



Minutes of the Special Meeting of Llandeilo Town Council held in the Chamber at the Shire Hall on Wednesday September 28th, 2011 at 6.45 p.m.

Present: Mayor Cllr Julia Jones, Deputy Mayor Cllr Dawn Wallace, Cllr Colin Jenkins, Cllr Ros Bellamy, Cllr Christoher Parish, Cllr Edward Thomas, Cllr Richard Wallace, Cllr Charlotte Leadbeater, Cllr David Williams, Cllr Fran Murphy, Cllr Roy Davies
Mr Roger Phillips (Town Clerk)
Mr Des Davies (Technical Officer)

Apologies : None

Min 157/ Sept /11 To confirm the arrangements for the proposed Public Meeting to be held on October 5th, 2011 in the Civic Hall at 7.30pm

The Clerk read correspondence from the following persons,

1. Simon Buckley criticising the arrangements for the Public Meeting.
2. Tim Shaw criticising the arrangements for the Public Meeting.
3. Richard Brown regarding the arrangements for the Public Meeting.
4. Keith Towler declining the invitation to chair the Public meeting.

In view of this correspondence, the Council reconsidered the structure of its proposed Public Meeting.

1. It was proposed by Cllr Richard Wallace that the Council confirm its agreement to hold the public Meeting on October 5th, in the Civic Hall. Cllr Charlotte Leadbeater seconded. There were 9 votes for and 1 vote against. The proposal was carried.
2. It was proposed by Cllr David Williams that the invitation for a third speaker in favour of the Sainsbury's application be withdrawn. Cllr Roy Davies seconded. There were 9 votes for and 1 vote against. The proposal was carried.
3. It was proposed by Cllr Ros Bellamy that the meeting be open to all who wished to attend and not restricted to residents of Llandeilo Town. Cllr Charlotte Leadbeater seconded. There were 6 votes for and 4 abstentions. The proposal was carried.
4. Cllr Dawn Wallace proposed that Sainsbury's would give the first presentation, followed by Save Llandeilo's Future. Each presentation would be of 15 minutes. This would be followed by the questions that the Council had received. These questions would be circulated to both parties on Friday September 30th. A time of 30 minutes would be allocated for the answering of these questions. Following this the speakers would be invited to leave the stage and join the audience if they so wished. For the final 30 minutes, the Chair would invite members of the audience to express their personal viewpoints by addressing the Chair. There would not be questions accepted from the floor. Cllr David Williams seconded.
There were 7 votes for with 3 abstentions.

5. It was agreed that the Mayor seek to contact suitable persons and select one according to availability to act as an independent chair for the meeting. All were in favour.

The Clerk would notify both Sainsbury's and Save Llandeilo's Future regarding the structure laid down.

The meeting ended at 7.25pm