Minutes of the Vale of Grwyney Community Council Meeting held on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> December 2019 at 6:38pm in Glangrwyney Village Hall.

**Present:** Cllr Caroline Fairclough (Chair)

Cllr Dean Christy Cllr Keith Powell Cllr Phill Bowker

In attendance: Maria James (Clerk)

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1.	Apologies for Absence: Cllrs Morris, Alford, Lusted, Greenidge and Sharman			
2.	Declarations of Interest: Cllr Phill Bowker (Chairman of Glangrwyney Village Hall).			
3.	Glangrwyney Village Hall: to consider Glangrwyney Village Hall Committee's request for the Community Council to be named as a key main partner in an expression of interest letter be submitted to the Welsh Government prior to an application for grant funding to developing Glangrwyney Village Hall.			
	As Chairman of Glangrwyney Village Hall Committee Cllr Bowker reported on Glangrwyney Village Hall Committee's (the Committee) proposals to develop the village hall explaining the Committee intends applying to the Welsh Government's Communities Facilities Programme for funding. He explained this is a two stage process. The initial stage requires an expression of interest letter detailing the Committee's key main partners. For the purposes of this application the Committee would like the Community Council, the Custodial Trustee, to be named a key main partner.			
	Cllr Bowker explained the Committee consulted residents in Llangenny and Glangrwyney previously when making a bid for a Big Lottery grant (which subsequently proved unsuccessful), asking for views on how the hall should be used. The ideas generated from this consultation have been considered in the development proposals for the hall. These proposals involve reconfiguring the internal layout to provide a separate meeting room, new kitchen, disabled toilet and a modest side/rear extension to create storage. The pre-application advice obtained indicates the planning authority foresee no significant problems with this proposal.			
	Cllr Powell proposed the Community Council agree to be named a key main partner for the purposes of this application. This was seconded by Cllr Christy and unanimously agreed			
	RESOLVED: the Community Council is named a key main partner in the expression of interest letter to be submitted to Welsh Government prior to an application for grant funding to develop Glangrwyney Village Hall.			

There being no further business the Chair closed the meeting at 18:53 pm

Any Other Business for information purposes only: None reported.

Signed:	 	
		Chairman