

LLANDOUGH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

**MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND AMENITIES COMMITTEE HELD
REMOTELY ON WEDNESDAY 4 FEBRUARY 2026 AT 7.00pm.**

PRESENT

Councillor Dr M. Misra (Chair)
Councillor Mrs L. Barrowclough
Councillor Mrs P. Carreyett
Councillor P. King
Councillor T. Llewelyn
Councillor D. Mears

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Councillor C. Gibson (Vice-Chair)
Councillor B. Augustian
Councillor Mrs S. Jefferies
Councillor M. Stanyard-Jones

1. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.

There were none declared.

2. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 15 OCTOBER 2025.

RESOLVED that: The minutes be confirmed as a correct record.

3. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES.

Minute No. 8 – A response from VCS was awaited in relation to the additional grant bid of £408 for tablecloths, crockery and cutlery and a toaster.

Minute 6 – The dangerous trees on Brook Green had been cut back.

Minute 7 – The Clerk would include reference in the late Winter/Early Spring newsletter to dog fouling on the football playing fields.

4. DOG FOULING IN ACTIVE TENNIS COURT.

It was noted that the active tennis court had been cleaned by Vale Council staff and the gate locked with a key to the lock to be provided to the Chair. The staff organising the clean up suggested to the Chair that a weedkiller be applied to the weeds during a dry spell. The Committee considered that weedkiller should not be used in view of its impact on local wildlife. As an alternative, hot water be applied or a flame gun be used. Another alternative was to dig out the weeds

using a hoe. The Clerk advised that in any event those using weedkillers in a public space would need to hold a weed spraying certificate.

RESOLVED that: The offer of the Chair to dig out the weeds on a regular basis be supported.

5. LITTER PICKS 2026.

It was considered that the issue of litter was worsening and it may be necessary to arrange a third litter pick during the year. There was an abundance of litter on the whole length of Leckwith Road.

RESOLVED that:

- a) Litter picks be held on 18 April 2026 and 12 September 2026 from 10.00am until 12 Noon.
- b) The Vale of Glamorgan Council be requested to arrange clearance of litter on the whole length of Leckwith Road.

6. TEMPORARY ENTRANCE TO THE HOSPITAL.

Although some improvement work had been undertaken by the Health Board the temporary entrance remained an environmental eyesore.

RESOLVED that: The Clerk write to the Health Board thanking them for improving the screening of the entrance but requesting urgent action to improve the environmental condition of the temporary entrance.

7. CONDITION OF THE VILLAGE.

The following matters were reported:

- a) It was noted that the surface of Cogan Pill Road had been cleaned and lighting was shortly to be installed.
- b) The pavement outside the school had recently been cleaned.
- c) There was evidence of soil erosion in the Dog Field situated in front of the hospital and it required monitoring.
- c) The Llandough sign from the entrance to the village from Cardiff required cleaning.