

# Bangor City Council

## Minutes of Hwb Executive Committee

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2026, Bangor City Council Offices, 17.00

### Attendees

**Councillors:** Cllrs: Delyth Russell (Chair), Jackie Spence (Deputy Chair), Gwynant Roberts, Elin Walker Jones

**Officers:** Martin Hanks, City Director, Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer  
Lisa Goodier, Deputy City Director

**Others:** -

**Apologies:** -

The meeting commenced at 17.05.

Item	Reference	Action
1.	H07/26	<b>Apologies:</b> Nothing to note.
2.	H08/26	<b>Declaration of Financial Interest or Personal Connection:</b> Cllr Delyth Russell declared she had a professional and personal interest as she works for Gisda as an iCan Connector, that has a professional presence in the hwb. She is employed full-time and is paid by Gisda. There is no financial interest to declare as the Council do not procure Gisda to deliver this service in Hwb Dinas Bangor.
3.	H09/26	<b>Public Participation:</b> Nothing to note.
4.	H10/26	<b>To approve the minutes of the last meeting:</b> <b>Resolved:</b> The minutes of the last meeting were accepted as a true and accurate record.
5.	H11/26	<b>Matters arising from the minutes of the last committee meeting:</b> Cllr Elin requested to revoke the previously-agreed action (H06/26) for LG to work from the hwb for the next three months to ensure the service was back on-track following the departure of several volunteers.  <b>Resolved:</b> LG to return to her substantive role as Deputy City Director with immediate effect and discussions in relation to financing a Hwb Coordinator/Manager to commence at the earliest opportunity.
6.	H12/26	<b>Hwb Dinas Bangor Business Plan:</b>

A Hwb Development Plan had been produced by LG to form the basis of discussions. The Plan received mixed views from the committee ranging from being an excellent document through to being ‘too aspirational’ and costly.

- Councillors stated that discussions need to take place with senior officials at Gwynedd Council and BCUHB to identify longer-term funding for hwb delivery.
- Councillors also discussed the opportunity or consequences of purely delivering ‘core’ services instead of being aspirational.

**Resolved:**

- LG to arrange meetings with senior officials at Gwynedd Council and BCUHB to ascertain opportunities for long-term funding.
- LG to liaise with the committee to produce a revised Business Plan for presentation to the Council in October, for consideration in advance of the Council budget-setting process commencing in November 2026.

7. **H13/26** **Any other business:**  
Nothing to note.

**The meeting closed at: 18.15.**

**Signed by:** .....

**Date:** .....