



Dear Councillor,

1st September 2026

You are hereby summoned to attend a **MEETING OF BLACKWOOD TOWN COUNCIL** that will be held at **6.30pm on Monday 7th September 2026 at Blackwood Town Council Offices**. The meeting will also be available on a **remote basis** using MS Teams in accordance with the provisions of The Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021.

If members of the public wish to attend remotely, please email clerk@blackwoodtown.gov.uk for Microsoft Teams meeting access details.

Yours faithfully

Mandy Betts

Clerk to the Council

AGENDA

1. To receive Apologies for Absence.
2. Declarations of Interests or dispensations on any item(s) on this agenda, if appropriate.
3. To receive, review and approve the draft unapproved minutes of the Full council meeting held on 6th July 2026 and Policy and Finance Meeting held on 13th July– **For approval**
4. Reports – **For information**
 - Police Report
 - County Borough Report
 - Mayor/Deputy Mayor's Report
 - Clerk/Deputy Clerk's Report
5. Quarterly Budget Monitoring Report to end of June – **For information**
6. Schedule of Payments – **For approval**
7. Financial Assistance Applications – **For decision**

8. Narrative for Variances in Audit Wales Return - **For information**

9. Councillor Allowances – new mileage rate – **For information**

10. Cenotaph Centenary Costs-**For decision**

11. Christmas Lights Quotations-**For decision**

12. Staffing Sub Committee-**For decision**

13. Correspondence-**For information**

14. Requests for Representation-**For decision**

Request for representation at Multi agency Meeting regarding Chartist Bridge incidents 14th September
Standards committee nomination

15. Proposal for Joint Training with Bargoed Town Council - **For decision**

16. Town Boost Proposal –**For decision**

17. Civic Awards-**For decision**

18. Planning-**For information**

19. Upcoming Dates-**For information**

21st September Policy and Finance Committee 6.30pm Town Council Offices

5th October Full Council 6.30pm Town Council Offices.