

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL HELD AT HYBRID MEETING
- ZOOM - COUNTY HALL ON THURSDAY, 25 JANUARY 2024**

PRESENT

County Councillor B Baynham (Chair)

County Councillors G Breeze, J Berriman, R Church, T Colbert, S Cox, A W Davies, A Davies, B Davies, B Davies, S C Davies, D Edwards, J Ewing, L George, J Gibson-Watt, I Harrison, H Hulme, P James, A Jenner, A Jones, E A Jones, E Jones, G D Jones, G E Jones, J R Jones, A Kennerley, C Kenyon-Wade, P Lewington, K Lewis, P E Lewis, W Lloyd, Chloe Masefield, I McIntosh, S McNicholas, DW Meredith, G Mitchell, G Morgan, G Morgan, WD Powell, G Preston, G Pugh, J Pugh, G W Ratcliffe, L Roberts, P Roberts, C Robinson, E Roderick, D Selby, D A Thomas, R G Thomas, E Vaughan, A Williams, D H Williams and J M Williams

1.	APOLOGIES
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Apologies for absence were received from County Councillors D Bebb, B Breeze, L Brighouse, J Charlton, M J Dorrance, R Devlin, C Hall, C Johnson-Wood, L Rijnenberg, J Brignell-Thorp, C Walsh, J Wilkinson (Vice-Chair) and S L Williams

2.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
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There were no declarations of interest received.

3.	EXEMPT ITEMS
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RESOLVED to exclude the public for the following item of business on the grounds that there would be disclosure to them of exempt information under category 1 of The Local Authorities (Access to Information) (Variation) (Wales) Order 2007).

4.	INTERVIEWS FOR THE POST OF DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND WELLBEING
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Council interviewed candidates for the post of Director of Social Services and Wellbeing.

RESOLVED to appoint Nina Davies to the post of Director of Social Services and Wellbeing.

5.	INTERVIEWS FOR THE POST OF DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION
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Council interviewed candidates for the post of Director of Education.

RESOLVED to appoint Richard Jones to the post of Director of Education.

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