CYNGOR GWLEDIG LLANELLI

Adeiladau Vauxhall, Vauxhall, Llanelli, SA15 3BD Ffôn: 01554 774103

PWYLLGOR LLES A HAMDDEN

I'w cynnal yn Siambr y Cyngor a thrwy bresenoldeb o bell ar dydd Mawrth, 15 Hydref, 2024, am 4.45 y.p.

CLERC y CYNGOR

9 Hydref, 2024.

AGENDA

- Derbyn ymddiheuriadau am absenoldeb.
- 2. Derbyn Datganiadau o Fudd Personol gan Aelodau o ran y materion sydd i'w trafod.
- Cyfleusterau Cymunedol Gwaith Cynnal A Chadw nodi er gwybodaeth, adroddiad cynnydd gan y Rheolwr Cyfleusterau ar waith sydd wedi ei wneud.
- Arosfan Bws Heol Sandy, Llanelli i ystyried gohebiaeth gan y Cyng, M. Palfreman, Cyngor Sir Caerfyrddin ar gais i leoli lloches bws newydd y tu allan i Neuadd Gymunedol Sandy a'r Strade ac i gytuno ar ymateb y cyngor.
- 5. Parc Dafen:

(1) Astroturf - cais i'w gynnwys ar yr agenda gan y Cyng. A. J. Rogers.

- (2) Cynnig Cynllun Draenio Tir ystyried gohebiaeth gan Tulip Engineering Consultancy ar y draeniad daear ym mharc Dafen a chytuno ar ymateb y cyngor.
- 6. Neuadd Gymunedol Dyffryn y Swistir:

(1) <u>Maes Parcio</u> – i ystyried gohebiaeth e-bost gan breswylydd lleol ar gyfyngiadau parcio yn y maes parcio, Neuadd Gymunedol Dyffryn y Swistir a chytuno ar ymateb y cyngor.

- (2) Pwyllgor Rheoli'r Neuadd i dderbyn adroddiad llafar gan y Dirprwy Glerc ac i gytuno ar ymateb y cyngor.
- Deddf Cyrff Cyhoeddus (Mynediad i Gyfarfodydd), 1960 ystyried eithrio aelodau'r cyhoedd pan ystyrir y materion canlynol oherwydd natur gyfrinachol y busnes a drafodir.
- Neuadd Gymunedol Pum Heol ystyried adroddiad y Dirprwy Glerc ar amnewid y systemau nwy/dŵr poeth solar presennol gyda system boeler cyfuniad nwy a chytuno ar ymateb y Cyngor.
- Coed Nadolig ystyried dyfynbrisiau a dderbyniwyd ar gyfer cyflenwi coed Nadolig i wardiau'r cyngor a chytuno ar ymateb y cyngor.

Aelodau'r Pwyllgor:

Cyng. D. M. Cundy (Cadeirydd y Pwyllgor), A. J. Rogers (Is-Gadeirydd y Pwyllgor), M. V. Davies (Cadeirydd y Cyngor) T. M. Donoghue, E. M. Evans, J. P. Hart, S. N. Lewis, A. G. Morgan, J. S. Phillips, W. E. Skinner, A. G. Stephens a O. Williams.

LLANELLI RURAL COUNCIL

Vauxhall Buildings, Vauxhall, Llanelli. SA15 3BD Tel: 01554 774103

RECREATION AND WELFARE COMMITTEE

To be hosted at the Council Chamber and via remote attendance on Tuesday, 15 October, 2024, at 4.45 p.m.

CLERK to the COUNCIL

9 October, 2024.

AGENDA

- 1. To receive apologies for absence.
- 2. To receive Members' Declarations of Interest in respect of the business to be transacted.
- Community Facilities Maintenance Works to note for information, a progress report from the Facilities Manager on work undertaken.
- Bus Shelter Sandy Road, Llanelli to consider correspondence from Cllr. M. Palfreman, Carmarthenshire County Council on a request to site a new bus shelter outside Sandy & Stradey Community Hall and to agree the council's response.

5. Dafen Park:

- (1) Astroturf matter requested for inclusion on the agenda by Cllr. A. J. Rogers.
- (2) <u>Ground Drainage Scheme Proposal</u> to consider correspondence from Tulip Engineering Consultancy on the ground drainage at Dafen park and to agree the council's response.

6. Swiss Valley Community Hall:

- (1) <u>Car Park</u> to consider email correspondence from a local resident on parking restrictions at the car park, Swiss Valley Community Hall and to agree the council's response.
- (2) <u>Hall Management Committee</u> to receive a verbal report from the Deputy Clerk and to agree the council's response.
- Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act, 1960 to consider excluding members of the public during consideration of the following matters owing to the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.
- Five Roads Community Hall to consider the report of the Deputy Clerk on replacing the existing gas/solar hot water systems with a gas combination boiler system and to agree the council's response.
- Christmas Trees to consider quotations received for the supply of Christmas trees to the council's wards and to agree the council's response.

Members of the Committee:

Clirs. D. M. Cundy (Chairman of Committee), A. J. Rogers (Vice-Chairman of Committee),

M. V. Davies (Chairman of Council) T. M. Donoghue, E. M. Evans, J. P. Hart, S. N. Lewis,

A. G. Morgan, J. S. Phillips, W. E. Skinner, A. G. Stephens and O. Williams.

To the Chairman and Members of the Recreation and Welfare Committee:

Date of meeting: 15 October, 2024.

Dear Councillor,

COMMUNITY FACILITIES – MAINTENANCE WORKS

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To provide Members with an information report on work undertaken by the Council's DLO workforce during September 2024.

2. WORK ACTIVITIES

- (1) <u>Vauxhall Buildings</u>
 Litter pick external areas
 Fit Defib brackets
- (2) <u>Dafen Community Hall</u>
 Unblocked gutters
 Put up parking information sign
 Treat damp kitchen ceiling
- (3) <u>Dafen Changing rooms</u> Purge water system
- (4) <u>Dafen Park</u>
 Litter picked
 Empty bins
 Re-fit loose privacy screen MUGA
 Changed padlock MUGA
- (5) Felinfoel Community Resource Centre
 Litter pick
 Empty litter bins
 Purge water system
- (6) Felinfoel Recreation Ground
 Litter pick
 Empty bins
- (7) Five Roads Recreation Ground and Community Hall
 Litter pick
 Empty bins
 Paint play equipment
 Replenished play bark
- (8) Furnace Community Hall Litter pick

(9) Llanelli District Cemetery

Preparation, backfilling, levelling of graves and cremation plots Inspect and make safe memorials Litter picking, empty litterbins and clear spent wreaths Tend and maintain remembrance gardens Clean roads and paths

(10) MUGA Llwynhendy

Litter pick
Monitor/cleared broken glass

Transport wheelie bins

(11) Ponthenri Recreation Ground/Community Hall/ Changing Rooms

Litter pick
Purge water system
Repaired sink

(12) Pwll Pavilion and Recreation Ground

Empty litter bins and litter pick
Paint play equipment
Service/repair play equipment
Repaired disabled toilet door

(13) Sandy and Stradey Community Hall

Litter pick Replaced damaged facia Fitted key safe box

(14) Saron Community Hall and Square

Litter pick Damp repairs Replace drain cover

(15) Swiss Valley Community Hall and Shops

Litter pick Fitted key safe box

(16) Swiss Valley Reservoir

Empty bins, litter pick
Cleared litter around site, footpaths, shore areas and pontoon
Continued patrols to check fishing licenses
Prune vegetation
Clean toilets
Swept footpaths
Cleaned gutters
Fitted new life ring

(17) Tir Einon play area and recreation ground

Litter pick
Empty bins
Repaired fence

(18) Trallwm Community Hall and park Empty bins, litter pick Purge water system Repair door Repair fire emergency button Reset intruder alarm Unblocked gutters

- (19) Berwick play area
 Litter pick
 Empty bins
- (20) <u>Dan y Banc play area</u> Litter pick Empty bins
- (21) <u>Pontyates Park</u> Litter pick Empty bins
- (22) <u>Cynheidre Park</u> Litter pick

Bynea Ward

(23) Footpaths

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| Number | Description |
| 36/110 | Pant Bryn Isaf |
| 36/111 | Cae Bryn |
| 36/123 | Saron Road |
| 36/124 | off Saron Road |
| 36/125 | Station Road |
| 36/126 | Incline |
| 36/127 | Bell Inn |
| 36/128 | Sychnant Fach |
| 36/129 | Steps |
| 36/140 | INA bearings to Loughor bridge |
| Dafen Ward | |
| Number | Description |
| 36/103 | cycle path/Halfway |
| Glyn Ward | |
| Number | Description |
| 36/12 | Noddfa Chapel |
| 36/14 | Pontyates Park/New Inn |
| 36/35 | Heol Hen Five Roads |
| Hengoed Ward | |
| Number | Description |
| 36/67 | Constitution Hill |
| 36/69 | Stradey Park/Sandy bridge |
| 57/88 | School memorial/Holy Trinity |
| 72/1 | middle Constitution Hill |
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Pemberton Ward

| Number | Description |
|--------|---------------------------------|
| 36/109 | opposite White Lion |
| 36/130 | Parc Gitto/Tir Einon |
| 72/27 | Ivy Cottages to Parc y Scarlets |

(24) Porterage Services

Fill fuel storage

Consumables, materials

Vehicles to garages for repairs/tyres etc.

Litter waste and fly tipping removal to waste disposal sites

(25) Machinery and vehicles

Daily maintenance, pre use checks, adjustments and minor repairs to vehicles, tools and equipment.

Clean vehicles, wash and disinfect vehicles, trailers and equipment following litter picking and bin emptying.

Arrange servicing and maintenance

(26) General maintenance works to play areas and recreation grounds

Regular litter picking and emptying litter bins.

Sports pitch work included cutting aerating and marking.

Fine turf autumn work including green and pitch renovations. Aerating, seeding and topdressing.

(27) Maintenance works on behalf of Llanelli Town Council

Regular grounds maintenance services including grass cutting, hedge-cutting and sports surface management to:

Nightingale Court / Clos yr Ysgol / Penyfan / Penygaer / Seaside / Parc y Dre / Morfa / Havelock. Also, additional sports pitch cutting, aeration and marking to Penygaer / Seaside / Parc y Dre and fine turf works at Parc y Dre and Havelock. Additional work includes porterage services and playground repairs

3. LONG TERM IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The work programme is organised on a cyclical basis covering the summer and winter periods. In the summer period the majority of the time focusses on ground maintenance activities, whereas in the winter period the focus switches more to buildings' maintenance activities. Cemetery and Porterage activities are performed throughout the year.

The Council has put in place a preventative maintenance budget based on an annual list of priorities and to cater for day to day contingencies. By adopting a preventative approach this supports sustainable development principles. The cyclical annual maintenance programme ensures community assets are kept in good order, extending the life cycle of the assets over many years.

4. SUSTAINABILITY AND WELL-BEING CONSIDERATIONS

4.1 The Council's capital and revenue investment in the community facilities meets the following aims, core values and well-being goals.

| Strategic Aim | Core Value | National Well-Being Goal | | | | | | | |
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| Community Development | CD7, CD8 | | | ✓ | ✓ | √ | | ✓ | |
| Serving the Public | STP1, STP3, STP4, | ✓ | 1 | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | STP5, STP6 | | | | | | | | |

| Acting as a Local Voice | LV1, LV2 | | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
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| Quality of Life | | | | | | | | |
| (1) Environment | QL1 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ |
| (2) Social Inclusion | | | | | | | | |
| (3) Safe and Healthy | QL5 | | | 1 | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| Places | | | | | | | | |
| Sports, Leisure and | | | | ✓. | ✓ | | ✓ | |
| Cultural - | SLC1 | | | | | | | |
| Activities | | | | | | | | |
| The Local Economy | | | | | | | | |
| Local Democracy | | | | | | | | |
| Partnership Working | PW2, PW6 | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ |
| Communication | | | | | | | | |
| Health and Safety | HS1, HS4, HS5 | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ |
| Resources | R2, R3 | ✓ | ✓ | | | | | ✓ |
| Management and Control | MC2, MC4, MC5, MC6 | ✓ | √ | | ✓ | | ✓ | ✓ |

5. PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

5.1 There are no public involvement opportunities identified in preparing this report. However, the Council will examine public involvement in this area of activity as part of plans to promote volunteering initiatives and opportunities in the wider community.

6. COLLABORATION OPPORTUNITIES

6.1 The council works in collaboration with Carmarthenshire County Council on certain tasks such as footpath maintenance. The council works in collaboration with Llanelli Town Council by providing grounds maintenance services and support.

7. PREVENTATIVE MEASURES/CONSIDERATIONS

7.1 The work activities undertaken by the workforce are essential to support the Council's preventative maintenance programme in order to maintain community facilities and assets and to keep them in good safe working order. It is important to carry forward appropriate budget provision to support the Council's area of responsibilities and its general programme of works. This will ensure the Council is contributing to a safe and healthy environment, removing the risk of harm to members of the public when using Council/community facilities.

8. RECOMMENDATION

8.1 That Members note this information report.

Yours sincerely

FACILITIES MANAGER

9^h October, 2024



Eich Cyf | Your Ref:

Fy Nghyf | My Ref: SRBS

Dyddiad | Date: 17 September 2024

ITEM NO. 4

Members of the Recreation and Welfare Committee Llanelli Rural Council Vauxhall Buildings Vauxhall Llanelli SA15 3BD

Dear Members,

Re Potential siting of new bus shelter at Sandy Road, Llanelli

As County Councillor for the Hengoed ward, I was recently approached by an elderly constituent requesting provision of a shelter at the bus stop outside the Sandy and Stradey Community Hall on the A484 Sandy Road.

Members will be aware that the area is served by the heavily subscribed X11 bus route. The bus stop was moved from the junction of Sandy Road and Maesycoed to its current location following the construction of the Parc y Strade estate and associated installation of traffic signals at the junction.

Passengers waiting for buses currently have no shelter, which is clearly detrimental when weather conditions are poor. I am advised that the Recreation and Welfare Committee initially opposed the provision of a shelter at the new location, although the reasons for this are unclear.

There is room for a shelter outside the hall on an extended area of footway immediately to the east of the hall's boundary and on the corner of the service road leading to the car park.

Carmarthenshire County Council highways officers have advised that provision of a shelter at this location would be reliant on external funding being secured and site investigations to assess viability. This means provision is unlikely to be imminent. However, to facilitate rapid action in the event of resources being identified, Committee members are requested to reconsider their previous position and indicate their agreement in principle to the provision of a shelter at the site at some time in the future.

Hengoed Councillors Susan Phillips, Ed Skinner and Bethan Williams have indicated that they support this request.

Thank you for your kind consideration of this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Cynghorydd | Councillor

Martyn Palfreman

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Mary Payreman

Dawn Jones

Subject:

Dafen Astro

----Original Message-----From: Andrew Rogers

Sent: 06 October 2024 19:41

To: Graham Williams < Graham. Williams@llanelli-rural.gov.uk>

Cc: Sue Lewis

Cllr Rob Evans

Cllr Neil Stephens

Subject: Dafen Astro

Hi Graham following Dafen Football junior section missing out on a Monday time slot, the dafen welfare are now requesting that Dafen Football are given first choice for all time slots. The reason for this is the junior section has greatly expanded over the last year or so and we feel it is important they are able to train at their home ground.

Please could this be added to the next recreation and welfare agenda.

Kind regards

Andrew Rogers Secretary Dafen Welfare

Dawn Jones

Subject:

FW: Dafen park drainage scheme

Attachments:

A - Design Drawings.zip; B - Services Plans.zip; C - Site Investigation.zip

From: Graeme Tulip <graeme@tulipengineering.co.uk>

Sent: 07 October 2024 08:10

To: Graham Williams < Graham. Williams@llanelli-rural.gov.uk >

Subject: RE: Dafen park drainage scheme

Graham,

Please see attached Dafen Park drainage information.

There is enough info on the drawings for costing and construction purposes.

The services plans indicate several public sewers and a raw water supply main within the recreation field and as such in line with CDM responsibilities I would strongly advise that all assets are accurately traced and marked on plans and on the ground to check for any conflict with the proposed works, and also to check what if any requirements DCWW may have in relation to the proposed works. This is noted on drawing 02.

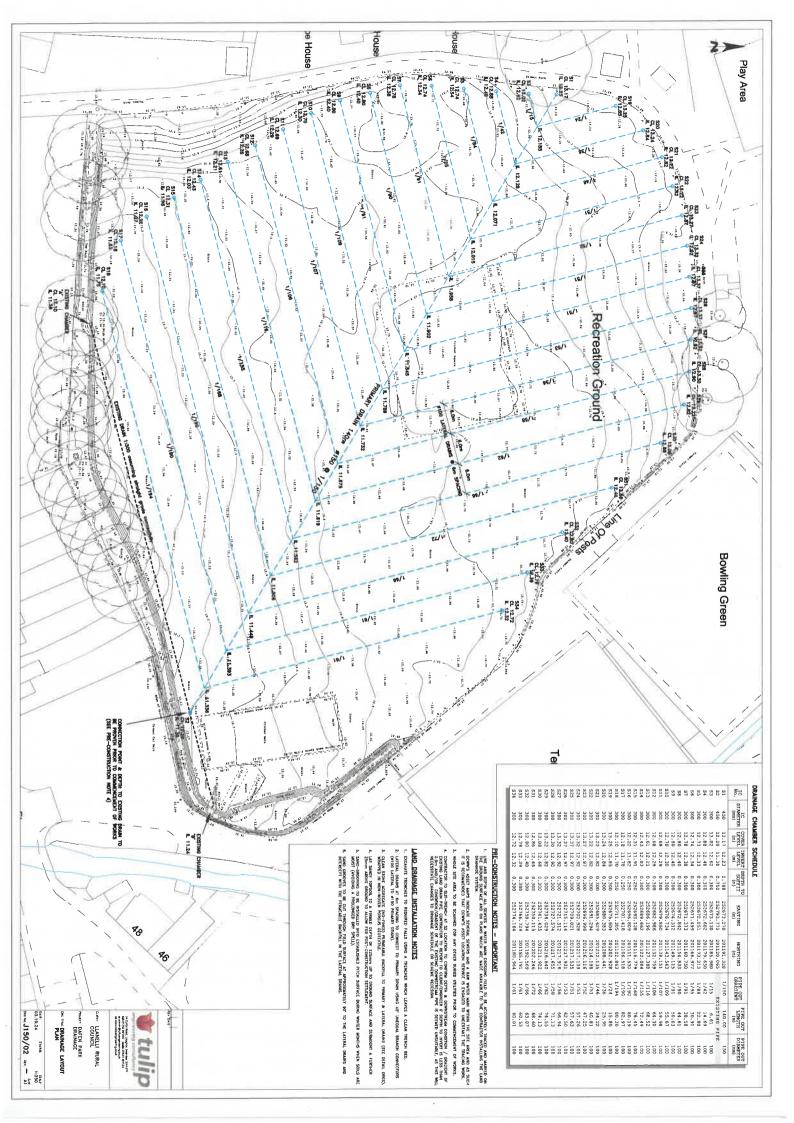
The design layout and levels of the drainage system is all based on an assumed depth of existing drain which connects to the large chamber at the south-east corner of the field. The depth of this drain needs to be proven prior to commencement of the works and any discrepancy on the assumed level reported back since this will necessitate a check of the design / levels and may mean changes required. Again this is noted on drawing 02.

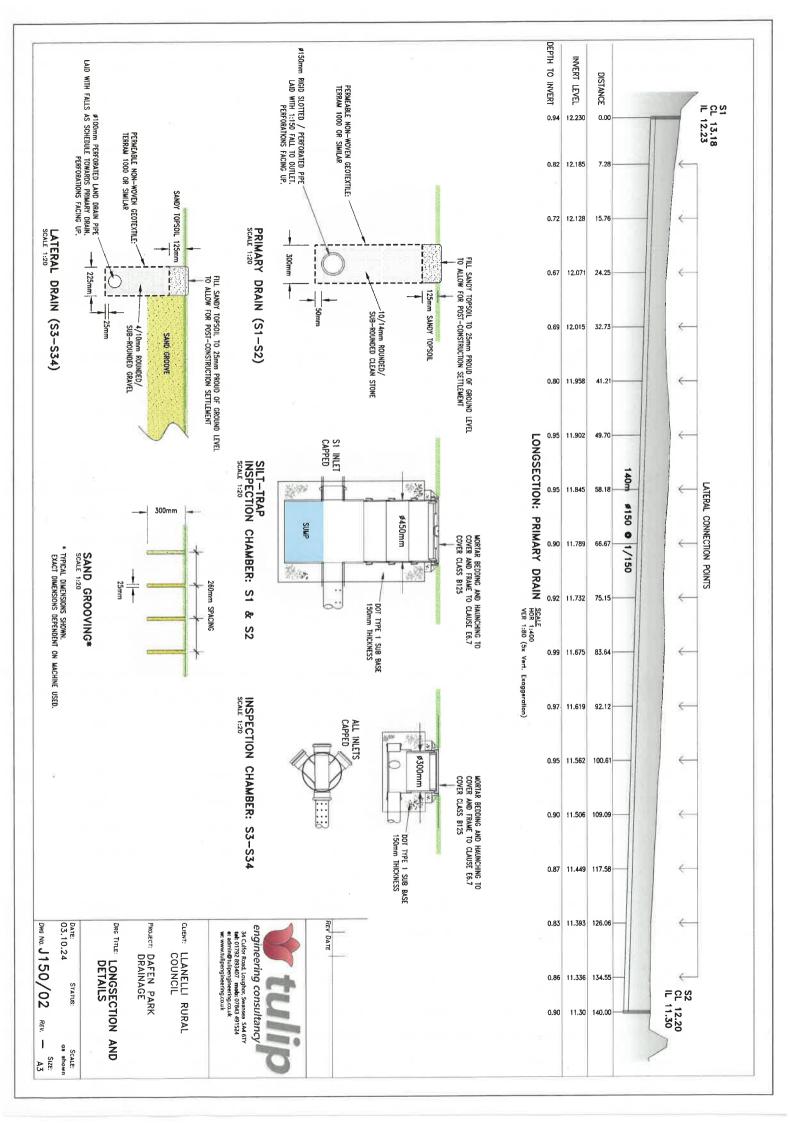
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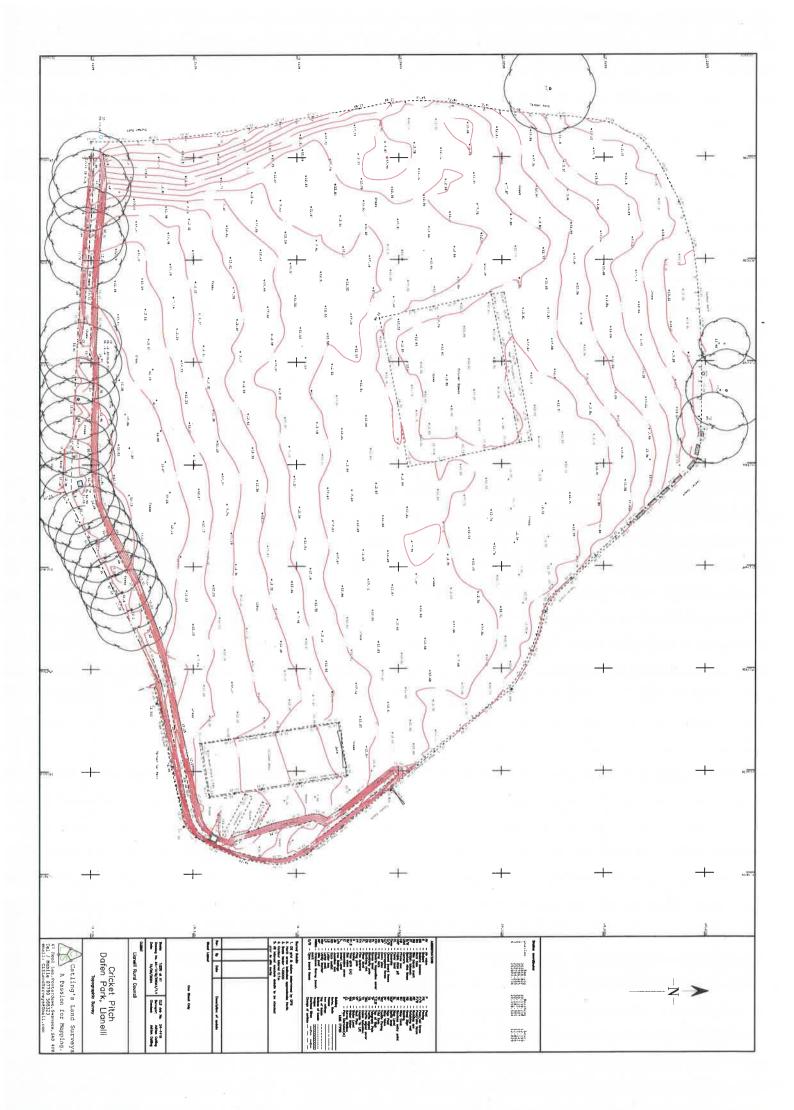
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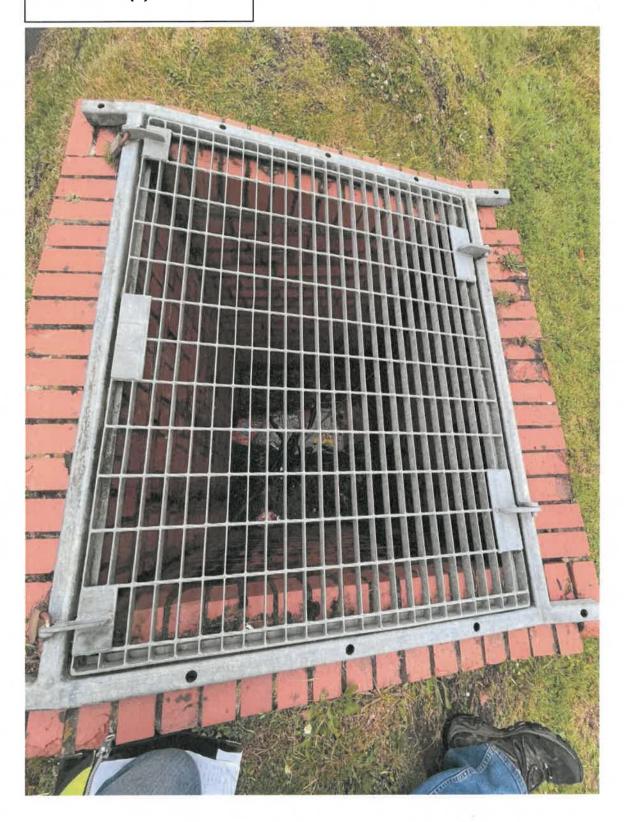




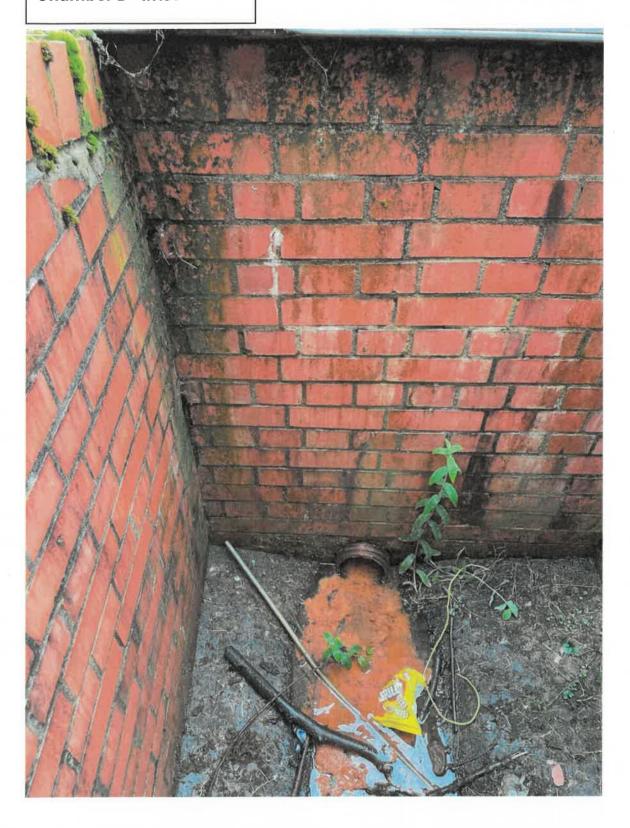
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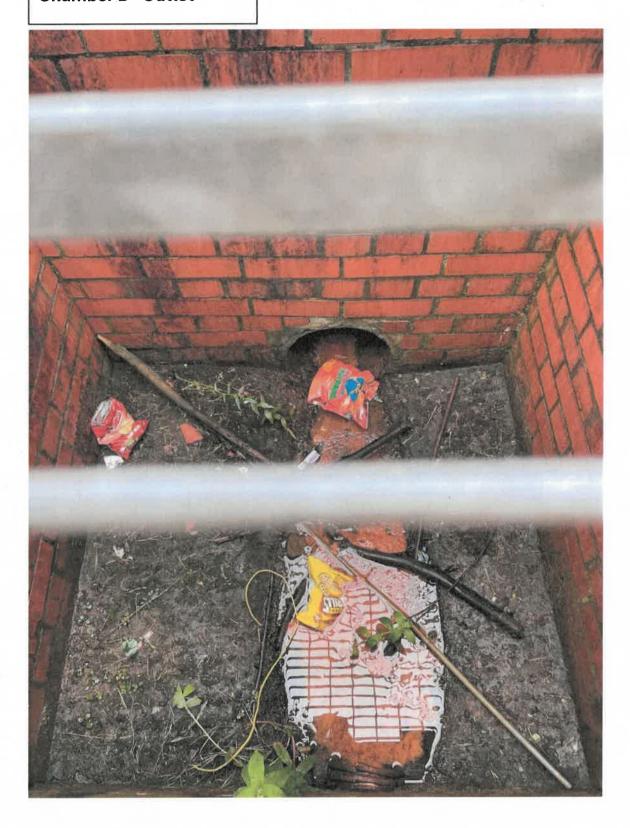
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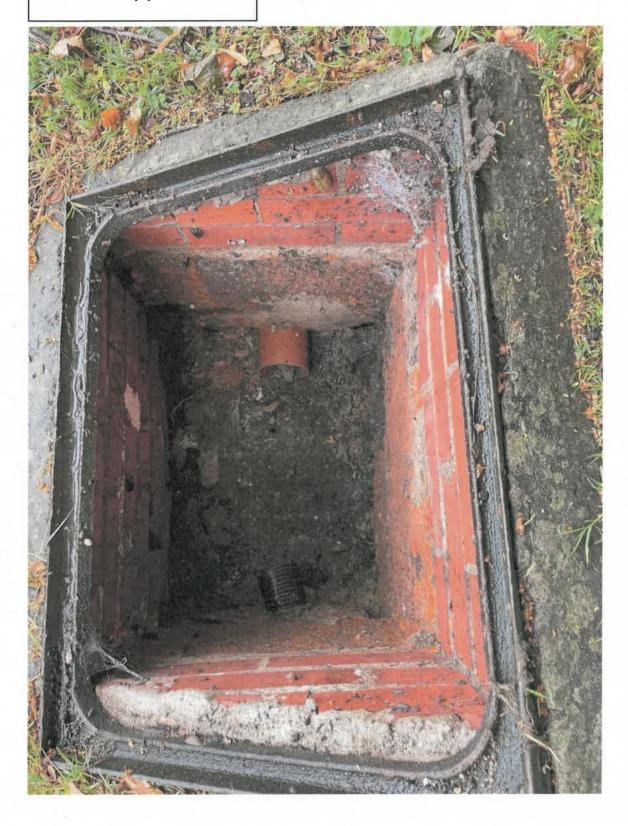
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Chamber A (1)



Chamber A (2)





| Project: | Dafen Park | Job No: | J150 |
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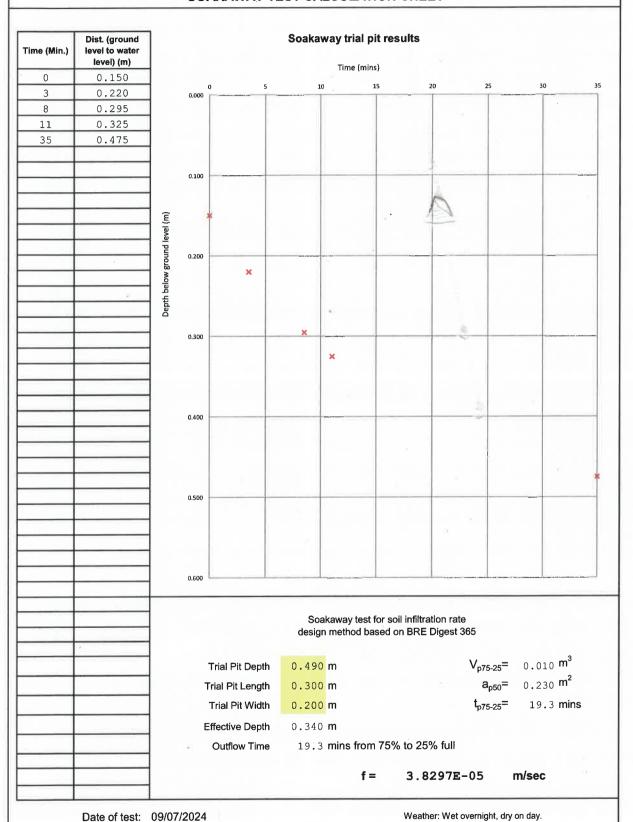
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Project: Dafen Park Job No: J150

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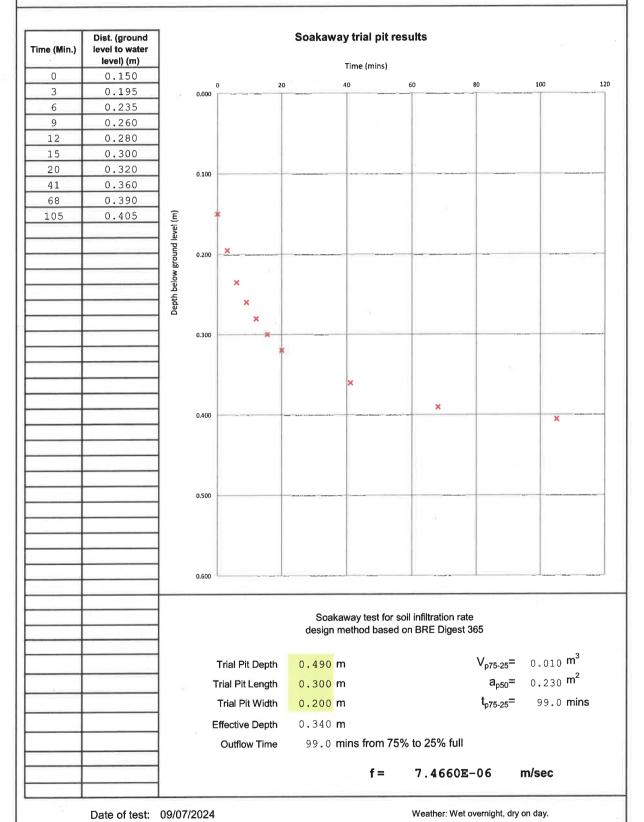


Project: Dafen Park Job No: J150

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SOAKAWAY TEST CALCULATION SHEET



LLANELLI RURAL

COMMUNITY COUNCIL

DATE

FILE REF

PASSED TO

Kathryn Howells

From:

Rebecca George

Sent:

18 September 2024 16:17

To:

enquiries; AGMorgan@carmarthenshire.gov.uk

Subject:

Swiss Valley Community Centre

Attachments:

IMG_2501.jpg

Good Afternoon,

As a long time resident of Swiss Valley, I want to address some concerns regarding the parking the community centre area and the play area.

This afternoon whilst waiting with my daughter to walk down from school, I observed users of the community centre leaving the premises engage in an argument with a parent whose children were in the play area and ravine.

I have absolutely no connection to either persons involved for transparency sake.

The Community Centre user was very abrupt in challenging a mother about parking her car in the car park. She demanded that she leave her children unattended while she moved the car and then threatened to call the police. Further words were exchanged which became heightened which brought the attention of several other Community Centre Users and parents. One parent was stopped in the centre of the road by another car. As per the picture I have attached.

I understand that recently the new 'caretakers' of the community centre have installed bollards to prevent parking by parents to use whilst their children are in the park as the car park has been deemed private parking. But, this has meant that parents have now taken to parking along the road thus obscuring access and view points for children which is a potential accident waiting to happen as well as providing difficulty for any buses to occasionally pass.

I was appalled at witnessing the behaviour of the two adults in front of a child's playground and I am almost certain that this is going to cause further problems.

I am emailing as I think this needs further attention by the rural council and for local councillors to be made aware.

Interestingly, the car park was utilised by Swiss Valley school staff last week during the visit of the Prince of Wales for which the pupils (those minors that are in the park) warranted recognition for their Urdd achievements. Funny things happen when you use the local community for recognition responsibility, respect go and bollards appear.

Yours sincerely,

Rebecca A George 10 Lon Yr Eglwys, Swiss Valley, Llanelli,

