20 – Grant Funding.	<p>Councillor S. Morgan declared an interest in this item and left the meeting during its consideration.</p> <p>RESOLVED that for the reasons contained in the Officer's Report:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) the 'High Street and Retail Rate Relief Scheme' 2019/20 (the 2019/20 Scheme) be adopted with immediate effect, in accordance with the guidance set out at Appendix 1 of the report, and the provisions of section 47(1)(a) and section 47(3) of the Local Government Finance Act 1988. The Head of Corporate Finance and S151 Officer will use delegated powers to award the relief; ii) for the reasons outlined in 5.5 of the report, the proposals to allow successful applicants for the 2018/19 High Street Rate Relief Scheme (the 2018/19 Scheme) who are eligible to receive rate relief under the 2019/20 Scheme to have the rate relief awarded without the need to make a further application be adopted; iii) ratepayers who have not completed an application form for the 2018/19 Scheme be required to properly complete and return an application form for the 2019/20 scheme. Where an application form is required, such a form must be completed by each eligible ratepayer for each qualifying property and returned to the Business Rates Team.
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Date executive decisions to come into force and may be implemented (unless called in) –

5.00 pm on Monday 29th April 2019