

TAFLEN BENDERFYNIAD AELOD CABINET CABINET MEMBER'S DECISION NOTICE

PWNC/SUBJECT: Rhaglen Cymunedau'n Gyntaf 2016-17/ 2016-17 *Communities First Programme*.

AELOD CABINET/CABINET MEMBER: Cyng Mandy Williams-Davies

PENDERFYNIAD/DECISION

Bod Cyngor Gwynedd yn parhau i weithredu fel Corff Arweiniol ar gyfer y Rhaglen Cymunedau'n Gyntaf (Llywodraeth Cymru) ar gyfer y cyfnod 1af o Ebrill 2016 – 31 o Fawrth 2017.

Bod Cyngor Gwynedd yn derbyn cynnig grant o £576,675 oddi wrth Lywodraeth Cymru ar gyfer gweithredu'r Rhaglen Cymunedau'n Gyntaf yn y sir ar gyfer yr un cyfnod.

Gwynedd Council continues to undertake the role of Lead Body for the Welsh Government's Communities First Programme for the period, 1st of April 2016 – 31st of March 2017.

Gwynedd Council will accept a grant offer of £576,675 from the Welsh Government to implement the Communities First Programme within the county for the same period.

RHESYMAU DROS Y PENDERFYNIAD/REASONS FOR THE DECISION

Mae Cyngor Gwynedd yn gweithredu fel Corff Arweiniol i Rhaglen Cymunedau'n Gyntaf ers 2012. Yn rhan o'r rol honno mae'r Cyngor wedi bod yn darparu rhaglen waith flynyddol i Lywodraeth Cymru ar gyfer gweithredu'r rhaglen yng nghymunedau Marchog, Peblig, Cadnant a Thalysarn.

Cymunedau'n Gyntaf yw prif raglen trechu tlodi Llywodraeth Cymru. Mae'r rhaglen yn rhoi prosiectau ac ymyrraethau ar waith sydd yn mynd i'r afael a lleihau tlodi a lliniaru effeithiau tlodi yn y cymunedau sy'n dioddef fwyaf o amddifadedd. Mae'r prosiectau sydd ar waith yn lleol yn amrywio o gyngor ariannol a rheoli dyled; prosiectau cefnogi teulu a rhiantu; prosiectau cefnogi addysg a dysgu; ymyraethau cefnogi pobl ifanc i waith a chlybiau gwaith; a phrosiectau amrywiol ar gyfer gwella ymgysylltiad trigolion y cymunedau hyn gyda'r rhaglenni a'r gwasanaethau sydd ar gael iddynt.

Mae Llywodraeth Cymru yn awyddus i ymestyn y rhaglen Cymunedau'n Gyntaf am flwyddyn arall sef 1af o Ebrill 2016 – 31 o Fawrth 2017. Bydd dyfodol y rhaglen wedi hynny yn ddibynnol ar ganlyniadau yr etholiadau a blaenoriaethau'r llywodraeth. Mae Llywodraeth Cymru yn cynnig grant o £576,675 i Gyngor Gwynedd ar gyfer 2016-17 i barhau gyda darparu'r rhaglen yn yr un cymunedau.

Gwynedd Council has been undertaking the role of Lead Delivery Body for the Communities First programme in Gwynedd since 2012. As part of this role the Council has been submitting an annual work programme to the Welsh Government to implement the programme within the communities of Marchog, Peblig, Cadnant and Talysarn.

Communities First is the Welsh Government's flagship poverty programme. The programme implements projects and interventions that aim to tackle poverty and mitigate the impact of poverty within the most deprived communities. Local projects funded by the programme vary from debt management and financial inclusion; supporting families and parenting skills; projects to support education and family learning; interventions to support young people into work and work clubs; and various projects to improve resident engagement within these communities with the programmes and services available to them.

The Welsh Government wish to extend the programme for another year, from 1st of April – 31st of March 2017. The programme's future beyond this will be dependant upon the elections and the preceding government's priorities. The Welsh Government has made a grant offer of £576,675 to Gwynedd Council to continue to deliver the programme for 2016-17.

YSTYRIAETHAU PERTHNASOL/ RELEVANT CONSIDERATIONS

Mae'r Rhaglen Cymunedau'n Gyntaf wedi ei adnabod fel un o'r ymyraethau sy'n rhan o Brosiect Cydymdrechu yn Erbyn Tlodi a gomisiynwyd gan y Panel Economi ac Amddifadedd drwy'r Cynllun Strategol fel blaenoriaeth ar gyfer 2016-17.

Mae'r Rhaglen Cymunedau'n Gyntaf yn rhan o ymyraethau trechu tlodi y Llywodraeth ar gyfer y cymunedau mwyaf difreintiedig yn y sir.

Mae Asesiad Risg wedi ei gwblhau ar gyfer gweithredu'r cynllun. Mae'r risgiau yn risgiau arferol i dderbyn arian grant allanol, megis cyflawni gofynion monitro, archwilio, rheolaeth ariannol, rheolaeth perfformiad, a chyflogi staff. Mae'r asesiad risg wedi adnabod mesurau lliniaru ar gyfer y risgiau hyn.

The Communities First Programme is part of the interventions identified under the Collaborate Against Poverty Project, commissioned by the Poverty and Economy Panel, via the Council's Strategic Plan for 2016-17.

The Communities First Programme forms part of the Welsh Government's tackling poverty agenda targeting the most deprived areas in Gwynedd.

A risk assessment for the programme has been produced. The risks identified are those usually associated with accepting external funding, which are around achieving targets, employing staff and meeting monitoring, auditing, reporting and financial control requirements. Mitigating actions have been identified for these risks.

BARN Y SWYDDOGION STATUDOL/VIEWS OF STATUTORY OFFICERS

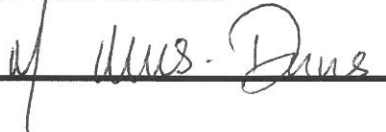
1. Y Prif Weithredwr/Chief Executive:-
"Dim i'w ychwanegu." / "Nothing to add"
2. Swyddog Monitro/ Monitoring Officer:-
"Dim sylwadau o safbwynt priodoldeb". / "Nothing to add regarding propriety."
3. Prif Swyddog Cyllid/Chief Finance Officer:-
"Deallaf fod y cynnig yma cyfwerth â grant 100%, felly rwy'n cefnogi penderfyniad yr Aelod Cabinet i'w dderbyn." / "I understand that this offer is equivalent to a 100% grant, and therefore support its acceptance by the Cabinet Member".

BARN YR AELOD LLEOL/VIEW OF LOCAL MEMBER :

Ni dderbyniwyd sylw gan yr aelodau lleol perthnasol.
No comments were received by the relevant local members.

LLOFNOD /SIGNED

DYDDIAD/DATE



11-4-16.