

**MINUTES OF BRECON BEACONS NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY PLANNING  
COMMITTEE HELD BY VIRTUAL TEAMS MEETING ON TUESDAY, 24<sup>TH</sup>  
JANUARY, 2023**

**PRESENT:**

**Powys**

Cllr E Roderick (Deputy Chair), Cllr E Jones, Cllr I McIntosh, Cllr W Powell and Cllr H Williams

**Monmouthshire**

Cllr S Howarth

**Merthyr Tydfil**

Cllr J Davies

**Blaenau Gwent**

Cllr P Baldwin

**Rhondda Cynon Taff**

Cllr S Emanuel

**Members appointed by the Welsh Government**

Mr Julian Stedman (Chair)

**1 Apologies for Absence**

There were no apologies received for this meeting.

**2 Chair's Announcements**

The Chair advised regarding the Agent's Forum on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2023, Mr Gareth Jones, Director of Planning and Place gave a brief update in relation to the items discussed, he advised that a team member from Natural Resources Wales (NRW) was also in attendance.

The Chair advised as there are no items for decision on this agenda it will be a short meeting but asked Members to remain after the meeting for a short training session.

**3 Declarations of Interest**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Enc</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Nature of Interest</b>
Cllr E Roderick	5	2	Personal and prejudicial

#### **4 Minutes of last meeting**

The Chair was authorised to sign the Minutes of the Brecon Beacons National Park Planning Committee held on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2022 as a correct record.

#### **5 Development Control Related Matters for Noting**

**Item 1 Committed Delegated Decision Report**

The report was noted.

**Item 2 Agricultural Notifications Report**

*Cllr E Roderick declared a personal interest in an application within this item but as it is only for noting the Monitoring Officer advised he need not withdraw from the meeting.*

The report was noted.

**Item 3 Fringe Applications Report**

The report was noted.

Actions were as follows for the minutes of the Fringe applications:

**Land At A4042 Mamhilad, Pontypool**

Comments to determining Authority to include need for consideration and monitor of:

- Potential phosphate issues
- Lighting impact and solutions

**Pen March Wind Farm, Gelligaer And Merthyr Common**

- Question raised regarding potential impact on Fforest Fawr Geopark

**Item4 Planning and Enforcement Appeals Report**

The report was noted.

#### **6 Enforcement Reports**

##### **Access to Information**

**Resolved** that pursuant to the provisions of Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the Meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 12, 13, 17 and 18 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the above Act and the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

**Item 1    Enforcement Delegated Report**

The contents of the report were noted.

Signed as a correct record  
Chair of the Planning Committee