

## **County Councillors Report December 2017**

### **1. Old Cross Common Bridge.**

Emma Reed has indicated that the VoG are awaiting the availability of a specialist contractor before demolition can begin. This will be in the very near future.

### **2. Water Treatment Plant.**

The Dinas Powys County Councillors, along with those from Sully have secured a reduction in the height of the stack from 100 ft. To 68 ft. This means that it will not be visible from almost all vantage points.

### **3. Biomass Plant in Barry.**

Although there have been, and continue to be, cross party objections to this scheme NRW say they are minded to grant a licence.

### **4. Road Markings.**

We have been informed that new and replacement markings cannot be done while the Council is using road gritters.

### **5. Trees along Penny Turnpike Road.**

Over the last couple of weeks the dangerously overhanging trees along Penny Turnpike Rd. Have been felled or trimmed.

### **6. Caerleon Road Development.**

Although planning permission was granted for this development in January 2016 (despite the misleading information you may have read to the contrary in the local press) it came before the planning committee in the VoG for ratification. According to the Officers present it should not have been on the agenda at that meeting as it came under delegated powers.

### **7. Application for Funding for Dinas Powys Bypass.**

It was announced at Full Council last night that the Dinas Powys Bypass Scheme has been nominated by the Conservative Administration for funding from the City Deal Financial Scheme.