



Agenda

Bedlinog Community Centre
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06 July 2025

Dear Councillor,

A **BTCC Council Meeting** of the **COUNCIL** will be held at **6:15 PM** on **Thursday, July 10, 2025**, at **Microsoft Teams Meeting; / Bedlinog Community Centre.**

Yours faithfully

James. Ryan

Clerk to the Council

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P/25/0180|Erect lamp post in parking area for electric car charging|Land Opposite 6 And 7
Graig Terrace Bedlinog Treharris CF46 6SA

For Decision

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Welsh Government

Application for Planning Permission

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

If printed, please complete using BLOCK CAPITALS and BLACK ink.

1. Applicant Name and Address

Title:

First name:

Last name:

Company
(optional):

Unit:

House number:

House suffix:

House name:

Address 1:

Address 2:

Address 3:

Town:

County:

Country:

Postcode:

2. Agent Name and Address

Title:

First name:

Last name:

Company
(optional):

Unit:

House number:

House suffix:

House name:

Address 1:

Address 2:

Address 3:

Town:

County:

Country:

Postcode:

3. Description of the Proposal

Please describe the proposed development, including any change of use:

Has the building, work or change of use already started?	Yes	No
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If Yes, please state the date when building, work or use were started (DD/MM/YYYY):
(Date must be pre-application submission)

Has the building, work or change of use been completed?	Yes	No
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If Yes, please state the date when the building, work or change of use was completed (DD/MM/YYYY):
(Date must be pre-application submission)

4. Site Details

Please provide the full postal address of the application site.

Unit: House number: House suffix:

House name:

Address 1:

Address 2:

Address 3:

Town:

County:

Postcode:
(optional)

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site – for example “field to the North of the Post Office”.

Easting: Northing:

Description:

5. Pre-application Advice

Has pre-application advice been sought from the local planning authority about this application?	Yes	No
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If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given.
(This will help the authority to deal with this application more efficiently).

Please tick if the full contact details are not known, and then complete as much possible:

Officer name:

Reference:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY): (Must be pre-application submission)

Details of the pre-application advice received:

6. Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way

Is a new or altered vehicle or pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?	Yes	No
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Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site?	Yes	No
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Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site?	Yes	No
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Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way?	Yes	No
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Please show details of any existing or proposed rights of way on or adjacent to the site, as well as any alterations to pedestrian and vehicle access, on your plans or drawings.

7. Waste Storage and Collection

Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of waste and have arrangements been made for the separate storage and collection of recyclable waste?

Yes

No

If Yes, please describe:

8. Neighbour and Community Consultation

Have you consulted your neighbours or the local community about the proposal?

Yes

No

If Yes, please describe:

9. Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, I am:

- | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| a) a member of staff; | b) an elected member; |
| c) related to a member of staff; | d) related to an elected member. |

Do any of these statements apply to you?

Yes

No

If Yes, please provide details of the name, relationship and role:

10. Materials

If applicable, please state what materials are to be used externally. Include type, colour and name for each material:

	Existing (where applicable)	Proposed	Not applicable	Don't Know
Walls				
Roof				
Windows				
Doors				
Boundary treatments (e.g. fences, walls)				
Vehicle access and hard-standing				
Lighting				
Others (please specify)				

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plan(s)/drawing(s)/design and access statement?

Yes

No

If Yes, please state references for the plan(s)/drawing(s)/design and access statement:

11. Vehicle Parking

Is vehicle parking relevant to this proposal?

YesNo

If Yes, please provide information on the existing and proposed number of on-site parking and cycling spaces on your plans.

12. Foul Sewage

Please state how foul sewage is to be disposed of:

Mains sewer

Package treatment plant

Cess pit

Septic tank

Other

Are you proposing to connect to the existing drainage system?

YesNo

If Yes, please include the details of the existing system on the application drawings and state references for the plan(s)/drawing(s):

13. Biodiversity and Geological Conservation

To assist in answering the following questions refer to the guidance notes. The notes provide further information on when there is a reasonable likelihood that any important biodiversity or geological conservation features may be present or nearby and whether they are likely to be affected by your proposals.

Having referred to the guidance notes, is there a reasonable likelihood of the following being affected adversely or conserved and enhanced within the application site, or on land adjacent to or near the application site?

a) Protected and priority species:

Yes, on the development site

Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

No

b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features:

Yes, on the development site

Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

No

c) Features of geological conservation importance:

Yes, on the development site

Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

No

Supporting Information Requirements

Where a development proposal is likely to affect features of biodiversity or geological conservation interest, you will need to submit, with the application, sufficient information and assessments to allow the local planning authority to determine the proposal.

Failure to submit all information required will result in your application being deemed invalid. It will not be considered valid until all information required by the Local Planning Authority has been submitted.

Your Local Planning Authority will be able to advise on the content of any assessments that may be required.

14. Trees and Hedges

Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site?	Yes	No
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And/or: Are there trees or hedges on land adjacent to the proposed development site that could influence the development or might be important as part of the local landscape character?	Yes	No
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If Yes to either or both of the above, you may need to provide a full Tree Survey, at the discretion of your local planning authority. If a Tree Survey is required, this and the accompanying plan should be submitted alongside your application. Your local planning authority should make clear on its website what the survey should contain, in accordance with the current 'BS5837: Trees in relation to design, demolition and construction – Recommendations'.

15. Trade Effluent

Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or waste?	Yes	No
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If Yes, please describe the nature, volume and means of disposal of trade effluents or waste:

16. Residential Units (Including Conversion)

Does your proposal include the gain, loss or change of use of residential units?	Yes	No
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If you answered "Yes" to the question above, please specify the existing and proposed number of market and affordable dwellings on the attached plans.

17. All Types of Development: Non-residential Floorspace

Does your proposal involve the loss, gain or change of use of non-residential floorspace?

Yes

No

If you have answered Yes to the question above please add details in the following table:

Use class/type of use		Not applicable	Existing gross internal floorspace (square metres)	Gross internal floorspace to be lost by change of use or demolition (square metres)	Total gross internal floorspace proposed (including change of use) (square metres)	Net additional gross internal floorspace following development (square metres)
A1	Shops					
A2	Financial and professional services					
A3	Food and drink					
B1	Business					
B2	General industrial					
B8	Storage or distribution					
C1	Hotels					
C2	Residential institutions					
C2A	Secure residential					
D1	Non-residential institutions					
D2	Assembly and leisure					
Other – Please specify:						
Total						

In addition, for hotels, residential institutions and hostels, please additionally indicate the loss or gain of rooms:

Use class/type of use		Not applicable	Existing rooms to be lost by change of use or demolition	Total rooms proposed (including changes of use)	Net additional rooms
C1	Hotels				
C2	Residential Institutions				
C6	Short-term lets				
Other – Please specify:					

18. Employment

Please complete the following information regarding employees:

	Full-time	Part-time	Total full-time equivalent
Existing employees			
Proposed employees			

19. Hours of Opening

If known, please state the hours of opening (e.g. 15:30) for each non-residential use proposed:

Use	Mondy to Friday	Saturday	Sunday and Bank Holidays	Not known

20. Site Area

Please state the site area in hectares (ha)

Does your proposal involve the construction of a new building which would result in the loss or gain of public open space? Yes ☐ No ☐

If Yes, please complete the following information regarding public open space:

Area of Land (ha):

Open Space Lost

Open Space Gained

21. Assessment of Flood Risk

Is the site within an area at risk of flooding? Yes ☐ No ☐
(Refer to the Natural Resources for Wales Flood Maps website www.naturalresourceswales.gov.uk/flooding/flood-map-for-planning-development-advice-map/?lang=en)

If Yes, and you are proposing a new building or change of use, please add details of the proposal in the following table:

Floodplain Area	Residential (Number of units)	Non-residential (Area of land – hectares)
Floodplain C1		
Floodplain C2		

If the proposed development is within an area at risk of flooding you will need to consider whether it is appropriate to submit a flood consequences assessment. (Refer to Section 6 and 7 and Appendix 1 of TAN 15 www.gov.wales/technical-advice-note-tan-15-development-and-flood-risk-2004)

Is your proposal within 20 metres of a watercourse (e.g. river, stream or beck)? Yes ☐ No ☐

Will the proposal increase the flood risk elsewhere? Yes ☐ No ☐

From 7 January 2019, all new developments of more than 1 dwelling house or where the construction area is 100 square metres or more, require Sustainable Drainage Systems (SuDS) for surface water designed and built in accordance with the Welsh Ministers' Statutory SuDS Standards. SuDS Schemes must be approved by your local authority acting in its SuDS Approving Body (SAB) role. Please contact your local authority for details of how to apply.

How will surface water be disposed of?

Sustainable drainage system

Soakaway

Main sewer

Existing watercourse

Pond/lake

22. Existing Use

Please describe the current use of the site:

Is the site currently vacant? Yes No

If Yes, please describe the last use of the site:

When did this use end (if known)? (DD/MM/YYYY)
(Date where known may be approximate)

Does the proposal involve any of the following:

Land which is known or suspected to be contaminated for all or part of the site? Yes No

A proposed use that would be particularly vulnerable to the presence of contamination? Yes No

If you have answered Yes to any of the above, you will need to submit an appropriate contamination assessment.

Does your proposal involve the construction of a new building? Yes No

If Yes, please complete the following information regarding the element of the site area which is in previously developed land or greenfield land:

	Previously Developed Land	Greenfield Land
Area of land (ha) proposed for new development		

23. Renewable and Low Carbon Energy

Does your proposal involve the installation of a stand-alone renewable or low-carbon energy development?

Yes

No

If you have answered Yes to the question above please state the proposed energy output capacity in MegaWatts (MW):

Renewable Energy Type	Energy Capacity (MW)
Anaerobic digestion	
Biofuels	
Biomass	
Combined heat and power (CHP)	
District heating	
Fuel cells	
Geothermal	
Ground/water/air heat pumps	
Hydropower	
Solar	
Waste heat energy	
Wind	
Other low carbon or renewable energy (please specify below)	

24. Industrial or Commercial Processes and Machinery

Please describe the activities and processes which would be carried out on the site and the end products including plant, ventilation or air conditioning. Please include the type of machinery which may be installed on site:

Is the proposal a waste management development?

Yes

No

If the answer is Yes, please complete the following table:

	Not applicable	The total capacity of the void in cubic metres, including engineering surcharge and making no allowance for cover or restoration material (or tonnes if solid waste or litres if liquid waste)	Maximum annual operational throughput in tonnes (or litres if liquid waste)
Inert landfill			
Non-hazardous landfill			
Hazardous landfill			
Energy from waste incineration			
Other incineration			
Landfill gas generation plant			
Pyrolysis/gasification			
Metal recycling site			
Transfer stations			
Material recovery/recycling facilities (MRFs)			
Household civic amenity sites			
Open windrow composting			
In-vessel composting			
Anaerobic digestion			
Any combined mechanical, biological and/or thermal treatment (MBT)			

	Not applicable	The total capacity of the void in cubic metres, including engineering surcharge and making no allowance for cover or restoration material (or tonnes if solid waste or litres if liquid waste)	Maximum annual operational throughput in tonnes (or litres if liquid waste)
Sewage treatment works			
Other treatment			
Recycling facilities construction, demolition and excavation waste			
Storage of waste			
Other waste management			
Other developments			

Please provide the maximum annual operational throughput of the following waste streams:	
Municipal	
Construction, demolition and excavation	
Commercial and industrial	
Hazardous	

If this is a landfill application you will need to provide further information before your application can be determined. Your waste planning authority should make clear what information it requires on its website.

25. Hazardous Substances

Does the proposal involve the use or storage of any of the following materials in the quantities stated below?

Yes

No

Not applicable

If Yes, please provide the amount of each substance that is involved:

Acrylonitrile (tonnes)

Ammonia (tonnes)

Bromine (tonnes)

Chlorine (tonnes)

Ethylene oxide (tonnes)

Hydrogen cyanide (tonnes)

Liquid oxygen (tonnes)

Liquid petroleum gas (tonnes)

Phosgene (tonnes)

Sulphur dioxide (tonnes)

Flour (tonnes)

Refined white sugar (tonnes)

Other
Amount (tonnes)

Other
Amount (tonnes)

26. Ownership Certificates

One Certificate A, B, C, or D, must be completed, together with the Agricultural Holdings Certificate with this application form

Certificate of Ownership – Certificate A

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Wales) Order 2012

I certify/The applicant certifies that on the day 21 days before the date of this application nobody except myself/the applicant was the owner (*owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run*) of any part of the land or building to which the application relates.

Signed – Applicant:

Or signed – Agent:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

Certificate of Ownership – Certificate B

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Wales) Order 2012

I certify/The applicant certifies that I have/the applicant has given the requisite notice to everyone else (as listed below) who, on the day 21 days before the date of this application, was the owner (*owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run*) of any part of the land or building to which this application relates.

Name of Owner	Address	Date Notice Served

Signed – Applicant:

Or signed – Agent:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

Certificate of Ownership – Certificate C
Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Wales) Order 2012

I certify/The applicant certifies that:

- Neither Certificate A or B can be issued for this application.
- All reasonable steps have been taken to find out the names and addresses of the other owners (*owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run*) of the land or building, or of a part of it, but I have/the applicant has been unable to do so.

The steps taken were:

Name of Owner	Address	Date Notice Served

Notice of the application has been published in the following newspaper (circulating in the area where the land is situated):

On the following date (which must not be earlier than 21 days before the date of the application):

Signed – Applicant:

Or signed – Agent:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

26. Ownership Certificates (continued)

Certificate of Ownership – Certificate D

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Wales) Order 2012

I certify/The applicant certifies that:

- Certificate A cannot be issued for this application.
- All reasonable steps have been taken to find out the names and addresses of everyone else who, on the day 21 days before the date of this application, was the owner (*owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run*) of any part of the land to which this application relates, but I have/the applicant has been unable to do so.

The steps taken were:

Notice of the application has been published in the following newspaper (circulating in the area where the land is situated):

On the following date (which must not be earlier than 21 days before the date of the application):

Signed – Applicant:

Or signed – Agent:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

27. Agricultural Holdings

Agricultural Holding Certificate

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Wales) Order 2012

Agricultural Land Declaration – You Must Complete Either A or B.

(A) None of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of, an agricultural holding.

Signed – Applicant:

Or signed – Agent:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

(B) I have/The applicant has given the requisite notice to every person other than myself/the applicant who, on the day 21 days before the date of this application, was a tenant of an agricultural holding on all or part of the land to which this application relates, as listed below:

Name of Tenant	Address	Date Notice Served

Signed – Applicant:

Or signed – Agent:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

28. Planning Application Requirements – Checklist

Please read the following checklist to make sure you have sent all the information in support of your proposal. Failure to submit all information required will result in your application being deemed invalid. It will not be considered valid until all information required by the Local Planning Authority has been submitted.

The original and 3 copies of a completed and dated application form.

The original and 3 copies of the plan which identifies the land to which the application relates drawn to an identified scale and showing the direction of North.

The original and 3 copies of other plans and drawings or information necessary to describe the subject of the application.

If the proposed development constitutes major development, the original and 3 copies of the pre-application consultation report.

The correct fee.

The original and 3 copies of a design and access statement, if the proposed development:

- is within a World Heritage Site, and consists of the creation of one or more dwellings, or creates floor space of 100 square metres or more; or
- constitutes “major development”.

The original and 3 copies of the completed, dated Ownership Certificate (A, B, C, or D – as applicable).

The original and 3 copies of the completed, dated Article 11 Certificate (Agricultural Holdings).

Depending on the type and scale of proposed development, your application – in order to be validated – may also need to be accompanied by the following technical documents:

- Flood Consequences Assessment
- Biodiversity and Geological Conservation Assessment
- Tree Survey
- Coal Mining Risk Assessment
- Rural Enterprise Dwelling Appraisal
- Retail Impact Assessment
- Noise Assessment
- Transport Assessment.

The Welsh Government’s Management Manual will assist you in determining whether any of these assessments are necessary.

You should also note that your Local Planning Authority may have adopted ‘Local Validation Requirements’ for some major developments. Information on any “Local Validation Requirements” will be available on the Local Planning Authority’s website.

29. Declaration

I/we hereby apply for planning permission as described in this form and the accompanying plans/drawings and additional information. I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine opinions of the persons giving them.

Signed – Applicant:

Or signed – Agent:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):
(date cannot be pre-application)

30. Applicant Contact Details

Telephone numbers:

Country code: National number: Extension number:

Country code: Mobile number (optional):

Email address (optional):

31. Agent Contact Details

Telephone numbers:

Country code: National number: Extension number:

Country code: Mobile number (optional):

Email address (optional):

32. Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath,
bridleway or other public land?

Yes

No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact? *(Please select only one)*

Agent

Applicant

Other (if different from the agent/applicant's details)

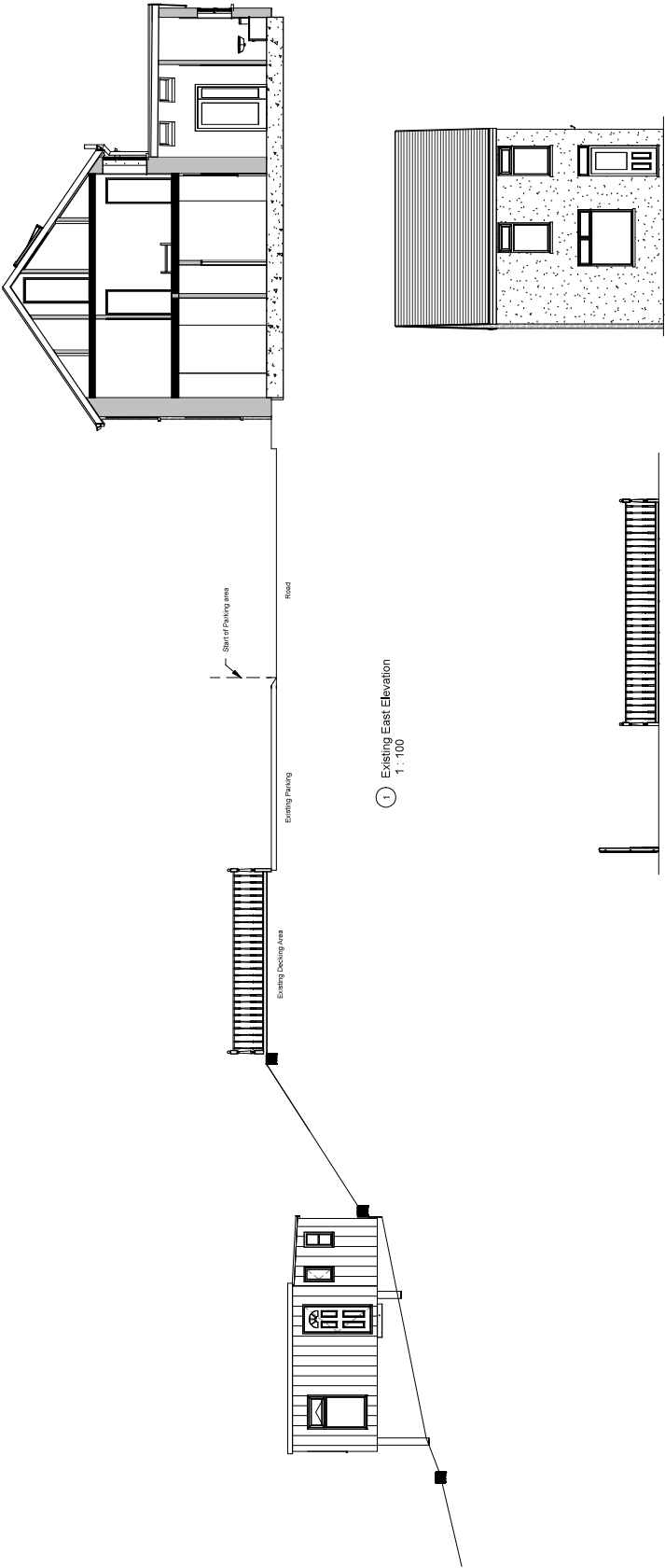
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Contact name:

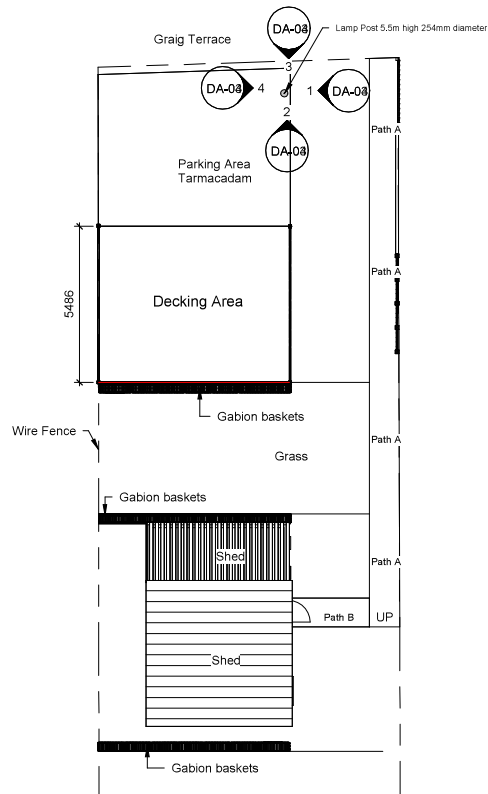
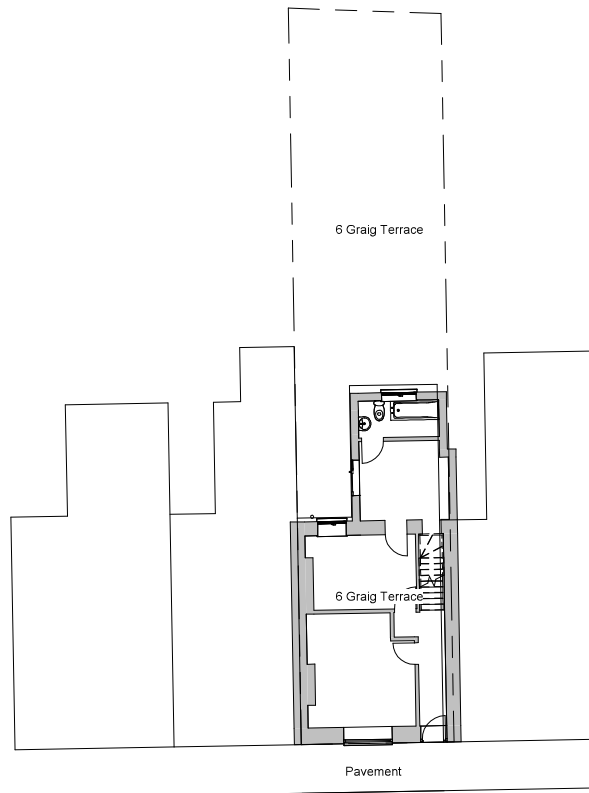
Telephone number:

Email address:

Lamp post to be 254mm diameter and 5.5m high material timber

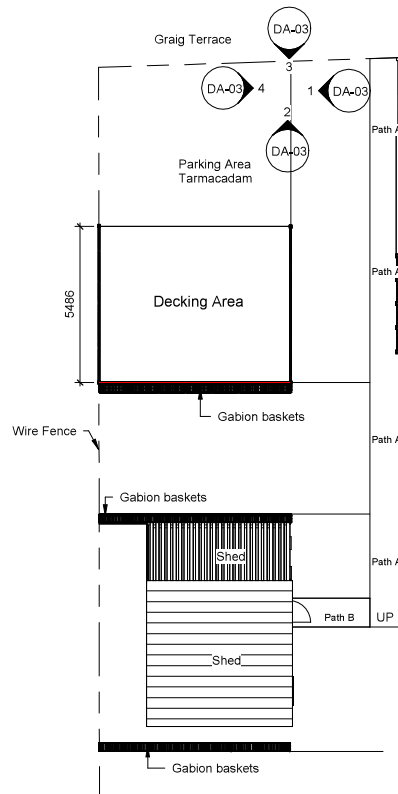
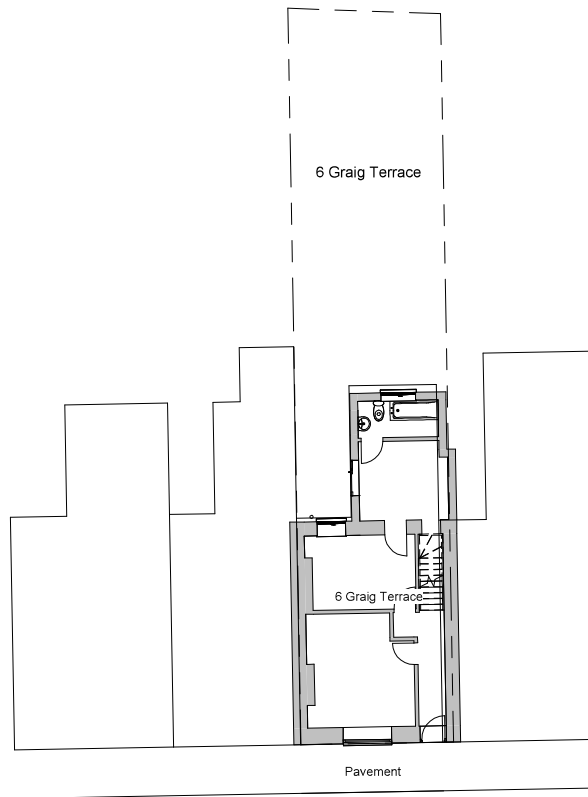


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PURPOSE OF ISSUE Planning Approval		PROJECT No Lamp post for Electric Car Charger	
SHEET		Existing Elevations	
Address Land opposite No 67 Craig Terrace, Bedford, Telham CF46 6SA		Drawn by JH	
Checked by PH		Scale @ A2 1:100	
Rev No	Description	Date	
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1 Proposed Site
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PURPOSE OF ISSUE	DRAWING NUMBER	
Planning Approval	DA-02	
PROJECT	Ne Lamp post for Electric Car Charger	
SHEET	Proposed Site Plan	
Address	Land opposite No 6-7 Graig Terrace, Beddington, Treham CF46 6SA	
Checked by JH	Drawn by PH	Scale (@ A2) 1 : 125
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① Existing Site
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Planning Approval	DA-01	
PROJECT	Ne Lamp post for Electric Car Charger	
SHEET	Existing Site Plan	
Address	Land opposite No 6-7 Graig Terrace, Bednwg, Treham CF46 6SA	
Checked by JH	Drawn by PH	Scale (@ A2) 1 : 125
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A	Issue	22/06/2025



Scale: 0m 50m

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Graig Ter
Treharris
CF46 6SA
Mid Glamorgan

National Grid Ref. SO 0934 0141

Land opposite No 6 & 7 Graig Terrace



15990-1-037

List of transactions 16/06/2025 - 06/07/2025

Transactions List:

Transaction date	Customer reference	Amount (GBP)	Additional Info
04/07/2025	NOLLY'S NIBBLES	-150.0	WARM HUB REFRESHMENTS
03/07/2025	MERTHYR TYDFIL CR	875.0	GRANT INCOME - PLAY DAY
03/07/2025	AMAZON	-18.85	PRESENTATION CHEQUE
02/07/2025	Foxes Family School Partnership	-500.0	GRANT AWARD
30/06/2025	BOVERTON NURSERIES	-6271.2	STREET PLANTERS AND BASKETS
27/06/2025	SALARIES	-683.62	SALARIES
27/06/2025	SALARIES	-313.3	SALARIES
27/06/2025	NOLLY'S NIBBLES	-150.0	WARM HUB REFRESHMENTS
27/06/2025	CLERK EXPENSES	-34.87	EXPENSES
25/06/2025	2468 ASDA STORES	-4.15	PRINTER PAPER
24/06/2025	HMRC	-297.1	TAX PAYMENT
24/06/2025	RCT PENSIONS	-229.71	PENSION PAYMENT
24/06/2025	MTCBC	-201.25	KICKABOUT AREA INSPECTION CHARGE
24/06/2025	MTCBC	-59.48	WASTE/RECYCLING CONTRACT
23/06/2025	2468 MICROSOFT#G09	-12.36	OFFICE 365 CHARGE
20/06/2025	NOLLY'S NIBBLES	-144.0	WARM HUB REFRESHMENTS

17/06/2025	ACORN TRAVEL	-475.0	WARM HUB TRANSPORT
16/06/2025	BT GROUP PLC	-36.23	BROADBAND CHARGE - COMMUNITY CENTRE

For Information

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111 To Note the Date of Next Meeting & Reports

CLlr Gillian Preston

Bedlinog and Trelewis

JUNE UPDATE



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Another busy and fulfilling month representing Bedlinog and Trelewis, with plenty of community engagement, hands-on work, and progress on local issues. The summer spirit is in full swing, and it's been heartening to see so many residents getting involved and making a difference!

14 JUNE MEETINGS & VISITS 14

- ✓ Full Council Meeting
- ✓ Bedlinog & Trelewis Community Council Meeting
- ✓ Licensing Committee
- ✓ Planning & Licensing
- ✓ PACT Meeting – Trelewis Community Centre
- ✓ Advice Surgery for a Trelewis resident
- ✓ Thursday BTCC Warm Hubs
- ✓ Governor Training
- ✓ Llwydcoed Meetings
- ✓ Rock UK SPF Funding Meeting
- ✓ Ffos y Fran Funding Meeting
- ✓ Visit to Treharris Boys & Girls Club to present a £400 cheque on behalf of Taff Bargoed

Development Trust to Treharris Community Together

✓ Presented a cheque to Bedlinog & Trelewis Neighbourhood Watch on behalf of Taff Bargoed Development Trust

✓ Litter picks at Stormtown Mountain, Captain's Hill, and Taff Bargoed Lakes with fantastic help from two young Trelewis volunteers

🎉 COMMUNITY EVENTS & HIGHLIGHTS 🎉

✨ Attended the 100-Year Anniversary of the Trelewis Cenotaph – a moving and respectful event

✨ Delighted to see the new sign at St Mary's Court, Trelewis

✨ The new playground at Trelewis Park is now open and already bringing joy to local children

✨ Great to see the uneven pavements on Commercial Street repaired

📋 REPORTED ISSUES 📋

◆ Overgrown trees at Hylton Terrace

◆ Overgrown trees and foliage near Oakland Street and Salem Chapel Square

◆ New pavement tile damaged on Commercial Street

◆ Dog mess reported again near The Railway

◆ Trees along the bridle path need cutting back

◆ Weeds in the lane behind High Street, Trelewis

◆ Trees overgrown and weighing down electric cables near Bedlinog Primary

◆ Overgrown hedges on the hill towards Bedw Road

◆ Lane behind West View Crescent reported for mess and litter

◆ Foliage overgrown on Moriah Street bridge

◆ Discarded mattress on the pavement at Station Terrace

◆ Mess in the lane behind Nant Gwyn

◆ Overgrown trees at Maes y Bedw

💬 LOOKING AHEAD TO JULY 💬

As we move into the heart of summer, I'm looking forward to more community events, continued improvements across our villages, and working together to keep Bedlinog and Trelewis vibrant and welcoming.

As always, I'm here to help, whether it's raising concerns, celebrating achievements, or offering support. Please don't hesitate to get in touch. I'm just a message, phone call, or house visit away.

Here's to another month of progress and community spirit!

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County Councillor Michelle Symonds

Independent for Bedlinog and Trelewis

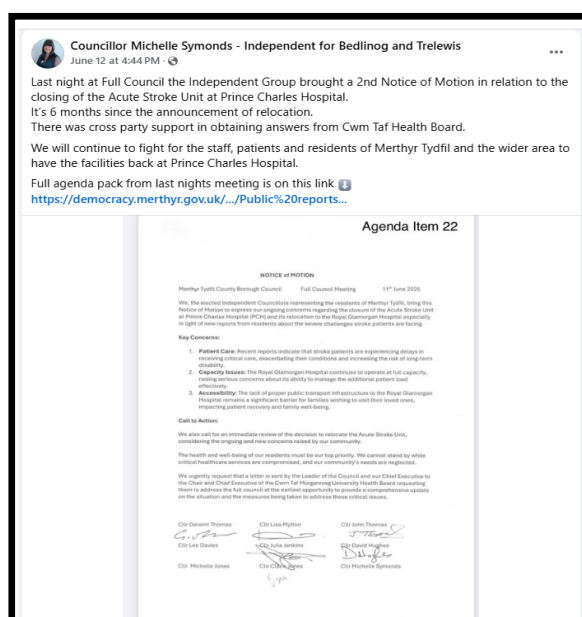
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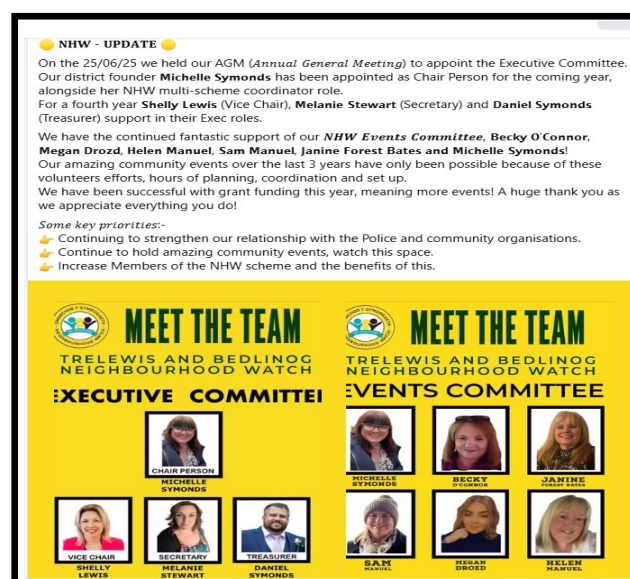
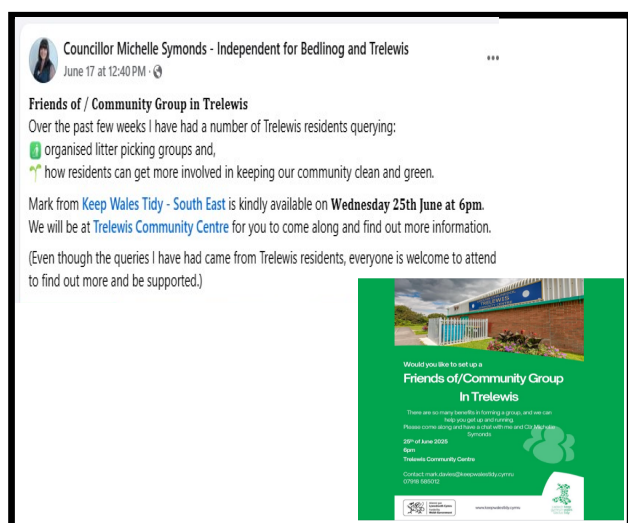
Full Council meeting: AGM

June 11th Full Council meeting. The Independent Group brought a 2nd Notice of Motion in relation to the closure of the Acute Stroke Unit at Prince Charles Hospital.

Reports consisted of: Outline Transformation Programme and Outline Annual Delivery Plan; Local Resolution Process, Forward Plans: Council, Cabinet, and Communication and Engagement; Committee Meeting Cycle for the Municipal Year 2025/2026; Appointment to Scrutiny Committees for the Municipal Year 2025-2026; Invest to Save – Building Control; Final Statement of Accounts 2023/2024; Letter of Representation 2023/24; Counter Fraud Strategy and Framework & Corporate Fraud Policies; Welsh Language Annual Monitoring Report April 2024 – March 2025.



Other meetings



Reports / Requests

6 x Brambles / Vegetation Trelewis	Rights of Way sign, Bedlinog	Trelewis Welfare AFC Pitch, Trelewis
2 x Grass Cutting Trelewis	Bin emptying, Trelewis	Metal Fencing, loose fence and glass, Taff Bargoed Park
Pavement and weed control, Caiach Tce	Parking, Bedlinog	Cop/Co op field and handrail, Bedlinog
Highways issues, Gelligaer Road	Cattle grid, Bedlinog	3 x Brambles / Vegetation, Bedlinog

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Highlights of Social Media Posts

Councillor Michelle Symonds - Independent for Bedlinog and Trelewis
June 3 at 9:56 AM · 🌐

NHW - Trelewis & Bedlinog District Summer Fun Day 2025

A huge thank you to everyone who volunteered, visited and had supported the NHW - Trelewis & Bedlinog District's Summer Fun Day.

Despite the clouds and few showers you were amazing to come out and support us like you did. It really is fantastic to have so many local clubs and organisations coming together making the day even more enjoyable and fun 🥳

Our NHW events committee did an amazing job 🙌
I am so proud of you all and I am privileged to be the Chairperson of this fantastic community group that put their hearts into everything they do xx



NHW - Trelewis & Bedlinog District
June 3 at 9:36 AM · 🌐

NHW SUMMER FUNDAY 2025

What a way to start off Volunteer Week and the 40th NHW week! A massive thank you to everyone who came out and supported us Sunday. Despite the clouds and a few showers you truly did show up! We hope you enjoyed the day as much as we love bringing this annual event to you. A huge thank you to all who brought you fun and entertainment, community information stalls, local clubs, **Merthyr Artisan Market** (plus their very kind Raffle donations) and a very special mention to our main funder **Merthyr Tydfil CBC** and the Play department, plus **Taff Bargoed Development Trust Ltd** who enabled us to have the **North Gwent Archers Hq** this year!

We will be back for bigger Halloween 🎃 and Christmas 🎄 events so see you soon! Oh, and the date is set for next years Fun Day! **Sunday May 31st 2026** 🗓️

Here are some of Sunday's highlights 📸



Councillor Michelle Symonds - Independent for Bedlinog and Trelewis
June 14 at 10:44 AM · 🌐

Last night I had the pleasure of being invited to the presentation evening of **Trelewis Welfare Afc**. Supporting the club over the past 3 years has been such a highlight for me. A huge congratulations and well done to everyone involved who have and are developing the club and players.

Thank you so much for my 'Special Recognition' award, this is beautiful. I am very proud to be supporting and advocating the club for all you do 💙💛



Councillor Michelle Symonds - Independent for Bedlinog and Trelewis
June 9 at 1:27 PM · 🌐

Thank you to **Bedlinog and Trelewis Community Council** for the kind invitation to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of Trelewis Cenotaph.

Regrettably, I was unable to attend due to a prior commitment to a wedding.

Councillor Geraint Thomas, Leader of the Merthyr Tydfil Independent Group, represented me and laid our wreath on my behalf.



Councillor Michelle Symonds - Independent for Bedlinog and Trelewis
June 18 at 8:29 PM · 🌐

Reported today:

- ⚠️ Vegetation overgrowth on the B4255
- ⚠️ Street Cleansing/weed control at Caiaich Terrace
- ⚠️ Vegetation overgrowth on at Precilla Terrace
- ⚠️ Vegetation overgrowth on the pavement at Shingrig Bridge
- ⚠️ Vegetation overgrowth at the lane by Heol Isaf and the gate

I have also asked for the following areas to be looked at:

- ⚠️ The gate leading onto Taff Bargoed Park at the Ffald Bridge is being deliberately held back. I have asked for an alternative solution for this.
- ⚠️ The condition of the pavement at Caiaich terrace
- ⚠️ The dropped kerbs on the bridge at Stormtown

Please contact me or use the MTCBC reporting link for any other issues
<https://www.merthyr.gov.uk/do-it-online/report/>

A small snippet of reports made this month

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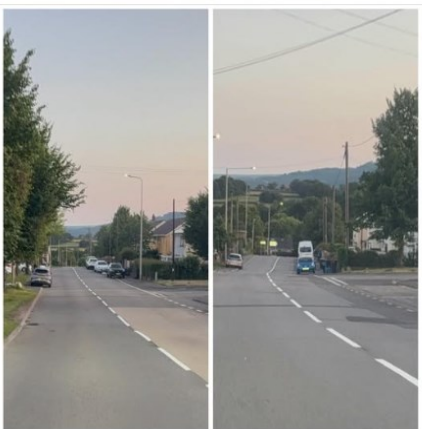
 Councillor Michelle Symonds - Independent for Bedlinog and Trelewis
June 18 at 11:11 PM · 🌐

Gelligaer Road
Really pleased to see that the road markings have now been renewed at Gelligaer Road.

I am also informed that Highways are looking at:

- installing pedestrian warning signs around this area
- the bus stop (that isn't clearly marked)
- plus
- a crossing, which is on the project list to review

In addition to the above, I have also submitted a Community Concern to GoSafe for the speed on vehicles and number of accidents that have occurred on this road.



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June 16 at 2:32 PM · 🌐

Flytipping
The below link allows you to check if a person or business is registered to carry or accept waste. You can also report an incident too.
<https://www.flytippingactionwales.org/.../its-your-duty...>

Please also check MTCBC to see if their Bulky Waste Collection is suitable for your needs.
<https://www.merthyr.gov.uk/.../bulky-waste-collection/>



If you give your waste to someone else, you must check the person or business is registered with **Natural Resources Wales**.

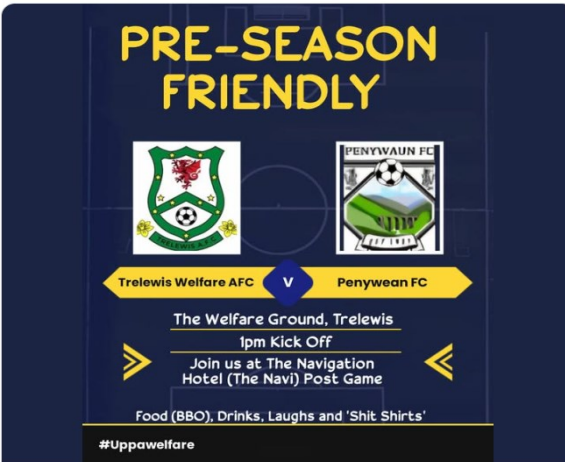
Ask the person or business to show you proof that they are registered to carry or accept waste. Better still, confirm the details yourself by visiting **Natural Resources Wales**. You should also make a note of their name (or business name), vehicle type and registration. Also record the date they took your waste away and ask them where your waste is going.

A registered waste carrier's licence number begins with CBDU and ends with 1 to 6 numbers. Legitimate and responsible waste operators will be happy to provide you with this information.

If you fail to meet your duty of care towards your household waste, you could receive a £300 fixed penalty notice (FPN) or an unlimited fine if prosecuted.

 Councillor Michelle Symonds - Independent for Bedlinog and Trelewis
June 28 at 10:08 AM · 🌐

Trelewis Welfare Afc
Pre-Season Friendly
1pm at home on the Welfare Ground
Post game BBQ at the **Navigation Treharris**



PRE-SEASON FRIENDLY

Trelewis Welfare AFC V **Penywaun FC**

The Welfare Ground, Trelewis
1pm Kick Off
Join us at The Navigation Hotel (The Navi) Post Game
Food (BBQ), Drinks, Laughs and 'Shit Shirts'
#Uppawelfare

 Councillor Michelle Symonds - Independent for Bedlinog and Trelewis
June 28 at 3:12 PM · 🌐

Brilliant team spirit at home today!
Pre-season friendly Trelewis Welfare v Penywaun 7-2!
Trelewis Welfare Afc #upperwelfare
(A video of Callum scoring in the comments)



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