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Minutes of the Inaugural Meeting of the Environment Committee

Held Tuesday, 4th March 2025 6:00 PM

Waterfall Suite,

Forge Fach Resource Centre

Attendees: Cllr S Powell (Chair), Cllr E Jackson, Cllr D Williams, Cllr J Hill.

Remote attendees: Cllr G Turner

Also in attendance: Clerk to the Council Cathy Kennedy

Apologies: None

1. Apologies for Absence

No apologies were received.

2. Declarations of Interest

No declarations of interest were made by members in relation to the agenda items.

3. Public Questions

No public questions were raised during the allocated time.

4. Draft Terms of Reference

RECOMMENDED: The committee reviewed the draft Terms of Reference and recommended them for approval by the Full Council, subject to minor amendments.

5. Local Places for Nature

The Chair provided an update regarding the Wildlife Starter Pack. The committee noted the contents and agreed to identify potential locations for implementation. A further discussion will be scheduled for the next meeting.

6. Village Flowers

The committee discussed arrangements for the summer flower display. It was agreed that the Chair would obtain quotes for the purchase and installation of flower arrangements.

7. Biodiversity Report

The committee considered the actions required to ensure compliance with Section 6 of the Environment (Wales) Act 2016. It was agreed that the Clerk would draft a Biodiversity and Resilience of Ecosystems Duty Report.

8. **My Green Valley**

A discussion was held regarding continued collaboration with the “My Green Valley” community organisation. The committee expressed support for their initiatives in litter reduction, green space maintenance, and environmental projects.

9. **Date for Next Meeting**

The next meeting was confirmed for Tuesday, 1st April 2025.

Meeting Adjourned: 8 PM

Chair: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____