

**CYNGOR GWYNEDD  
COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE DECISION NOTICE**

**(Section 100C of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended by the Local Authorities (Coronavirus) (Meetings) (Wales) Regulations 2020)**

**18/04/2024**

**Virtual Meeting**

**Attendance:**

**COUNCILLORS:**

Elin Hywel (Chair)  
Annwen Hughes (Vice-chair)

Stephen Churchman, Elwyn Edwards, Delyth Lloyd Griffiths, Jina Gwyrfai, Linda Morgan, Edgar Owen, Beca Roberts, Arwyn Herald Roberts, Elfed Powell Roberts, Peter Thomas, Rob Triggs and Gruffydd Williams.

**Officers present:**

Bethan Adams (Scrutiny Advisor), Rhodri Jones (Democracy Services Officer) and Geraint Owen (Corporate Director).

**Present for item 5:**

Sandra Lynne Thomas (Programme Manager – Gwynedd and Anglesey Public Services Board).

**Present for item 6:**

Councillor Berwyn Parry Jones (Cabinet Member for Highways, Engineering and YGC), Steffan Jones (Head of Highways, Engineering and YGC) and Gareth Roberts (Area Engineer for Dwyfor – Highways, Engineering and YGC).

**Present for item 7:**

Councillor Berwyn Parry Jones (Cabinet Member for Highways, Engineering and YGC), Steffan Jones (Head of Highways, Engineering and YGC), Peter John Simpson (Street Services Manager, Highways, Engineering and YGC) and Sara Marged Jones (Projects Manager, Highways, Engineering and YGC).

**Apologies:**

Apologies were received from Councillors Kim Jones, Llio Elenid Owen, Rhys Tudur and Robert Glyn Daniels.

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**SUBJECT**

**Item 5: GWYNEDD AND ANGLESEY PUBLIC SERVICES BOARD DELIVERY ARRANGEMENTS**

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**DECISION**

To accept the report:

- Ask that future reports include more detail about the delivery arrangements and how progress is measured to realise the objectives of the Well-being Plan.
  - Recommend to the Public Services Board that the annual report contains information about:
    - how the Welsh language is promoted according to each well-being objective
    - how the Whole System Thinking and Healthy Weight: Healthy Wales methodology is a golden thread throughout the work.
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**THE RESULT OF THE VOTE**

In favour	13
Abstention	1
Against	0

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**DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS**

No declarations of personal interest or relevant dispensations were received.

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**SUBJECT**

**Item 6: HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE MANUAL**

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**DECISION**

To accept the report and to note the observations, and recommend that the Highways, Engineering and YGC Department:

- puts arrangements in place to notify councillors when a reported problem has been resolved.
  - looks at establishing arrangements to review the standard of inspections.
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**THE RESULT OF THE VOTE**

In favour	13
Abstention	0
Against	0

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**DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS**

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**SUBJECT**

**Item 7: STREETSCENE SERVICE**

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**DECISION**

To accept the report, noting the observations made during the discussion.

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**THE RESULT OF THE VOTE**

In favour	13
Abstention	0
Against	0

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**SUBJECT**

**Item 8: ITEMS FOR THE NEXT MEETING**

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**DECISION**

To confirm that the following items will be scrutinised at the Committee's meeting to be held on 16 May 2024:

- Article 4 Direction – Public Consultation
  - Ash Dieback Disease
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**THE RESULT OF THE VOTE**

In favour	12
Abstention	0
Against	0

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**DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS**

No declarations of personal interest or relevant dispensations were received.

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