

**CYNGOR TREF RHUTHUN
RUTHIN TOWN COUNCIL**



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13 RHAGFYR 2021**

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**CRONFA DYFODOL A LEFEL I RUTHIN –
DIWEDDARIAD**

Mae Gweithgor Dyfodol Rhuthun / Cronfa Codi'r Gwastad wedi darparu dau ddogfen ddrafft i Gydlynwyr Cronfa Codi'r Gwastad of fewn y Tîm Adfywio yng Nghyngor Ddinbych - un yn ymwneud â chynigion ar gyfer Gwelliannau Mannau Cyhoeddus Canol y Dref a Sgwâr San Pedr, a'r ail ar Cae Ddol, Mannau a Choridoriau Gwyrdd.

Cyhoeddwyd y dogfennau drafft hyn at ddibenion y Tîm Codi'r Gwastad a bu iddynt eu cynnwys yn y pecyn cyffredinol o brosiectau a gyflwynwyd i Gabinet Cyngor Sir Ddinbych i gael eu cymeradwyo o fewn cynnig Cronfa Codi'r Gwastad Gorllewin Clwyd yn y Flwyddyn Newydd. Mae Cabinet Cyngor Sir Ddinbych wedi cymeradwyo'r rhestr o brosiectau ac mae cyllidebau dangosol wedi'u nodi gan y tîm. Mae swyddogion bellach yn gweithio i dynnu ynghyd wybodaeth ar gyfer y cais am yr holl brosiectau, a fydd yn cael ei chyflwyno'n ffurfiol gan Fwrdeistref Sir Conwy gan bod yr etholaeth yn cynnwys ardaloedd yn y ddwy sir. Deallir y bydd gan dîm Codi'r Gwastad ddogfen gais gydlynol gyda'r holl brosiectau wedi'u cynnwys, wedi'u cefnogi gan bob dogfen prosiect fel atodiad i'r cais.

Ar ôl cwblhau rhywfaint o waith casglu gwybodaeth / arolwg ac adborth gan y Gweithgor, mae'r ddwy ddogfen ddrafft yn cael eu diweddarau a'r bwriad yw y byddant yn cael eu hanfon i bob Cynghorydd Tref ac Aelodau Lleol Cyngor Sir Ddinbych yn gynnar yr wythnos nesaf i alluogi amser priodol dros doriad yr ŵyl i ddarllen y dogfennau hyn.

Er eu bod yn ddrafft, mae'r ddwy ddogfen yn gynhwysfawr. Gofynnir i'r aelodau ystyried cynnig bod sylwadau cychwynnol a chyfraniadau gan Gynghorwyr Tref yn cael eu cyflwyno i'r Clerc trwy e-bost, bod y sylwadau hyn yn cael eu rhoi at eu gilydd, a bod y Gweithgor yn cynnal Gweithgor Dyfodol Ruthin estynedig arbennig gyda'r holl Gynghorwyr Tref yn gynnar yn y Flwyddyn Newydd fel y gellir ystyried ac ymgorffori sylwadau fel sy'n briodol.

Byddai'r ddwy ddogfen wedyn yn cael eu diweddarau yn unol â hynny ac yn cael eu hystyried yn gyhoeddus yng nghyfarfod y Cyngor Llawn ym mis Ionawr 2022.

Byddai'r amseriad hwn yn cyfateb â chynnig y Gweithgor i gynnal arddangosfa ac ymgynghoriadau arall gan Dyfodol Rhuthun yn Yr Hen Lys ac yn ddigidol ym mis Chwefror 2022 mewn partneriaeth â gweithgareddau a chefnogaeth prosiect CoLab Prifysgol Birmingham.

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I gefnogi'r cais, ymgynghorwyd â Chyngor Sir Ddinbych ynghylch y dull arfaethedig ac maent wedi nodi eu bod yn gefnogol i'r cynigion i ymgynghori yn y Flwyddyn Newydd. Byddai angen cynigion yr ymgynghorwyd â nhw i gyfrannu at y briff ar gyfer datblygu prosiect ar gyfer unrhyw gynnig Cronfa Codi'r Gwastad llwyddiannus - a fyddai'n cynnwys ymgynghori pellach yn unol â gweithdrefnau safonol. Cydnabyddir bod amserlenni'n dynn, ond mae yn cael eu bennu gan yr hyn a nodi'r ar gyfer cyflawni'r prosiectau o fewn 2024.

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**RUTHIN TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
13 DECEMBER 2021**

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**RUTHIN FUTURE AND LEVELLING UP FUND
– PROGRESS REPORT**

The Ruthin Future / Levelling Up Working Group has provided Denbighshire County Council's Regeneration Team's Levelling Up Fund Co-ordinators two draft working documents - one relating to proposals for Town Centre & St Peter's Square Public Realm Improvements, and the second on Cae Ddol and Green Spaces Network.

These working documents were issued in Draft for the purposes of the Levelling Up Team being able to include them in the overall package of projects put forward to Denbighshire County Council's Cabinet for approval to be included in the Clwyd West LUF Bid in the New Year. Denbighshire County Council's Cabinet have approved the list of projects and indicative budgets have been identified by the team. Officers are now working to draw together information for the bid on all the projects, which will be formally submitted by Conwy County Borough as the constituency straddles both counties. It is understood that the LUF team will have a co-ordinated application document with all projects included, supported by each project document as an appendix to the application.

Following completion of some information gathering / survey work and feedback from the Working Group, the two draft working documents are being updated and it is intended that they will be circulated to all Town Councillors and local Denbighshire County Council Members early next week to enable appropriate time over the Festive recess to digest.

Although draft, both documents are comprehensive. Members will be asked to consider a proposal that initial comments and contributions from Town Councillors are submitted to the Clerk via email, that these comments are collated, and that the Working Group hosts a special expanded Ruthin Future Working Group with all Town Councillors early in the New Year so that comments can be considered and incorporated as appropriate.

Both documents would then be updated accordingly and publicly considered at the January 2022 Full Council meeting.

This timing would correspond with the Working Group's proposal to undertake another Ruthin Future exhibition and consultations (both in The Old Courthouse and

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digitally) in February 2022 in partnership with the activities and support of the Birmingham University CoLab project.

In support of the LUF bid application, Denbighshire County Council have been consulted on the proposed approach and have indicated that they are supportive of the proposals to consult in the New Year. Any successful LUF bid would require consulted proposals to contribute to the brief for project development - which would include further consultation in accordance with standard procedures. It is acknowledged that timescales are tight, but are dictated to by the desire to deliver LUF projects in 2024.