



# GRAIG COMMUNITY COUNCIL

## Clerk's Report

30<sup>th</sup> January 2013

Additional information to the agenda for the meeting being held on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2013 at 7pm at Graig Community Hall Bassaleg.

### (Item No 4 on the agenda)

**Play Areas** – An application to Veolia is being progressed. A comprehensive consultation of Graig residents has been undertaken and responses to the survey are very positive.

**Adoption of Footpath Opposite Garth Terrace & Highfield Lane** – Clerk working with NCC for formal adoption.

**Former Garthfield Cottage Development** – Clerk has reported that the verge and pavement between Caerphilly Close and Road has been left in a poor state which is being dealt with by NCC engineers. Clerk to monitor. Council has been told that NCC considers it has more pressing issues to attend to.

**Fencing along woodland path on Caerphilly Road** – Cllr Cornelious has confirmed that NCC have visited the site and agreed to repair the fencing. This item will be deleted once work has been carried out.

**Trees needing attention in Caerphilly Road** – the Clerk has reported to the Contact Centre that the trees in the same area as the vehicle speed indicator on both sides of Caerphilly Road need attention. The Contact Centre has given a resolution date of 24<sup>th</sup> October to investigate and assess. Clerk to monitor.

**Bankings on Caerphilly Road** – Clerk has reported to the Contact Centre that the bankings from the Foss-y-fran junction to the Friendly Fox Pub need attention, in particular there are loose branches, stones and rubbish that needs removing. No response has been given to date. Cllr Caston says looks improved.

**Bryn Hedydd and footpath from Bryn Hedd to Caerphilly Close clean up** – Clerk reported to the Contact Centre that Bryn Hedd and associated footpath onto Caerphilly Close is in need of a clean-up. No response received to date.

**Improved signage for Pentrepoeth School** – This matter is being dealt with under Items for Discussion for regular updates so will be removed from future Clerk's Reports.

**Grit bin on Caerphilly Road** – Clerk has requested via the Contact Centre that a new grit bin be provided on Caerphilly Road close to the Friendly Fox as the bin is broken and too small for current needs. Cllr Cornelious reported that a new bin will be provided as soon as practicable.

**Double Yellow Lines on Channel View** – Cllr Cornelious has requested that the double yellow lines be extended to prevent parking so close to the junction with Laurel Road. NCC have confirmed that a new traffic order will be needed. As there is no funding for such things at present nor for the foreseeable future, the traffic order will not be applied for until it can be added to similar issues for a blanket order to be made. The situation will be monitored. This will remain on the report until the issue is settled.

**Street Light opposite Garth Terrace** – The defective street light has been reported to the contact centre and repair is awaited.

**Pot holes on Penylan Road** – This has been reported to the contact centre and a response is awaited.

There have been no developments with many items on this report of late which is suspected to be due to the recent Christmas holidays and bad weather – Clerk to chase up all outstanding items as soon as the weather turns.

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