County Councillor Report for July 2019

<u>Highway Issues</u>: There will be consultation prior to consideration of a Traffic Regulatory Order (TRO) for closure of Golf Club Lane, new crossings on main road and establishing a 20 Mph zone in R+M. The culvert repair on Llantrisant Road will begin on 22 July and may last 3 weeks. This has caused a great deal of angst due to the various messages being unclear, particularly the early one issued by Pentyrch CC; the road will be blocked near the turn to Creigiau but the road up to that point will be accessible; the TRO on HGVs on Heol Isaf will not be lifted. An earlier disruption near Westward Hoe was inadequately publicised; it was a quick decision based on an emergency but, had I been consulted or informed, we could have assisted residents by giving notice and we could have asked Redrow to provide more effective supervision.

CEMEX; I have asked CEMEX to try harder to keep Tynant Road free of mud and grit.

<u>Upper Drysgol Road</u>: I met the relevant officer to show the need for repairs to the pavement and it is now being resurfaced.

<u>Gwaelod School</u>: at present part of the ward is in the catchment for Welsh medium education at this school; pupils living to the south of the M4 are not. I have asked for a re-run of the consultation to rectify this anomaly.

<u>Bank holiday refuse collection</u>; this occurs on a Tuesday at present and it is likely that it can now be done on a Monday, as normal,

<u>Planning gain wish list</u>: with the community council, I am submitting a list of desirable additions to the ward if any S106 cash is available

<u>Radyr Library</u>: next litter pick is on 17th July; RSPB event for children is on 16th August; bridge classes start on 19 September with 12 weekly 2-hour sessions at a total cost of £72.

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