



**Cyngor Tref Rhydaman
Ammanford Town Council**

Minutes of EMERGENCY MEETING held on the 22nd April 2024 at 7pm

via Online via MS Teams

Attendees – Cllr Emyr John (EJ), Cllr Heulwen Howells (HH), Cllr Anthony Jones (AJ), Cllr Julia Bell (JB), Cllr Lyn Brodrick (LB)

Non-attendance – Cllr Deian Harries, Cllr Llio Davies, Cllr Marie Griffiths, Cllr Calum Higgins, Cllr Johnny Owen, Cllr Terry Howells

1. **Apologies & reasons for absence:** Cllr Deian Harries – Medical Appt
Cllr Llio Davies – Family Commitment
2. **Declarations of Interests:** Nothing declared

To discuss & decide whether Polling Cards will be required for the Wernddu By-Election to be held on 22nd May 2024

Clerk had previously circulated estimated costs to all Councillors for the by-election on 22nd May 2024, with polling cards & postage estimated at £1829.

Clerk confirmed that Notice of Election has been posted on the Notice Board outside the Town Hall, on the council's website & on their Facebook page.

Councillors discussed what other local councils have done when a by-election has been called. Cllr John queried whether the Town Council should consider advertising the election in additional locations but councillors were concerned that they may be setting a precedent going forward. Council has complied with statutory requirements.

Proposed by AJ that the council do not have polling cards for the upcoming by-election. Seconded by LB. All present in favour.

Meeting closed at 19:26