

Dear Mayor and Councillors

A meeting of the Bangor City Council COVID19 Support Grant Committee was held remotely, via Zoom, on the 6th April 12pm the minutes of which are specified below:

388/19 Present

The Deputy Mayor Cllr Owen Hurcum, Cllr Les Day, Cllr Gwynant Roberts, Iwan Williams (City Director), Cllr Steve Collings (Food Share Scheme), Christine King (Coed Mawr Scheme)

389/19 Apologies

None received

390/19 Declaration of Financial Interest or Personal Connection

None

391/19 Grant Applications & Discussions with Representatives

Cllr Collings updated the Committee with his work on the Food Share Scheme. The Scheme, established in 2017, receives surplus food from supermarkets and has helped to deliver the food to those in need throughout the pandemic. Warehouse deliveries from Merseyside means that around £3,000 worth of food is distributed in Bangor. The open event on Sunday has seen demand increasing recently. Cllr Collings felt that City Council support has been invaluable, and acknowledged that the Scheme will still be needed post-pandemic. The challenge is to find ways of making the Scheme sustainable in the long-term, and this includes the City Council looking at external financial support opportunities and additional resources.

Christine King also updated the Committee with her work on the Coed Mawr Scheme. The Scheme is also working with supermarkets, with 57 bags prepared last week to help those

Annwyl Maer a Chynghorwyr

Cynhaliwyd cyfarfod o Bwyllgor Grant Cymorth COVID19 Cyngor Dinas Bangor, o bell, trwy Zoom ar 6ed Ebrill am 12yp a nodir y cofnodion isod:

388/19 Presennol

Y Dirprwy Faer Cyng Owen Hurcum, Cyng Les Day, Cyng Gwynant Roberts, Iwan Williams (Cyfarwyddwr Dinesig), Cyng Steve Collings (Cynllun Food Share), Christine King (Cynllun Coed Mawr)

389/19 Ymddiheuriadau

Heb dderbyn dim

390/19 Datgan Buddiant Ariannol neu Gysylltiad Personol

Dim

391/19 Ceisiadau Grant a Thrafodaethau gyda Chynrychiolwyr

Rhoddodd y Cyng Collings ddiweddiariad i'r Pwyllgor ar ei waith gyda'r Cynllun Food Share. Mae'r Cynllun, a sefydlwyd yn 2017, yn derbyn bwyd dros ben o'r archfarchnadoedd ac wedi helpu i ddarparu'r bwyd i'r rheini sydd mewn angen trwy gydol y pandemig. Mae nwyddau warws a ddaw o Lannau Mersi yn golygu fod bwyd gwerth tua £3,000 yn cael ei ddosbarthu ym Mangor. Mae'r digwyddiad agored ar Ddydd Sul wedi gweld mwy o alw yn ddiweddar. Teimlai'r Cyng Collings fod cefnogaeth Cyngor y Ddinas wedi bod yn amhrisiadwy, a roedd yn cydnabod bydd dal angen y Cynllun yn dilyn y pandemig. Yr her yw i ffeindio ffyrdd o wneud y Cynllun yn gynaliadwy yn yr hir-dymor, a mae hyn yn cynnwys Cyngor y Ddinas yn edrych ar gyfleoedd cefnogaeth ariannol allanol ac adnoddau ychwanegol.

Rhoddodd Christine King diweddiariad i'r Pwyllgor hefyd ar ei gwaith gyda Chynllun Coed Mawr. Mae'r Cynllun hefyd yn gweithio gydag

in need. Limitations on the warehouse deliveries from Merseyside means that they cannot accept further food surplus for now. She agreed that Council support has been crucial, that the Scheme also needs to be sustainable in the long-term, and that she is in regular communication with Cllr Collings and others e.g. Cathedral Foodbank to coordinate efforts to help those in need in Bangor.

The Deputy Mayor said that supporting these schemes is a good and proud thing for the City Council to do. Cllr Day suggested that Cllr Collings and Christine King discuss options to combine resources and contacts in order to ensure that both Schemes are on a sustainable footing. Cllr Day also suggested that the City Council explores fundraising opportunities. Although the City Council cannot support the Schemes financially indefinitely, it can provide alternative ways of helping and supporting them. The Committee joined Cllr Roberts in congratulating both individuals on their excellent and tireless work in supporting those in need in Bangor throughout the pandemic.

Cllr Steve Collings & Christine King left the meeting at 12-36pm.

i. Food Share

It was resolved to award the Food Share £500 (March 2021)

ii. Coed Mawr

It was resolved to award Coed Mawr £1,000 (March 2021)

RESOLVED: The Mayor to write to the Food Share and Coed Mawr representatives to congratulate them for their excellent work to date.

RESOLVED: City Council staff to explore fundraising opportunities and additional resources to support these Schemes long-term. Options to be discussed by the Council at a future meeting.

392/19 Any Other Business

None

393/19 Date and Time of Next Meeting

To be confirmed

archfarchnadoedd, gyda 57 o fagiau yn cael ei baratoi wythnos diwethaf i helpu rheini mewn angen. Mae cyfyngiadau ar nwyddau a ddaw o Lannau Mersi yn golygu na fedrant derbyn rhagor o fwyd dros ben am y tro. Cytunodd fod cefnogaeth y Cyngor wedi bod yn allweddol, bod angen gwneud y Cynllun yn gynaliadwy hefyd yn yr hir-dymor, ac ei bod mewn cysylltiad aml gyda'r Cyng Collings ac eraill e.e. Banc Bwyd y Gadeirlan er mwyn cydlyn ymdrechion i helpu rheini mewn angen ym Mangor.

Dywedodd y Dirprwy Faer fod cefnogi'r cynlluniau yma yn beth da a peth balch i Cyngor y Ddinas ei wneud. Awgrymodd y Cyng Day bod y Cyng Collings a Christine King yn trafod opsiynau i gyfuno adnoddau a chysylltiadau er mwyn sicrhau fod y Cynlluniau yma ar sylfaen cynaliadwy. Er na fydd Cyngor y Ddinas medru cefnogi'r Cynlluniau yma yn ariannol am byth, mae'n medru darparu ffyrdd eraill o'u helpu a chefnogi. Awgrymodd y Cyng Day hefyd fod Cyngor y Ddinas yn edrych ar gyfleoedd codi arian. Ymunodd y Pwyllgor a'r Cyng Roberts i longyfarch yr unigolion ar eu gwaith ardderchog a diflino i gefnogi'r rheini mewn angen ym Mangor trwy gydol y pandemig.

Gadawodd y Cyng Steve Collings a Christine King y cyfarfod am 12-36yp.

i. Food Share

Penderfynwyd dyfarnu £500 (Mawrth 2021) i'r Food Share

ii. Coed Mawr

Penderfynwyd dyfarnu £1,000 (Mawrth 2021) i Coed Mawr

PENDERFYNWYD: Y Maer i ysgrifennu at cynrychiolwyr Food Share a Choed Mawr i'w llongyfarch ar ei gwaith ardderchog mor belled.

PENDERFYNWYD: Staff Cyngor y Ddinas i edrych ar gyfleoedd codi arian ac adnoddau ychwanegol i gefnogi'r Cynlluniau yma yn yr hir dymor. Opsiynau i'w drafod gan y Cyngor mewn cyfarfod yn y dyfodol.

392/19 Unrhyw Fusnes Arall

Dim

393/19 Dyddiad ac Amser y Cyfarfod Nesaf

	I'w gadarnhau
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Cyfarwyddwr Dinesig – Iwan Williams – City Director