



Cyngor Bwrdeistref Sirol  
**MERTHYR TUDFUL**  
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County Borough Council

## MINUTES OF MEETING

# CABINET MEETING

**WEDNESDAY, 30TH MARCH, 2022**

**PRESENT:** Councillors L Mytton (Chair)  
G Thomas (Vice-Chair)

C Davies, M Jones and T Rogers

### **Officers**

E Cooper (Chief Executive), C Kennedy (Head of Legal and Governance Services - Monitoring Officer), C Dinham (Communications, Consultation and Engagement Manager), F Donnelly (H R Manager), S Jones (Head of Finance), L Curtis Jones (Chief Officer (Social Services)), M Price (Revenue Officer), P Lewis (Trading Standards and Licensing Manager), S Walker (Chief Education Officer), J Jones (Chief Officer Neighbourhood Services) and A Stephens (Cabinet Policy Officer) E Galeozzie (Democratic Services Officer)

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ITEM NO.	AGENDA MATTER	DECISION
774	Apologies for absence	No apologies for absence were received
775	Declarations of Interest	No declarations of interest were received
776	Animal Welfare (Licensing Of Activities Involving Animals)	<b>Resolved that;</b> The following recommendations, be approved;

	(Wales) Regulations 2021	<p><b>Resolved that;</b></p> <p>The implementation of the Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (Wales) Regulations 2021 be noted.</p> <p>Licensing officers be given delegated authority to determine Licences under the above Regulations in accordance with paragraph 3.6 of the report.</p> <p>The Head of Public Protection or the Licensing Manager in conjunction with the Legal Department be given delegated authority to make decisions on written representations in accordance with paragraph 3.8 of the report.</p> <p>Any appeals against the Star Rating of premises be determined by either the Head of Public Protection or the Licensing Manager in accordance with paragraphs 3.10 and 3.11.</p> <p>The Constitution be amended to reflect the implementation of the Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (Wales) Regulations 2021 and to remove reference to the repealed Pet Animals Act 1951.</p>
777	Vale, Valleys and Cardiff (VVC) Adoption Collaborative Annual Report for 1st April 2020 to 31st March 2021	<p><b>Resolved that;</b></p> <p>The report for information be received</p>
778	Any Other Business Deemed Urgent by the Chair	No other business was deemed urgent by the chair.
779	Exempt	In order for the following to be considered in private, that the public be excluded from the meeting on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined under Part 4 of Schedule 12A of Section 100 (A) (4) of the Local Government Act 1972.

### **CLOSED SESSION**

780	Sundry Debt Write Off Report	<p><b>Resolved that;</b></p> <p>The recommendation as contained within the report be approved.</p>
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