

Planning meeting Parc Mawr Farm Friday 17th July

My request to the Chief Executive and head of Planning for a delay to this meeting so that the public can attend and speak was inevitably refused. The public can watch on-line but not participate which is contrary to normal proceedings at such meetings.

The Council have confirmed this morning that none of the objectors have been contacted and made aware of this meeting and neither has the Community Council. Just 6 notices have gone up on lamp posts around the site which will have replaced those already there so will only have been seen if people were walking by.

In normal times, I would have called a public meeting and requested that as many residents as possible attended the planning meeting in the Guildhall. These are not normal times, however, but there have been no allowances made and our community is again put at a disadvantage.

I have 'called-in' the application to the Welsh Government so whatever decision is made by the Planning Committee tomorrow will be examined by the Welsh Government and either upheld or dismissed. Rebecca Evans and Suzy Davies, our Senedd members, are being kept updated and are well aware of the predicament we're in.

I will be calling for a site visit tomorrow as I doubt whether any of the Planning Committee members are familiar with the site. That will be voted on by members of the Planning Committee. I am not confident that this will be allowed.

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