



MERTHYR TYDFIL
County Borough Council
Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol
MERTHYR TUDFUL

MINUTES OF MEETING

SCRUTINY : REGENERATION, PLANNING AND COUNTRYSIDE MEETING

TUESDAY, 22ND SEPTEMBER, 2015

PRESENT: Councillor H Barrett (In the Chair)

Councillors S P Brown, E Galsworthy, K Moran and M O'Neill

Councillors B Toomey, P Williams and L Matthews - Cabinet

Officers:

Judith Jones (Head of Planning), Justin Waite (Planning Policy Officer) and Julian Pike (Group Leader - Housing Renewal)

Howard Jones (Scrutiny Officer), Mair Morgan (Scrutiny / Democratic Services Officer) and Sarah Thornton (Administrative Assistant)

ITEM NO.	AGENDA MATTER	DECISION
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Chair

Resolved that:

In the absence of the Chair and Vice Chair Councillor H Barrett be appointed Chair.

443	Apologies for Absence	Apologies for absence were received from Councillor G Jones and Councillor B Carter.
444	Declarations of Interest	No Declarations of Interest were made.

	(including whipping declarations)	
445	Housing Grants / Disabled Facility Grants	<p>The Chair welcomed Julian Pike to the Meeting.</p> <p>The Committee requested that a report on this matter be submitted to a future Committee Meeting.</p> <p>Resolved that:</p> <p>(a) The item be deferred (b) That Julian Pike be invited to attend a future Committee Meeting.</p>
446	Merthyr Tydfil CBC Local Development Plan (2006-2021)	<p>The Chair welcomed Judith Jones and Justin Waite to the Meeting.</p> <p>The Committee requested a report on how the Local Development Plan was working in the County Borough.</p> <p>Judith Jones advised that the Annual Monitoring Report that was produced and submitted to Welsh Government at the end of October was agendered for the December Scrutiny Committee Meeting.</p> <p>Justin Waite then gave details of the review of the Local Development Plan.</p> <p>Resolved that:</p> <p>(a) The item be deferred (b) This matter be considered at the Scrutiny Committee scheduled for December 2015</p> <p>The Chair then thanked all the Officers for attending.</p>
447	Scrutiny Referrals, Feedback and Follow Up Actions	The Chair advised that there was no update on this item.
448	Reflection and Evaluation of Meeting	The Chair and the Committee reflected on the issues that had been raised in the Meeting.
449	Forward Work Programme	The Committee considered and agreed the Forward Work Programme.
450	Any Other Business deemed urgent by the Chair	The Chair advised that there was no business deemed urgent.