

BRYNMAWR TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, 16 January 2019 in the Council Chamber, Orchard Street, Brynmawr at 5.30pm.

Present:- Councillors **B.M. Sutton** **(Chair).**
M.I.Morgan, G.D. Jones,
H.J. Swales, T.S. Hughes,
W.K. Hodgins, R.J. Hill,
Mrs. J. Boyd, N. Boyd,
J. Sutton.

Town Clerk: **Mrs. A.C. Davies.**
Asst. Town Clerk: **Miss. N.J. Williams.**

Apologies:- **D. Lyn. Elias, Mrs. O.M. Swales,**
Miss S.M.Morgan, Mrs. D. Brown.

Precept 2019/2020

The Chair welcomed members to the Budget Meeting for the year 2019/2020.

The Clerk issued each member with a copy of the Town Council's Annual Budget prior to the meeting in support of its precept for 2019/2020 together with a 3 year forecast of the Revenue & Capital Budget.

The Clerk predicted that the Council would require approximately £79,813 for 2019/2020 in order that the Council can fully function and be viable.

A lengthy discussion ensued whereby members asked various questions on the budget revenue for the forthcoming year.

It was strongly agreed by all members that the precept should remain the same and not be increased for 2019/2020.

It was unanimously agreed that the precept for 2019/2020 be the same as last year (0% increase).
Precept requirements for the year 2019/2020 - £43,000.00.

The Clerk advised members to give careful consideration before awarding grants to groups/organisations for the year 2019/2020 and to preferably determine donations to local organisations within Brynmawr.

Risk Fund for 2019/2020 will remain the same as last year £23,000.

Meeting closed at 17.55 hours.