

**Gorslas Community Council – Annual Report and Priorities 2023/24**

<b>1.0 Corporate Matters Priorities</b>			
<b>Priority</b>	<b>Service</b>	<b>What needs to be done</b>	<b>Why is it a priority</b>
1	Corporate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review Clerk/RFO's contract and Job Description</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Address the current excess hours.</li> <li>Align the contract with duties.</li> </ul>
2	Corporate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review Standing Orders</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New Model Standing Orders received from O.V.W to include legislative changes</li> </ul>
3	Corporate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review Financial Regulations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To align with new Standing Orders.</li> </ul>
4	Corporate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consider and review the options relating to developing the Councils website</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To meet legal requirements in relation to the provision of information.</li> <li>To update the site and enhance user experience.</li> </ul>

<b>2.0 Priorities relating to the services the Community Council provides</b>			
<b>Priority</b>	<b>Service</b>	<b>What needs to be done</b>	<b>Why is it a priority</b>
1	Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete the works regarding the provision of New Play Equipment and Safety Surfaces at Drefach Park.</li> <li>Complete re-surfacing of tarmacadam in play area</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To address H+S Safety surface issue.</li> <li>Address the need to replace certain older items of play equipment.</li> <li>Re-surfacing the tarmacadam surface in conjunction with the above works will produce a smooth flush finish removing trip hazards.</li> <li>Combining all three elements represents best use of financial resources.</li> </ul>
2	Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seek to work with partner organisations to respond and develop the parks to address the safety issues of pedestrian park users, dog fouling, environmental and sustainability issues.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Encourage greater use and community involvement in the park.</li> <li>Address H+S issue.</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop a broader range of service provision to include community provision at the New Gorslas CP School.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Align with the Council's aims and objectives.</li> </ul>
	Parks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review and update information signage in the three parks and surrounds to highlight the facilities available.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The existing signage is out dated.</li> <li>• Encourage use of the parks and facilities.</li> <li>• Raise awareness of the history and culture of the local community.</li> </ul>

<b>3.0 Priorities relating to Local Matters but provided by others Agencies.</b>			
<b>Priority</b>	<b>Service</b>	<b>What needs to be done</b>	<b>Why is it a priority</b>
1	Community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work with partners to develop a scheme to address road safety issues at Drefach</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Danger to pedestrians' from speeding vehicles</li> <li>• Priority concern for residents.</li> </ul>
2	Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continue to support Cefneithin School in its bid for the County Council to provide additional capacity.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pupil Numbers have increased significantly in recent years.</li> <li>• The facilities need development to provide the same learning opportunities as in newer schools.</li> </ul>