



**MINUTES** of the **MONTHLY MEETING** of Mumbles Community Council held on Tuesday 8 February 2011 at 7pm in the Council Offices, Walters Crescent, Mumbles

**THESE MINUTES ARE AS YET UNCONFIRMED**

**43.02. Present:** Chairman: Councillor B. Arthur  
**11** Councillors: V. Bevan, R. Beynon, P. Birch, A. Colburn, J. Cooper, J. Buckland Davies, P. Erasmus, K. Jones, M. Jones, H. Mitchell, L. Pritchard, P. Skinner & L. Tyler-Lloyd

**44.02 Apologies** Councillors: J. Beach, A. Hinton, P. Jones & P. Swinnerton

**45.02 No Apologies** N/A

**46.02 TO RECEIVE DISCLOSURES OF PERSONAL INTEREST FROM MEMBERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT ADOPTED BY THIS COUNCIL ON 8TH APRIL 2008.**

Planning Application 2011/0047 – Cllr Mitchell  
Planning Application 2011/0081 – Cllr Cooper  
Planning Application 2011/0083 – Cllr M. Jones  
Planning Application 2011/0105 – Cllr Cooper

**47.02 Minutes of the Monthly Meeting held on 11 January 2011**

**RESOLVED** that the Minutes of the Monthly Meeting of Council held on 11 January 2011 be accepted as a correct record.

**48.02 Minutes of the Special Meeting held on 21 January 2011**

**RESOLVED** that the Minutes of the Special Meeting of Council held on 21 January be accepted as a correct record.

**49.02 Clerk's Report**

The letter listing was circulated.

**Chairman's Report**

**50.02** The Chairman advised Council that he had not attended any official functions on behalf of the Council since the last meeting.

**51.02** The Chairman has had two invitations:

- (a) All Saints Church to see a presentation by the Ambassador to Chile
- (b) Mumbles Cricket Club's "Double Victory Dinner".

## **Planning Applications**

- 52.02** Cllr Colburn withdrew from the Meeting Room.
- 53.02** 2011/0042 – Land to the rear of 5 Woolacott Drive, Newton  
Objection – Healthy tree – no need to fell
- 54.02** 2011/0143– 10 Rotherslade Road, Langland  
Objection – Healthy tree. In situ before garage constructed.
- 55.02** 2011/0083– 45 Castle Road, Mumbles  
Objection – Close proximity to School. Difficult for pedestrians and children. Narrow roadway. Effect of proposal on the character and appearance of the surrounding area.
- 56.02** 2010/0105 – 136 West Cross Lane, West Cross  
Objection – Over intensification of licensing premises. Shop already opened in December 2010.
- 57.02** 2011/040 – 56 Moorside Road  
Objection – All trees appear healthy. Felling would affect visual impact of landscape of the woodland area.
- 58.02** Cllr Colburn returned to the Meeting Room

## **Highways Committee**

### **Recommendations from the Highways Committee**

**59.02 Christmas Lights**

In view of the costs and problems we have experienced.

**RESOLVED** that MCC relinquishes responsibility for the lights. The Christmas motifs on the lamp posts remain MCC responsibility.

**60.02 Texaco Garage, Blackpill**

C&CS have replied stating that as there have been no reported accidents for past 3 years they will not take any action.

**RESOLVED** that no further action be taken.

## **F&GP COMMITTEE**

### **Recommendations from the F&GP Committee**

**61.02 Letter of thanks from West Glamorgan Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse Ltd.**

**RESOLVED** that this be noted.

**62.02 Letter from Martin Caton, MP, attaching copies of his surgery listings.**

**RESOLVED** that this be noted

**63.02 Letter from Welsh Assembly Government detailing (i ) Maximum Limit for Section 137 Expenditure (ii) Borrowing Arrangements for Community/Town Councils**

**RESOLVED** that this be noted.

**64.02 Request for grant from Ariosa Singers**

See attached letter. Last donation to them was £471 made on 13 May 2009

**RESOLVED** that a grant of £364 (the sum of the sheet music invoice enclosed with the letter) be paid as soon as the new financial year begins

**65.02 Letter of thanks from Welsh Assembly Government thanking MCC for Completing the Community and Town Council Survey 2010**

**RESOLVED** that this be noted

**66.02 Letter from South Wales Police Authority advising MCC of various meetings they have arranged on the theme "Managing on Less"**

**RESOLVED** that this be noted

**67.02 Letter from Felingwn Pottery re Royal Wedding Mug.**

**RESOLVED** that no mugs be ordered

**Financial Report**

Chq No:	Payee	Purpose	Net	VAT	Gross
<b>68.02</b>	2423	Steve Heydon	Salary	£916.58	£ 916.58
<b>69.02</b>	2424	HM Revenue & Customs	NI & Tax Payroll	£ 258.52	£ 258.52
<b>70.02</b>	2425	Treasure	Rent	£ 1,437.50	£ 1,437.50
<b>71.02</b>	2426	Furniture@Work	Desk	£ 77.88	£ 77.88
<b>72.02</b>	2427	Badgemaster	Badges	£ 12.72	£ 12.72
<b>73.02</b>		<b>Bank Balances</b>	Current Account		£20,434.24
			Lighting Account		£1,287.50
			Deposit Account		£47,066.56

**Meeting Closed at 7.42pm**