

ISLE OF ANGLESEY COUNTY COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting hybrid meeting held on 6 March 2025

- PRESENT:** Councillor Glyn Haynes (Chair)
Councillor Non Dafydd (Vice-Chair)
- Councillors Geraint Bebb, Paul Ellis, Jeff M Evans, Neville Evans, Douglas M Fowle, Kenneth Hughes, Trefor LI Hughes MBE, Carwyn Jones, John Ifan Jones, Robert LI Jones, Aled Morris Jones, Gwilym O Jones, Dyfed Wyn Jones, Jackie Lewis, Euryrn Morris, Pip O'Neill, Derek Owen, Gary Pritchard, Dylan Rees, Alun Roberts, Dafydd Roberts, Keith Roberts, Margaret Murley Roberts, Nicola Roberts, Ken Taylor, Ieuan Williams, Robin Williams, Sonia Williams and Arfon Wyn
- IN ATTENDANCE:** Chief Executive,
Deputy Chief Executive,
Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer,
Director of Social Services,
Director of Education, Skills and Young People,
Head of Human Resources & Transformation,
Head of Housing Services,
Head of Adults' Services,
Head of Democracy,
Legal Services Manager (MY),
Policy and Welsh Language Manager (FO) (item 10 only),
Human Resources Manager (CW) (item 12 only),
Committee Officer (MEH),
Webcasting Committee Services Officer (FT).
- APOLOGIES:** Councillors Llio Angharad Owen, Dafydd Rhys Thomas, Alwen P Watkin and Liz Wood
- Director of Function (Council Business)/Monitoring Officer,
Head of Regulation & Economic Development,
Head of Highways, Property & Waste.

1. MINUTES

The minutes of the following meetings of the Isle of Anglesey County Council were confirmed as correct :-

- 3 December, 2024;
- 12 December, 2024 (Extraordinary).

2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

The Chief Officers declared a significant personal interest in Item 12– Pay Policy Statement 2025 and left the meeting during discussion and voting thereon.

3. TO RECEIVE ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE CHAIRPERSON, LEADER OF THE COUNCIL OR THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

The Chair made the following announcements:-

- Congratulations were extended to Mr Mike Doran and Mr Mark Wade who have recently received official approval from the lifeboat charity (RNLI) for their efforts in rescuing a climber who had fallen into the sea at North Stack. Both were presented with certificates at Holyhead Lifeboat Station recognising their efforts.
- Congratulations were extended to Mrs Ann Harries Jones from the Farmers Union of Wales for winning the Welsh Language Champion Gold Award at an awards ceremony in Cardiff recently. Mrs Harries Jones has provided insurance services in Welsh on the Island for over 30 years.
- Congratulations were also extended to MônActif on recently winning the 'School Swimming and Water Safety Impact' award. The award was presented by Swim Wales, the National Governing Body for Aquatics, at their annual awards in Cardiff. MônActif was recognised for its success in organising a series of 'Swim Safe' events across the Island.
- Congratulations was extended to Mr Twm Tudor from Anglesey who recently achieved success on the "Y Llais" programme.
- Congratulations were extended to Miss Gwen Edwards who came third in the Can i Gymru 2025 competition.
- Congratulations were extended to Mr Gorwel Owen of Llanfaelog on being presented with a Special Contribution Award at the Selar Welsh Music Awards this month. The award is given to artists who have made a significant contribution to Welsh music over several years.
- Congratulations were extended to Mr Will Young from Holyhead who is a member of Mencap Môn and currently on a theatre tour playing the role of Lennie in "Of Mice and Men". This is the second time he has played Lennie, following another successful theatre tour in 2017.
- Congratulations were also extended to Ms Gwenllian Howe of Brynteg. A former member of Beaumaris Youth Band and now a student at the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama, Gwenllian has been chosen to be part of the European Youth Brass Band and will playing alongside young musicians from 14 other countries when they get together in Stavanger, Norway in May.
- Best wishes were extended to Mr Kevin Williams (Kev Bach) who left Capital Radio after 27 years on radio 103 with Champion, Heart and Capital. Kevin is

one of the Island's most recognisable voices and has provided a platform for the Welsh language over the years as well as supporting several local events.

- Congratulations were extended to Côr Ieuencid Môn who won the Barnardo's Senior National Choir of the Year at Birmingham Symphony Hall recently.

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Condolences were extended to the family of Ms Marged Esli who passed away recently. She was a well-known actress and writer and raised in Gwalchmai.

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Condolences were extended to the family of the former County Councillor and Welsh Senedd Member, Mr Peter Rogers who passed away recently.

Councillors Jeff Evans and Aled Morris Jones paid tribute to the late Mr Peter Rogers for his work as a County Councillor and a Welsh Assembly Member and his contribution to the farming community.

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Condolences were extended to the family of the former County Councillor Glyn Jones who passed away recently. Mr Jones was a former Chair of the Council and a Portfolio Member of Housing whilst serving on the Council.

Councillor Aled Morris Jones paid tribute to the late Mr Glyn Jones for his work as a County Councillor and a former Chair of the Council and his work as Portfolio Member for Housing.

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Condolences were also extended to the family of the former Councillor John Rowlands who passed away recently. Mr Rowlands was also a former Chair of the Council and served the Llangoed Ward.

Councillor Carwyn Jones paid tribute to the late Mr John Rowlands for his work as a County Councillor and Chair of the Council. Councillor Rowlands also served as a County Councillor on the former Gwynedd County Council representing the Llanddon and Llangoed Wards.

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Condolences were extended to any Member of the County Council or Staff who had suffered a bereavement. Members and Officers stood as silent tribute.

4. PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

No petitions received.

5. NOTICE OF MOTION PURSUANT TO RULE 4.1.13.1 OF THE CONSTITUTION

Submitted – a Notice of Motion by Councillor Geraint Bebb:-

'In 2014, the Crown Estate designated an area of the seabed off the coast of Holy Island for tidal energy. The aim for the Morlais project is to play a part in tackling climate change while ensuring economic and social benefit for the communities of Anglesey but in order to do so an annual lease must be paid to the Crown Estate.

It is estimated that the Crown Estate owns 65% of the foreshores and riverbeds nationally and over 50,000 acres of land. The value of the Crown Estate holdings in Wales has risen from £96 million in 2020 to over £853 million in 2023.

A YouGov opinion poll held in 2023 showed that 58% of Wales' voters were in favour of taking control of the estate's assets in Wales rather than them staying in the hands of the UK Treasury.

This would make Wales equal to Scotland who have received the right since 2017. The Crown Estate is worth over £100 million a year. A sum which can make a difference.

I am therefore asking to add the name of our Authority to this campaign as it could change lives and improve all of our communities. Wales as a nation should have full control of its own assets so that the profits can benefit our communities and country as I noted in the Morlais project example.

I am asking my fellow Councillors for their support to ask the Leader of our Council to write to Welsh Government and the UK Government and make a public statement calling for devolving the Crown Estate to Wales as a matter of urgency.'

Councillor Arfon Wyn seconded the Motion.

Councillor Pip O'Neill said that there is a need to manage expectations as regards to the income that could be generated from devolving the Crown Estate to Wales as Scotland has a considerable larger foreshore. He stated that as a Labour Group on the Council they supported the motion but were disappointed that the Labour Government in Westminster had voted against calls for control over the Crown Estate to be given to ministers in Wales.

In response to a reference made by Councillor Douglas M Fowlie who said that it seems that letters sent on different topic to Welsh Government and UK Government are not responded upon the Chief Executive said that the importance of sending letters to both Governments is to raise the profile and put on record important concerns raised by this Council. As the correspondence are political issues they are sent to the Senior Ministers of both Welsh Government and UK

Government. He assured that he will pursue the matter and to make sure that a response is received to the issues raised by this Council.

Following a unanimous vote:-

The Motion was carried.

6. TREASURY MANAGEMENT MID-YEAR REVIEW 2024/2025

The report of the Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer as presented to the Executive on 18 February, 2025 was presented for the Council's acceptance.

It was unanimously RESOLVED to accept the Treasury Management Mid-year Review Report for 2024/2025.

7. CAPITAL STRATEGY -2025-2030

The report of the Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer as presented to the Executive on 27 February, 2025 was presented for the Council's acceptance.

It was unanimously RESOLVED to accept the Capital Strategy 2025-20230.

8. TREASURY MANAGEMENT STRATEGY STATEMENT 2025/2026

The report of the Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer as presented to the Executive on 27 February, 2025 was presented for the Council's acceptance.

It was unanimously RESOLVED to approve the Treasury Management Strategy Statement for 2025/2026.

9. BUDGET 2025/2026

The report of the Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer as presented to the Executive on 29 February, 2024 was presented for the Council's acceptance.

The Deputy Leader and Portfolio Member for Finance and Housing Services said that this has been a challenging budget to put forward. He noted that the final Welsh Local Government Settlement included a floor, which raised the minimum increase for local authorities to 3.8%. As Anglesey's provisional settlement was an increase of 3.6%, Anglesey's final settlement increased by £277k, to £135.881m. If the Council was to seek to make up the budget shortfall through Council Tax alone it would mean raising Council Tax by 20.6%. In addition, the final settlement noted that a further grant of £30m be afforded across Wales, which would provide help to meet the costs faced by local authorities to meet adult service social care costs. This additional £30m will provide this Council with approximately £750k in additional grant funding. It has enabled the Council to

increase the reserves to be used from £2m to £2.459m to balance the budget. He said that in light of these additional funding and taking into account the responses from the public consultation the Executive proposed to amend its initial budget proposals by not implementing the proposal to introduce service charges for industrial and business units, not implementing the proposal to reduce the number of days the Council's recycling centres are open and by allocating £217k to meet future costs of replacing IT equipment in schools. He clarified that as the Executive had already made provision for Adult Services in the initial budget proposal, the grant funding can be applied elsewhere and can be utilised to help bring down the rise in Council Tax to 8.5% (7.85% for Council services and 0.65% to meet the increase in the Fire Service levy) making Anglesey's increase the second lowest of the North Wales councils. The Band D charge will result for a charge of £1,705.95, an increase of £133.65 (£2.57 per week).

The Deputy Leader and Portfolio Member for Finance and Housing Services referred to the Capital Budget of £44.294m for 2025/2026. The capital budget position has long been challenging and although the General Capital Funding from Welsh Government for 2025/26 is £401k higher than the 2024/25 allocation this is the first significant increase that the Council has received for a number of years, however it does not make up for the erosion in the value of the funding that has taken place due to inflation and as building materials have increased over 100% over recent years.

The Deputy Leader and Portfolio Member for Finance and Housing Services further said that both UK Government and Welsh Government needs to fund local authorities appropriately and there is need in Wales to look upon the formula used to distribute resources to local authorities.

The Deputy Leader and Portfolio Member for Finance and Housing Services proposed the recommendations to the full Council as seen in (a), (b) and (c) of the reports.

Members were given an opportunity to make observations and ask questions. The Leader of the Council, Portfolio Member for Finance and Housing, relevant Portfolio Members, Chief Executive and Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer responded to questions and matters raised by the committee in the ensuing discussion as follows:-

- The continued increase in Council Tax is unsustainable as people are struggling to be able to pay their Council Tax year on year together with increases in energy prices and some people consider that the only service, they receive by the Council is emptying of their bins. A fairer process of collection Council Tax should be considered by both governments.

In response it was agreed that the Council Tax system needs to be reviewed but local authorities must comply with the current system. The budget this year has been challenging and has resulted in the use of reserves, some cuts to services and the increase in Council Tax to balance the budget. Due to the ageing population the demand for adult services is increasing which has resulted in overspending within the service. It was noted that comments have

been expressed on social media that the Authority needs to be administer similar to a business. Local Authorities must respond to the care needs of the vulnerable and is unable to refuse a person that is in dire need for support.

In addressing the comments as regards that residents only have their bins collected the Leader outlined the statutory services afforded by the Council.

- Welsh Government has continued to highlight UK Governments lack of appropriate funding which has results in less resources to distribute to local government. It was noted that this authority is a responsive Council and responding to different situation can be a risk and a weakness.

In response it was highlighted that this Council is an efficient and effective Authority whilst having the lowest Council Tax rate in North Wales. Wales Audit have praised the Council at a recent Governance and Audit Committee in the way it has performed with the revenue budget over the years and the prudent use of reserves to close the gap within the budget setting process. The Leader expressed that there is a need for a settlement from Welsh Government for multiple years rather than dependent of yearly settlements.

- Reference was made to the Council Plan 2023-2028 which highlights the strategic objectives to promote opportunities and to develop the Islands economy. The Island could benefit from the Levelling Up Funding, Freeport status, Prosperity Park, new development on the 2 Sisters site in Llangefni, potential of Wylfa Newydd and the Penrhos Holiday Park in Holyhead but the opportunities for young people to stay and work on the Island seems not to materialise and resulting in them moving away to work.

In response the Leader expressed that the Council Plan is a 5-year plan, and it is hoped that the opportunities will materialise to ensure a better future for the residents of the Island. However, development opportunities do take time to materialise, and he ensured that continued work is undertaken to move forward these projects listed above.

- The national increase in holiday lets who avoid paying Council Tax should be investigated which could generate additional funding to local authorities. It was expressed that some properties are taking advantage of business rates.

In response, the Deputy Leader and Portfolio Member for Finance and Housing Services said that work is ongoing with the employment of a person to review the holiday let provision. The Valuation Office are currently evaluating new holiday let rules in Wales that holiday letting businesses will need to be occupied for 182 days a year to qualify for business rates. The Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer said that the Valuation Officer is reviewing the properties that are currently paying business rates on their properties, and they will revert to full Council Tax premium if they do not meet the new Welsh Government rules of letting the holiday properties.

- The 100% premium on empty homes has resulted in local Welsh families struggling to meet the payments after inheriting family properties. Some

families are unable to rent or sell the properties due to renovation costs and some families also not wanting to sell their inherited family homes. It was highlighted that the income generated from the premium on second and empty homes has generated £6.3m to this Council.

In response, the Deputy Leader and Portfolio for Finance and Housing Services said that the 100% premium on empty homes is an incentive to encourage people to renovate, sell or rent their properties to be available for people to live in these properties. The level of Council Tax Premium for second homes and empty homes is maintained at 100% for 2025/2026 even though there is an option to raise the premium up to 300%. The Leader said that there are 800 people on the social housing list and there is an equivalent of 800 properties empty at present and there is a national and local crisis as regards to homeless and poverty.

- Reference was made to the energy efficiency of schools on the Island with the heating costs of Ysgol Corn Hir, Llangefni was £40k for a quarter. The Chief Executive responded that the heating costs of Ysgol Corn Hir was £42,800 for three quarters from April last year.
- Reference was made to the success of Tai Clyd to allow children and young people who are in care to be able to live and receive their education within their local communities. Questions were raised that some children in care are still having to be placed in out-of-county placement which is costly.

In response, the Portfolio Member for Children, Young People and Families said that the out-of-county placement are for children and young people who need specialist care due to experiences of trauma, learning difficulties or severe mental health issues. He referred to the success of the Tai Clyd provision on Anglesey and it is hoped that such provisions will be increased in the future. He noted that 161 children and young people are in the care of the Council at present.

Following the vote of 24 in favour, 7 against with no abstentions.

It was RESOLVED:-

- **To approve the capital budget for 2025/2026.**
- **To accept the draft Council Tax Resolution as (c) in the Agenda:-**

1. RESOLVED

- (a) Pursuant to the recommendations of the Executive, to adopt the 2025/26 Budget at Section 5 as a Budget Strategy within the meaning given by the Constitution, and to affirm that it becomes part of the budget framework with the exception of figures described as current.
- (b) Pursuant to the recommendations of the Executive, to adopt a revenue budget for 2025/26 as shown in the 2025/26 Budget Report and Appendix 1 and Appendix 2.

- (c) Pursuant to the recommendations of the Executive, to adopt a capital budget as shown in the Capital Budget Report 2025/26 report.
 - (ch) To delegate to the Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer the power to make adjustments between headings in the Final Budget Proposal 2025/26 at Appendix 2 in order to give effect to the Council's decisions. In addition, to delegate to Director of Function (Resources)/Section 151 Officer the power to transfer up to £50k per item from the general contingency. Any item in excess of £50k will require the approval of the Executive before any transfer from the general contingency is made.
 - (d) To delegate to the Executive Committee, for the financial year 2025/26, the powers to transfer budgets between headings as follows:-
 - (i) unlimited powers to spend each budget heading in Appendix 2 Final Budget Proposal 2025/26 against the name of each service, on the service to which it relates;
 - (ii) powers to approve the use of service and earmarked reserves to fund one-off spending proposals that contribute to the delivery of the Council's objectives and improve services;
 - (iii) powers to vire from new or increased sources of income.
 - (dd) To delegate to the Executive Committee, in respect of the financial year 2025/26 and on the advice of the Director of Function (Resources) – Section 151 Officer, the power to release up to £250k from general balances to deal with priorities arising during the year.
 - (e) To delegate to the Executive Committee in respect of the period to 31 March 2026, the following powers:-
 - (i) powers to make new commitments from future years' revenue budgets up to amount identified under New Priorities in the Medium Term Financial Plan;
 - (ii) the power and the duty to make plans for achievement of revenue budget savings implied by the Medium Term Financial Plan;
 - (iii) powers to transfer budgets between capital projects in the Capital Budget Report 2025/26 report and to commit resources in following years and consistent with the budget framework.
 - (f) To set and approve the prudential and treasury indicators which are estimates and limits for 2025/26 and onwards as shown in the report on the Treasury Management Strategy Statement 2025/26.
 - (ff) To approve the Treasury Management Strategy Statement for 2025/26 and the Capital Strategy 2025/26.
 - (g) To confirm that items 1(b) to (ff) become part of the budget framework.
2. **RESOLVED** to adopt and affirm for the purposes of the financial year 2025/26 the decision of the County Council on 10 March 1998 to set the discount level applicable to the prescribed Class A and prescribed Class B of dwellings under Section 12 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 (as amended), as described by the Council Tax (Prescribed Classes of Dwellings) (Wales) Regulations 1998, as follows:-
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| Prescribed Class A | Nil Discount |
| Prescribed Class B | Nil Discount |
3. **RESOLVED** to adopt and affirm for the purposes of the financial year 2025/26 the decision of the County Council on 6 March 2007 to set the discount level applicable to the prescribed Class C of dwellings under Section 12 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 (as

amended), as described by the Local Authorities (Calculation of Tax Base) and Council Tax (Prescribed Classes of Dwellings) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2004 as follows:-

Prescribed Class C Nil Discount

4. **RESOLVED** to disapply any discount(s) granted to long-term empty dwellings and dwelling occupied periodically (usually known as second homes) and to vary the full Council's decision made on 28 February 2018 and apply for the financial year 2025/26 a higher amount of Council Tax (called a Council Tax Premium) of 100% of the standard rate of Council Tax for long-term empty dwellings or for dwellings occupied periodically (usually known as second homes) to apply a higher amount of Council Tax (called a Council tax Premium) of 100% under Sections 12A and 12B of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 as inserted by Section 139 of the Housing (Wales) Act 2014.
5. That it be noted that at its meeting on 28 February 1996 the Council resolved not to treat any expenses incurred by the Council in part of its area or in meeting any levy or special levy as special expenses and that the resolutions remain in force until expressly rescinded.
6. That it is noted that a resolution of the Executive on 26 November 2024 approved the amount calculated by the Isle of Anglesey County Council for its council tax base for 2024/25 and to further note that the full Council in its meeting on the 11 December 2018 approved that the local Council Tax Reduction Scheme will continue unchanged for subsequent years unless substantially amended. It is also noted that the full Council on 28 February 2018 adopted and approved a local Council Tax Discretionary Policy under Section 13A of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, delegating to the Executive the power to revoke, re-enact and/or amend the Policy. The Executive having last amended the Policy on 03 March 2022
7. At its meeting on 26 November 2024, the Executive, in accordance with the Local Government Finance Act 1992 and the Local Authorities (Calculation of Council Tax Base)(Wales) Regulations 1995 (SI1995/2561) as amended by SI1999/2935 and the Local Authorities (Calculation of Council Tax Base) and Council Tax (Prescribed Classes of Dwellings)(Wales) Amendment) Regulations 2004 and the Local Authority (Calculation of Taxbase) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2016 resolved to approve the amounts calculated by the Isle of Anglesey County Council as its tax base and for the parts of the area, for the year 2025/26, as follows:-
 - a) **33,472.17** being the amount approved by the Executive as the Isle of Anglesey County Council's council tax base for the year.
 - b) The parts of the Council's area, being the amounts calculated by the Executive as the amounts of the Isle of Anglesey County Council's council tax base for the year for dwellings in those parts of its area to which one or more special items relate, are as follows:-

Community/Town Council Areas	Tax Base 2025/26
Amlwch	1,558.06
Beaumaris	1,162.14
Holyhead	4,100.82
Llangefni	2,136.18
Menai Bridge	1,525.77
Llanddaniel-fab	382.90
Llanddona	422.03
Cwm Cadnant	1,234.98
Llanfair Pwllgwyngyll	1,336.39
Llanfihangel Ysgeifiog	714.60
Bodorgan	486.31
Llangoed	702.13
Llangristiolus & Cerrigceinwen	652.47

Community/Town Council Areas	Tax Base 2025/26
Llanidan	427.80
Rhosyr	1,061.75
Penmynydd	250.14
Pentraeth	613.98
Moelfre	706.87
Llanbadrig	716.15
Llanddyfnan	522.47
Llaneilian	652.66
Llanerch-y-medd	544.50
Llaneugrad	210.59
Llanfair Mathafarn Eithaf	2,036.74
Cylch y Garn	436.31
Mechell	593.58
Rhos-y-bol	491.43
Aberffraw	322.08
Bodedern	452.11
Bodffordd	430.38
Trearddur	1,519.06
Tref Alaw	274.15
Llanfachraeth	237.62
Llanfaelog	1,456.45
Llanfaethlu	289.73
Llanfair-yn-Neubwll	587.89
Valley	1,085.57
Bryngwran	369.72
Rhoscolyn	396.18
Trewalchmai	371.48
Total Taxbase	33,472.17

8. That the following amounts be now calculated by the Council for the year 2025/26, in accordance with Sections 32 to 36 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992:-

- a) £261,985,133 being the aggregate of the amounts which the Council estimates for the items set out in Section 32(2)(a) to (d) of the Act.
- b) £66,797,928 being the aggregate of the amounts which the Council estimates for the items set out in Section 32(3)(a) and (c) of the Act.
- c) £195,187,205 being the amount by which the aggregate at 8(a) above exceeds the aggregate at 8(b) above, calculated by the Council, in accordance with Section 32(4) of the Act, as its budget requirement for the year.
- ch) £135,881,460 being the aggregate of the sums which the Council estimates will be payable for the year into its council fund in respect of redistributed non-domestic rates, revenue support grant and specific grant, reduced by any amount calculated in accordance with Section 33(3) of the Act.
- d) £1,771.79 being the amount at 8(c) above less the amount at 8(ch) above, all divided by the amount at 7(a) above, calculated by the Executive, in accordance with Section 33(1) of the Act, as the basic amount of its council tax for the year.
- dd) £2,203,901 being the aggregate amount of all special items referred to in Section 34(1) of the Act.

- e) £ 1,705.95 being the amount at 8(d) above less the result given by dividing the amount at 8(dd) above by the amount at 7(a) above, calculated by the Executive, in accordance with Section 34(2) of the Act, as the basic amount of its council tax for the year for dwellings in those parts of its area to which no special item relates.

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Community / Town Council areas		Band D equivalent per area including Isle of Anglesey Council and Community / Town Council elements
Amlwch	£	1,784.34
Beaumaris	£	1,738.17
Holyhead	£	1,885.68
Llangefni	£	1,868.22
Menai Bridge	£	1,801.26
Llanddaniel-fab	£	1,747.62
Llanddona	£	1,726.11
Cwm Cadnant	£	1,733.67
Llanfair Pwllgwyngyll	£	1,795.77
Llanfihangel Ysgeifiog	£	1,741.59
Bodorgan	£	1,733.13
Llangoed	£	1,744.38
Llangristiolus & Cerrig Ceinwen	£	1,718.19
Llanidan	£	1,748.07
Rhosyr	£	1,740.60
Penmynydd	£	1,745.91
Pentraeth	£	1,736.19
Moelfre	£	1,726.47
Llanbadrig	£	1,752.57
Llanddyfnan	£	1,728.90
Llaneilian	£	1,743.84
Llanerch-y-medd	£	1,749.69
Llaneugrad	£	1,724.94
Llanfair Mathafarn Eithaf	£	1,740.69
Cylch y Garn	£	1,724.31
Mechell	£	1,724.49
Rhos-y-bol	£	1,722.24
Aberffraw	£	1,743.21
Bodedern	£	1,739.16
Bodffordd	£	1,740.78
Trearddur	£	1,729.62
Tref Alaw	£	1,730.52
Llanfachraeth	£	1,764.90
Llanfaelog	£	1,736.19
Llanfaethlu	£	1,730.07
Llanfair-yn-Neubwll	£	1,741.68
Valley	£	1,762.11
Bryngwran	£	1,746.54
Rhoscolyn	£	1,726.11
Trewalchmai	£	1,746.36

being the amount given by adding to the amount at 8(e) above the amounts of the special item or items relating to dwellings in those parts of the Council's area mentioned above divided in each case by the amount at 8(b) above, calculated by the Executive in accordance with Section 34(3) of the Act, as the basic amounts of its council tax for the year for dwellings in those parts of its area to which one of more special items relate.

Valuation Bands

being the amounts given by multiplying the amounts at 8(e) and 8(f) above by the number which, in the proportion set out in Section 5(1) of the Act, is applicable to dwellings listed in a particular valuation band divided by the number which in that proportion is applicable to dwellings listed in valuation band D, calculated by the Executive, in accordance with Section 36(1) of the Act, as the amounts to be taken into account for the year in respect of categories of dwellings listed in different valuation bands.

		Council Tax per Band, per Area, which includes the Isle of Anglesey County Council and Community / Town Council elements/precepts								
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Amlwch	£	1,189.56	1,387.82	1,586.08	1,784.34	2,180.86	2,577.38	2,973.90	3,568.68	4,163.46
Beaumaris	£	1,158.78	1,351.91	1,545.04	1,738.17	2,124.43	2,510.69	2,896.95	3,476.34	4,055.73
Holyhead	£	1,257.12	1,466.64	1,676.16	1,885.68	2,304.72	2,723.76	3,142.80	3,771.36	4,399.92
Llangefni	£	1,245.48	1,453.06	1,660.64	1,868.22	2,283.38	2,698.54	3,113.70	3,736.44	4,359.18
Menai Bridge	£	1,200.84	1,400.98	1,601.12	1,801.26	2,201.54	2,601.82	3,002.10	3,602.52	4,202.94
Llanddaniel-fab	£	1,165.08	1,359.26	1,553.44	1,747.62	2,135.98	2,524.34	2,912.70	3,495.24	4,077.78
Llanddona	£	1,150.74	1,342.53	1,534.32	1,726.11	2,109.69	2,493.27	2,876.85	3,452.22	4,027.59
Cwm Cadnant	£	1,155.78	1,348.41	1,541.04	1,733.67	2,118.93	2,504.19	2,889.45	3,467.34	4,045.23
Llanfair Pwllgwyngyll	£	1,197.18	1,396.71	1,596.24	1,795.77	2,194.83	2,593.89	2,992.95	3,591.54	4,190.13
Llanfihangel Ysgeifiog	£	1,161.06	1,354.57	1,548.08	1,741.59	2,128.61	2,515.63	2,902.65	3,483.18	4,063.71
Bodorgan	£	1,155.42	1,347.99	1,540.56	1,733.13	2,118.27	2,503.41	2,888.55	3,466.26	4,043.97
Llangoed	£	1,162.92	1,356.74	1,550.56	1,744.38	2,132.02	2,519.66	2,907.30	3,488.76	4,070.22
Llangristiolus & Cerrig Ceinwen	£	1,145.46	1,336.37	1,527.28	1,718.19	2,100.01	2,481.83	2,863.65	3,436.38	4,009.11
Llanidan	£	1,165.38	1,359.61	1,553.84	1,748.07	2,136.53	2,524.99	2,913.45	3,496.14	4,078.83
Rhosyr	£	1,160.40	1,353.80	1,547.20	1,740.60	2,127.40	2,514.20	2,901.00	3,481.20	4,061.40
Penmynydd	£	1,163.94	1,357.93	1,551.92	1,745.91	2,133.89	2,521.87	2,909.85	3,491.82	4,073.79
Pentraeth	£	1,157.46	1,350.37	1,543.28	1,736.19	2,122.01	2,507.83	2,893.65	3,472.38	4,051.11
Moelfre	£	1,150.98	1,342.81	1,534.64	1,726.47	2,110.13	2,493.79	2,877.45	3,452.94	4,028.43
Llanbadrig	£	1,168.38	1,363.11	1,557.84	1,752.57	2,142.03	2,531.49	2,920.95	3,505.14	4,089.33
Llanddymfan	£	1,152.60	1,344.70	1,536.80	1,728.90	2,113.10	2,497.30	2,881.50	3,457.80	4,034.10
Llaneilian	£	1,162.56	1,356.32	1,550.08	1,743.84	2,131.36	2,518.88	2,906.40	3,487.68	4,068.96
Llanerch-y-medd	£	1,166.46	1,360.87	1,555.28	1,749.69	2,138.51	2,527.33	2,916.15	3,499.38	4,082.61
Llaneugrad	£	1,149.96	1,341.62	1,533.28	1,724.94	2,108.26	2,491.58	2,874.90	3,449.88	4,024.86
Llanfair Mathafarn Eithaf	£	1,160.46	1,353.87	1,547.28	1,740.69	2,127.51	2,514.33	2,901.15	3,481.38	4,061.61
Cylch y Garn	£	1,149.54	1,341.13	1,532.72	1,724.31	2,107.49	2,490.67	2,873.85	3,448.62	4,023.39
Mechell	£	1,149.66	1,341.27	1,532.88	1,724.49	2,107.71	2,490.93	2,874.15	3,448.98	4,023.81
Rhos-y-bol	£	1,148.16	1,339.52	1,530.88	1,722.24	2,104.96	2,487.68	2,870.40	3,444.48	4,018.56
Aberffraw	£	1,162.14	1,355.83	1,549.52	1,743.21	2,130.59	2,517.97	2,905.35	3,486.42	4,067.49
Bodedern	£	1,159.44	1,352.68	1,545.92	1,739.16	2,125.64	2,512.12	2,898.60	3,478.32	4,058.04
Bodffordd	£	1,160.52	1,353.94	1,547.36	1,740.78	2,127.62	2,514.46	2,901.30	3,481.56	4,061.82
Trearddur	£	1,153.08	1,345.26	1,537.44	1,729.62	2,113.98	2,498.34	2,882.70	3,459.24	4,035.78
Tref Alaw	£	1,153.68	1,345.96	1,538.24	1,730.52	2,115.08	2,499.64	2,884.20	3,461.04	4,037.88
Llanfachraeth	£	1,176.60	1,372.70	1,568.80	1,764.90	2,157.10	2,549.30	2,941.50	3,529.80	4,118.10
Llanfaelog	£	1,157.46	1,350.37	1,543.28	1,736.19	2,122.01	2,507.83	2,893.65	3,472.38	4,051.11
Llanfaethlu	£	1,153.38	1,345.61	1,537.84	1,730.07	2,114.53	2,498.99	2,883.45	3,460.14	4,036.83
Llanfair-yn-Neubwll	£	1,161.12	1,354.64	1,548.16	1,741.68	2,128.72	2,515.76	2,902.80	3,483.36	4,063.92
Valley	£	1,174.74	1,370.53	1,566.32	1,762.11	2,153.69	2,545.27	2,936.85	3,524.22	4,111.59
Bryngwran	£	1,164.36	1,358.42	1,552.48	1,746.54	2,134.66	2,522.78	2,910.90	3,493.08	4,075.26

Rhoscolyn	£	1,150.74	1,342.53	1,534.32	1,726.11	2,109.69	2,493.27	2,876.85	3,452.22	4,027.59
Trewalchmai	£	1,164.24	1,358.28	1,552.32	1,746.36	2,134.44	2,522.52	2,910.60	3,492.72	4,074.84

9. That it be noted that for the year 2025/26, the Police and Crime Commissioner North Wales has stated the following amounts in a precept issued to the Council, in accordance with Section 40 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, for each of the categories of dwellings shown below:-

Precepting Authority

Valuation Bands

		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Police and Crime Commissioner North Wales	£	248.10	289.45	330.80	372.15	454.85	537.55	620.25	744.30	868.35

10. That, having calculated the aggregate in each case of the amounts at 8(ff) and 9 above, the Council, in accordance with Section 30(2) of the Local Government Finance Act 1992, hereby sets the following amounts as the amounts of council tax for the year 2025/26 for each of the categories of dwellings shown below:-

		Council Tax per Band, per Area, which includes the Isle of Anglesey County Council element, Community/Town Council Precepts and North Wales Police Precept								
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Amlwch	£	1,437.66	1,677.27	1,916.88	2,156.49	2,635.71	3,114.93	3,594.15	4,312.98	5,031.81
Beaumaris	£	1,406.88	1,641.36	1,875.84	2,110.32	2,579.28	3,048.24	3,517.20	4,220.64	4,924.08
Holyhead	£	1,505.22	1,756.09	2,006.96	2,257.83	2,759.57	3,261.31	3,763.05	4,515.66	5,268.27
Llangefni	£	1,493.58	1,742.51	1,991.44	2,240.37	2,738.23	3,236.09	3,733.95	4,480.74	5,227.53
Menai Bridge	£	1,448.94	1,690.43	1,931.92	2,173.41	2,656.39	3,139.37	3,622.35	4,346.82	5,071.29
Llanddaniel-fab	£	1,413.18	1,648.71	1,884.24	2,119.77	2,590.83	3,061.89	3,532.95	4,239.54	4,946.13
Llanddona	£	1,398.84	1,631.98	1,865.12	2,098.26	2,564.54	3,030.82	3,497.10	4,196.52	4,895.94
Cwm Cadnant	£	1,403.88	1,637.86	1,871.84	2,105.82	2,573.78	3,041.74	3,509.70	4,211.64	4,913.58
Llanfair Pwllgwyngyll	£	1,445.28	1,686.16	1,927.04	2,167.92	2,649.68	3,131.44	3,613.20	4,335.84	5,058.48
Llanfihangel Ysgeifiog	£	1,409.16	1,644.02	1,878.88	2,113.74	2,583.46	3,053.18	3,522.90	4,227.48	4,932.06
Bodorgan	£	1,403.52	1,637.44	1,871.36	2,105.28	2,573.12	3,040.96	3,508.80	4,210.56	4,912.32
Llangoed	£	1,411.02	1,646.19	1,881.36	2,116.53	2,586.87	3,057.21	3,527.55	4,233.06	4,938.57
Llangristiolus & Cerrig Ceinwen	£	1,393.56	1,625.82	1,858.08	2,090.34	2,554.86	3,019.38	3,483.90	4,180.68	4,877.46
Llanidan	£	1,413.48	1,649.06	1,884.64	2,120.22	2,591.38	3,062.54	3,533.70	4,240.44	4,947.18
Rhosyr	£	1,408.50	1,643.25	1,878.00	2,112.75	2,582.25	3,051.75	3,521.25	4,225.50	4,929.75
Penmynydd	£	1,412.04	1,647.38	1,882.72	2,118.06	2,588.74	3,059.42	3,530.10	4,236.12	4,942.14
Pentraeth	£	1,405.56	1,639.82	1,874.08	2,108.34	2,576.86	3,045.38	3,513.90	4,216.68	4,919.46
Moelfre	£	1,399.08	1,632.26	1,865.44	2,098.62	2,564.98	3,031.34	3,497.70	4,197.24	4,896.78
Llanbadrig	£	1,416.48	1,652.56	1,888.64	2,124.72	2,596.88	3,069.04	3,541.20	4,249.44	4,957.68
Llanddyfnan	£	1,400.70	1,634.15	1,867.60	2,101.05	2,567.95	3,034.85	3,501.75	4,202.10	4,902.45
Llanelian	£	1,410.66	1,645.77	1,880.88	2,115.99	2,586.21	3,056.43	3,526.65	4,231.98	4,937.31
Llanerch-y-medd	£	1,414.56	1,650.32	1,886.08	2,121.84	2,593.36	3,064.88	3,536.40	4,243.68	4,950.96
Llaneugrad	£	1,398.06	1,631.07	1,864.08	2,097.09	2,563.11	3,029.13	3,495.15	4,194.18	4,893.21
Llanfair Mathafarn Eithaf	£	1,408.56	1,643.32	1,878.08	2,112.84	2,582.36	3,051.88	3,521.40	4,225.68	4,929.96
Cylch y Garn	£	1,397.64	1,630.58	1,863.52	2,096.46	2,562.34	3,028.22	3,494.10	4,192.92	4,891.74
Mechell	£	1,397.76	1,630.72	1,863.68	2,096.64	2,562.56	3,028.48	3,494.40	4,193.28	4,892.16
Rhos-y-bol	£	1,396.26	1,628.97	1,861.68	2,094.39	2,559.81	3,025.23	3,490.65	4,188.78	4,886.91

Aberffraw	£	1,410.24	1,645.28	1,880.32	2,115.36	2,585.44	3,055.52	3,525.60	4,230.72	4,935.84
Bodedern	£	1,407.54	1,642.13	1,876.72	2,111.31	2,580.49	3,049.67	3,518.85	4,222.62	4,926.39
Bodffordd	£	1,408.62	1,643.39	1,878.16	2,112.93	2,582.47	3,052.01	3,521.55	4,225.86	4,930.17
Trearddur	£	1,401.18	1,634.71	1,868.24	2,101.77	2,568.83	3,035.89	3,502.95	4,203.54	4,904.13
Tref Alaw	£	1,401.78	1,635.41	1,869.04	2,102.67	2,569.93	3,037.19	3,504.45	4,205.34	4,906.23
Llanfachraeth	£	1,424.70	1,662.15	1,899.60	2,137.05	2,611.95	3,086.85	3,561.75	4,274.10	4,986.45
Llanfaelog	£	1,405.56	1,639.82	1,874.08	2,108.34	2,576.86	3,045.38	3,513.90	4,216.68	4,919.46
Llanfaethlu	£	1,401.48	1,635.06	1,868.64	2,102.22	2,569.38	3,036.54	3,503.70	4,204.44	4,905.18
Llanfair-yn-Neubwll	£	1,409.22	1,644.09	1,878.96	2,113.83	2,583.57	3,053.31	3,523.05	4,227.66	4,932.27
Valley	£	1,422.84	1,659.98	1,897.12	2,134.26	2,608.54	3,082.82	3,557.10	4,268.52	4,979.94
Bryngwran	£	1,412.46	1,647.87	1,883.28	2,118.69	2,589.51	3,060.33	3,531.15	4,237.38	4,943.61
Rhoscolyn	£	1,398.84	1,631.98	1,865.12	2,098.26	2,564.54	3,030.82	3,497.10	4,196.52	4,895.94
Trewalchmai	£	1,412.34	1,647.73	1,883.12	2,118.51	2,589.29	3,060.07	3,530.85	4,237.02	4,943.19

10. WELSH LANGUAGE POLICY REVIEW

The report of the Director of Function (Council Business)/Monitoring Officer as presented to the Executive on 18 February, 2025 was presented for the Council's approval.

The Portfolio Member for Education and the Welsh Language said that the Council's current Welsh language policy was adopted in 2016 when statutory Welsh language standards came into force, since then, the understanding of the standards have matured, and the Authority's practices in relation to the language have developed significantly. The use of the Welsh language has been strengthened within the administration of the Council. He noted that correspondence has been received recently suggesting that the Authority's commitment to the Welsh language has been weakened. He said that this is misleading as the Welsh language is one of the 6 objectives within the Council's Plan.

Councillor Pip O'Neill wished to record his appreciation to the Council for the opportunities to learn the Welsh Language.

It was unanimously RESOLVED to approve the revised Welsh Language Policy.

11. SCRUTINY ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CORPORATE JOINT COMMITTEE

The report of the Director of Function (Council Business)/Monitoring Officer was presented for the Councils acceptance.

The Portfolio Member for Corporate and Customer Experience said that the report highlights the scrutiny arrangements for the Corporate Joint Committees. It is anticipated that the Corporate Joint Committee will be responsible for delivering the North Wales Growth Bid in April, 2025 following the transfer of the responsibilities from the North Wales Economic Ambition Board. He highlighted the administration arrangements in the creation of a Regional Committee.

It was RESOLVED:-

- **to the establishment of the North Wales Corporate Joint Committee Joint Overview and Scrutiny Committee with the Terms of Reference as set out in Appendix 1;**
- **that the powers of local scrutiny committees provided for under The Corporate Joint Committees (General) (No. 2) (Wales) Regulations 2022 shall be retained;**
- **the political balance of Isle of Anglesey County Council's nominees to the Joint Overview and Scrutiny Committee (JOSC) will reflect the membership of Isle of Anglesey County Council rather than the membership of the Constituent Councils in aggregate;**
- **that the secretariat for the JOSC will be provided by the CJC in accordance with the Terms of Reference.**

(Councillor Kenneth P Hughes abstained from voting)

12. PAY POLICY STATEMENT 2025

The report of the Head of Human Resources and Transformation was presented for the Councils acceptance.

It was RESOLVED to endorse the Council's Pay Policy Statement for 2024/2025.

**COUNCILLOR GLYN HAYNES
CHAIR**