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**COUNCIL SUMMONS**

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## **ITEMS 12 & 13**

### **MOTIONS AND AMENDMENT INFORMATION**

#### **MOTION 1**

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Peter Littlechild

SECONDED BY: Councillor Calum Davies

#### **AMENDMENT 1 TO MOTION 1**

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Michael Michael

SECONDED BY: Councillor Lee Bridgeman

#### **MOTION 2**

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Ali Ahmed

SECONDED BY: Councillor Maliika Kaba

#### **AMENDMENT 1 TO MOTION 2**

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Bablin Molik

SECONDED BY: Councillor Imran Latif

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**24 NOVEMBER 2022**

**MOTION 1**

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Peter Littlechild

SECONDED BY: Councillor Calum Davies

- congratulates the Welsh men's football team on qualifying for the World Cup for the first time since 1958, whilst celebrating the growth and progress in the women's game;
- thanks the team for their efforts promoting the Welsh language and culture;
- notes the numerous health and well-being benefits of playing football and other team sports;
- recognises the incredible community work sports clubs undertake in their communities during and following covid lockdown measures.
- acknowledges the inability for community sports clubs to meet and fundraise during lockdowns which depleted their financial resources.
- recognises that providing pitches and facilities for football and other sports is critical to the Stronger, Fairer, Greener agenda, and that junior and mini football clubs do not have to pay pitch or changing room fees;
- believes an appropriate legacy to celebrate Wales' World Cup qualification would be to extend this policy to all football teams using Council pitches and changing rooms for one year;
- calls on the cabinet to bring forward a report to consider this ahead of the 2023/24 Budget; and
- wishes the Wales football team every success

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**AMENDMENT TO MOTION 1**

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Michael Michael

SECONDED BY: Councillor Lee Bridgeman

The first 5 bullet points to remain the same, thereafter any additions are in bold, deletions have a line through and the final bullet point is to remain the same.

- *recognises that providing pitches and facilities for football and other sports is critical to the Stronger, Fairer, Greener agenda, and that junior and mini football clubs do not have to pay pitch or changing room fees;*
- **celebrates the 10 year anniversary of providing free access to junior and mini football clubs introduced by the Heather Joyce administration**
- **welcomes the sustained investment into pitches, 3G pitches and changing rooms over recent years that have resulted, amongst other things, in a significant reduction of match cancellations, and further welcomes the new city-wide physical activity strategy that is broadening and deepening participation levels in sports**
- **calls on the FAW, Sports Wales, and Welsh Government to work with the Council and other local authorities to deliver an appropriate long-term legacy following Wales' participation; and**
- ~~believes an appropriate legacy to celebrate Wales' World Cup qualification would be to extend this policy to all football teams using Council pitches and changing rooms for one year;~~
- ~~calls on the cabinet to bring forward a report to consider this ahead of the 2023/24 Budget; and~~

**The Amended Motion to read:**

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**CYNGOR CAERDYDD  
CARDIFF COUNCIL****COUNCIL****24 NOVEMBER 2022****MOTION 2**

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Ali Ahmed  
SECONDED BY: Councillor Malika Kaaba

Cardiff is a cosmopolitan City. Driven by the growth of the coal industry, which made Cardiff one of the most important ports in the world, the city became home to some of the earliest immigrant communities in Britain.

With a proud history of welcome and sanctuary which continues up the present day, Cardiff celebrates the diversity of its residents, which contributes to our social and economic enrichment.

Sadly, as the work of the Race Equality Taskforce highlighted, racism continues to impact the day to day experiences of many people in the city. November is Islamophobia Awareness Month, so it is particularly appropriate to highlight the challenges faced by Muslims in Cardiff.

The city is home to a large Muslim population of over 23,000. Muslims in Wales also come from a large variety of ethnic backgrounds. Members of the Muslim Community in Cardiff are an integral part of the city's make-up, playing a huge role in all aspects of Cardiff's life including NHS, businesses, education, legal department and in politics but despite this., worryingly our Muslim community is experiencing Islamophobia from some people.

According to the Home Office's latest report into Hate Crime in England and Wales, Muslims were targeted in 50% of all religious hate crime offences recorded in 2019/20 - a figure consistent with previous years' reports - which means that they experience more religiously motivated hate crime than any other religious group.

On the 27<sup>th</sup> November 2018, the APPG (All Party Parliamentary Group) on British Muslims produced the working definition of Islamophobia following a two-year consultation.

The definition reads as the following:

***"Islamophobia is rooted in racism and is a type of racism that targets expressions of Muslimness or perceived Muslimness."***

This motion asks the Council to adopt this definition, and to support Islamophobia Awareness Month, which will focus on the positive contributions Muslims make in our city.

## **Motion**

This Council believes that:

- Adopting a definition of Islamophobia is essential to tackling Islamophobia in a targeted and effective manner.
- Without a definition of Islamophobia, one cannot identify how Islamophobia manifests itself and functions and therefore, cannot devise meaningful strategies to address it.

## **This Council resolves to:**

- Adopt the APPG definition of Islamophobia, accompanied by the Coalition Against Islamophobia's explanatory guidelines to provide a more holistic understanding of Islamophobia.
- Work with Cardiff schools, public transport companies, the South Wales police force, and other public and private bodies to tackle Islamophobia at a local level, in support of the wider work responding to the Race Equality Task Force recommendations.
- Take further steps to tackle and raise awareness of Islamophobia, such as organising Islamophobia training, holding local events on the issue of Islamophobia, during Islamophobia Awareness Month (November)
- Collaborate with the local Muslim community to challenge Islamophobia and to meet their needs such that they are encouraged to participate in public life.
- Work with other local stakeholders such as the local MPs to raise awareness of Islamophobia in parliament and urge the UK Government to adopt the APPG definition of Islamophobia

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24 November 2022

## AMENDMENT TO NOTICE OF MOTION 2

PROPOSED BY COUNCILLOR BABLIN MOLIK  
SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR IMRAN LATIF

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- *Collaborate with the local Muslim community to challenge Islamophobia and to meet their needs such that they are encouraged to participate in public life and all aspects of life such as education, employment, training and public services.*
- *Ensure Cardiff Council's workforce is diverse and inclusive through engaging with training programmes to tackle Islamophobia and unconscious bias.*
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