

## **NOTES OF THE PACT MEETING HELD ON THE 20TH NOVEMBER 2012.**

Present; R S Vaughan Chairman, Councillor R Mckerlich and Seven Members.

The Chairman extended his welcome and introduced Ms Carys Thomas who is a trainee journalist

The notes of the last meeting were accepted as a true record.

There were no matters arising.

Councillor Mckerlich spoke to his report which had been published on the Council Website. There were no questions pertaining to this report

The main discussions concerned the Cardiff Local Development Plan. There were three main items viz;

### **TRANSPORT;**

Road Llandaff is a very significant bottle neck to traffic.

Rail At present, there is a limited area to park at Radyr Station.

Public Transport Again. the problem will be Llandaff.

### **SCHOOLS**

Both Primary Schools are full.

The Comprehensive is full.

The entrances and exits from schools caused 'pinch points' at rush hours leading to road congestion. The same can be said at The Moment.

### **SERVICES**

The current medical and dental services are near capacity

After much discussions, it was agreed that the Chairman would write to the relevant authorities expressing concern regarding these three issues. In addition, it was noted that the land to be used for development was classified as Grade 1. It was noted that a recent announcement from The Assembly regarding energy efficiency in future dwellings may influence the type of future social housing developments.

P C H Thomas presented the latest crime statistics. The main concern was that garden sheds and garage burglaries were increasing. Various items, in particular bicycles, were being stolen. Furthermore, house safety was being compromised in the R and M areas as residents not only left these areas unlocked but also left windows to their properties unlocked. This will be conveyed to residents via the Neighbourhood Watch. The methodology whereby calls to 101 and subsequent actions were outlined. Two residents reported separate incidents which were of concern. The first was at Windsor Crescent and the other was regarding a gate in Pant Awel Lane. PC Thomas will follow up these concerns.

Mrs V Allen reported several incidents that have occurred in the Golf Club Lane. There were three of concern and one involved a pony which had been frightened. It would appear that one of the major causes was excessive speed of vehicles. The future of this lane should be considered in view of the Development Plan.

Councillor Mckerlich reported that resurfacing of various areas were under way and further areas were in the pipeline. He also referred to on going discussions regarding further safety measures on Heol Isaf. A request was made that a mini-round about be constructed at the junction of Heol Isaf and Bryn Derwen.

Mr D Cargill reported that the Neighbour Watch Scheme was back to par and

Mr D Bateman had agreed to act as Chairman

The date of the next meeting would be Tuesday 15th January at the OLD CHURCH ROOMS. The priorities would include parking, road safety and the CLD PLAN

