



## **C O U N C I L   S U M M O N S**

**To all Members of Council**

**You are hereby summoned to attend a**

**MEETING OF THE COUNCIL**

**to be held at 2.00 pm on**

**8 January 2025**

**in the**

**MULTI-LOCATION MEETING - COUNCIL CHAMBER, PORT TALBOT  
& MICROSOFT TEAMS**

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DURATION OF THE MEETING**

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**--- A G E N D A ---**

### **PART A**

1. Mayor's Announcements
2. Leader's Announcements
3. Declarations of Interest
4. Public Question Time.

*Questions must be submitted in writing to Democratic Services [democratic.services@npt.gov.uk](mailto:democratic.services@npt.gov.uk) no later than noon on the working day prior to the meeting. Questions must relate to items on the agenda. Questions will be dealt with in a 10 minute period.*

## **PART B**

5. Annual Presentation to Council from South Wales Police
6. Council Tax Reduction Scheme 25/26 (Pages 5 - 20)
7. Corporate Plan Annual Report 23/24 (Pages 21 - 110)
8. Establishment of a Modernisation Group (Pages 111 - 116)

## **PART C**

9. Notice of Motion under Section 10 of Part 4 (Rules of Procedure) the Council's Constitution

*Notice of Motion:*

*Proposed by Cllr Nathan Goldup John*

*Seconded by Cllr Laura Williams.*

*The profit made from natural resources in Wales should be no different than that of Scotland. Revenue generated from the Crown Estate in Wales was valued at over £600m at the end of 2022, this has grown since. The revenue generated by this asset directly flows into the UK Treasury.*

*This money, especially in these times of uncertainty, could be used to help create well-paid green jobs, further research and development solutions in all sectors and work to bring down domestic energy costs. Noting the opportunity we have here with the development of the Celtic Freeport, there could be benefit to the local community by devolving the Crown Estate.*

*Profits made from Wales' natural resources should be kept in Wales to boost our economy. The revenue from Scottish assets go straight to the Scottish Government and we should be no different, here in Wales.*

*This Council should support the campaign to devolve management of the Crown Estate and assets in Wales to the Welsh Government and that funds raised from this used to support the social needs of the Welsh people.*

*Accordingly it is resolved that:*

- *the Leader of Neath Port Talbot Council write to the appropriate Secretary*

*of State and the First Minister of Wales outlining our support to persuade Westminster on the terms included in this motion to devolve the Crown Estate as a matter of urgency.*

10. Questions from Members, with Notice, under Rule 9.2 of the Council's Procedure Rules
11. Urgent Items  
*Any urgent items at the discretion of the Chairperson pursuant to Section 100BA(6)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).*

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "F O'Brien". The letters are stylized and written in a cursive-like font.

**Chief Executive**

**Civic Centre  
Port Talbot**

**Thursday, 19 December 2025**