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Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of Argoed Community Council held on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2023 in Markham Miners' Welfare.

In the absence on the Chairman, Councillor Garry Lewis opened the meeting.

- 2393 To sign the register and receive apologies  
2393.1 Community Councillors present:- Andy Bould, Garry Lewis, John Mullens, Mary Parkes, Emma Williams and Walter Williams  
2393.2 Apologies were received from Kath Naylor.
- 2394 The minutes of the AGM held on 16<sup>th</sup> May 2022 were **agreed**.
- 2395 Chairman's Report  
2395.1 Cllr Walter Williams said that he was glad that the Community Council was back to holding face to face meetings. He added that MS Teams was a good fallback. He spoke of the Queen's Jubilee celebrations and the King's Coronation with the Council presenting pens and Coronation mugs to all primary school children in the Argoed Community area.
- 2396 To elect a Chairman for the year 2023/24  
2396.1 It was **agreed** that Cllr. John Mullens would be the Chairman for the forthcoming year.
- 2397 To elect a Vice Chairman for the year 2023/24  
2397.1 It was **agreed** that Cllr. Mary Parkes would be the Vice Chairman for the forthcoming year.
- 2398 The declaration of acceptance of the office of Chairman of the Council was signed by Cllr. John Mullen and witnessed by the Clerk.
- 2399 To elect representatives to serve on the following committees:-  
2399.1 Caerphilly County Borough Council and Community Councils Joint Liaison Committee – Councillor John Mullen together with the Clerk  
2399.2 Markham Primary School – Cllr. Garry Lewis  
2399.3 Argoed Village Hall – Cllr. Garry Lewis  
2399.4 Markham Community House and Leisure Centre – Cllr. Mary Parkes  
2399.5 Access Forum – Cllr. Walter Williams

2400 To agree the Chairman's Allowance for 2023/24 in pursuance of the Local Government Act 1972 – **it was agreed** that the Chairman's Allowance be set at £400 for the forthcoming year.

Signed.....Chairman of Argoed Community Council