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Sent: 26 October 2020 06:13 PM
Subject: Re: Glynneath Town Council complaints - the 2008 Council, Del Morgan and Simon Knoyle
 Dear Councillor Roberts,

It was good to make your acquaintance earlier today.

I refer to the following passage in the joint release by Councillors Morgan and Knoyle on their FB pages.

"We would highlight one particular instance where it is claimed that a document sent to the local ward Members and the County Borough Council had not been given due consideration; however, we can confirm that council officers had indeed replied to its sender on two separate occasions with detailed responses to the concerns raised.

To conclude, as we are sure that you would expect of us, we pledge that we will always do our very best to represent the town and the people of Glynneath."

This is how your upright councillors intend to avoid accountability for their disregard of the lives of the residents of East Glynneath in your meeting tomorrow night.

They intend to say that the points in the document have been covered by the council and that I am a vexatious complainant.

You should be aware that the two responses which they mention date from April of this year and not in September when the document we have provided you with was published. The council have in fact used methods of deception to avoid giving the relevant answers to the questions we asked in April.

They used a well known method of deception known as RAB in which they reference a question, avoid it and then block, buck pass or do both. I have used one of the responses to which the Councillors Morgan & Knoyle as an example on this page on our website.

<http://www.walk-around-wales.com/county/npt/glynneath/enzo-development/CCC/rab-deception.htm>

As councillors who represent the people of Glynneath you should all insist in seeing both communications and allow me to provide you with a detailed analysis of the contents so that you can judge fairly whether or not the correspondence provides a detailed response to the information contained in the document.

You should not accept the word of Simon Knoyle and Del Morgan that it does. Their trust in a corrupt planning department should not be yours. You should ask to see the two responses mentioned in their release before making any

judgement.

You also ask the question.

What happened when the land was found to be contaminated in 2008?

Because any answer other than 'the land was remediated'

means that NPTC have broken the EPA and placed the lives of Glynneath residents at risk. This email will be added to our website for future reference. Thank you for taking the time to read it.

regards - Dai Richards - www.dai-richards.wales

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----- Original Message -----

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Sent: Tuesday, October 20, 2020 9:20 AM

Subject: Re: Glynneath Town Council complaints - the 2008 Council, Del Morgan and Simon Knoyle

Good morning all,

I don't know about anyone else! But I'm mortified at the personal attack Mr Richards has publicly made on two of our own councillors!

Insinuating bribery? And going as far as attacking members of their families is not on!!

I'm the first to point out any irregularities! But there is a way to conduct it!!

From the video Mr Richards kindly posted on "The Glynneath webpage" it clearly shows these councillors wishing to delve deeper in to the matter?

Given that I'm not 100% familiar with the ongoing issue, it seems like the 2 councillors mentioned are doing their best to rectify this problem,..

And to Mr Richards, I'm sorry you feel that this action is not being justified? But personal attacks are not on? Since joining the council a little over 2 yrs ago myself, I can 100% say that Simon Knoyle has worked hard and tried ,and succeeded! In doing his utmost for Glynneath residents,...

I'm sorry you feel the way you do! But this isn't the way to deal with things.

Regards Jennifer.

Sent from my iPad

> On 18 Oct 2020, at 07:29, Dai Richards <dai@rugbyrelics.com> wrote:
 > 20201018A-EM-RICD-GTCO-knoyle-morgan
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 > Dear Glynneath Councillors,
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 > You will note from social media that I am making attacks on the integrity
 > of Simon Knoyle and Del Morgan. I should explain myself:
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 > I am making these attacks because I believe that both Del Morgan and Simon
 > Knoyle are morally corrupt and govern with their personal opinions as
 > opposed to the the best interests of the people they represent. They have
 > also been slovenly to the point of negligent in their approach to the Enzo
 > Development and are supporting a council that is clearly corrupt. Their
 > actions have helped to cover up council malpractice and corruption has
 > placed my family in danger for the last 12 years.
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 > On the 23 April 2020 I made the following complaint to the Town Council by
 > email (see below) and this should be found in your archives. This email
 > includes the following paragraph.
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 > "This complaint also extends to the current day, 23/4/2020, because until
 > this date both County Councillors Simon Knoyle and Del Morgan who are
 > aware of contaminated land and carcinogens information have failed in
 > their capacities as councillors representing the people whose properties
 > either border on or are close to the site. They have refused to ask
 > pertinent questions of the planning department and they have refused to
 > provide information about what happened to the land in 2008 when it was
 > identified as contaminated."
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 > This situation has not changed to the present day as you will see in the
 > exchange of emails to which you were copied
 >
 > It is not my intention to extend the social media attack to you, I am
 > providing this information to you because you are councillors who have
 > been voted to represent the people of Glynneath and I feel it right that
 > you should understand why I am making these attacks.
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 > You should also be aware that in July 2019 I provided Simon Knoyle with
 > information about corruption in Welsh Government children's play policy
 > that may have an impact on the children of Glynneath, the email is
 > forwarded separately and includes the following extract:
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 > "I have approached you in your position as both a Glynneath Town Council
 > and a Neath-Port Talbot County Councillor".

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> To the best of my knowledge Simon Knoyle has not shared this information
> with the GTC.
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> I trust this email finds you well.
>
> regards - Dai Richards www.dai-richards.wales
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> ----- Original Message ----- From: "Dai Richards" <dai@rugbyrelics.com>
> To: "Haulwen Jones" <haulwenjones@icloud.com>
> Cc: "GTCO-Glynneath Town Council" <enquiries@glynneathtowncouncil.gov.uk>
> Sent: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:53 PM
> Subject: Glynneath Town Council complaints - the 2008 Council, Del Morgan
> and Simon Knoyle
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>> 20200423a-EM-RICD-GTCO-complaint1
>>
>> Hi Haulwen - cheers - for the email I realise the GTC have no say in the
>> matter but I would like the information I provided to the council to be
>> recorded by the GTC because in 2-3 years time if contaminated slurry is
>> flowing through my house I will be laying the blame anywhere and
>> everywhere
>> I can and chasing every avenue for compensation and retribution. At
>> present,
>> I'm just laying a trail of information to make this easier for people to
>> undersand why if that day comes they find themselves at the wrong end of
>> a
>> claim etc. At the end of the day NPTC is accountable for the actions of
>> their planning department because even if they are following the UK and
>> Welsh government guidlines and rules, the purpose of the NPTC according
>> to
>> their corporate plan is:
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>> "(Our Purpose Neath Port Talbot Council exists) to serve and represent
>> the
>> interests of its citizens and communities. We strive to improve the
>> economic, social, environmental and cultural well-being of all of our
>> people"
>>
>> their values state that
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>> "We will conduct the work of the Council in an open and accessible way,
>> ensuring we are properly accountable for the decisions we make."
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>> and if Glynneath Town Council which is part of NPTC sit back and let
>> adverse
>> events happen to the residents of Glynneath without advocating for them
>> as
>> they have done in the past, then I'll be making sure that they are
>> accountable too. If this email sounds a little angry, apologies, it is
>> not
>> aimed at you personally, it is aimed at previous GTC committees and those
>> present incumbants who waste money on flower pots with dick shaped trees

>> to
>> dress up mutton as lamb rather than investing in the social
>> infrastructure
>> of a dying community.
>>
>> I've looked at the GTC website but I'm unable to find what the purpose or
>> aims of the GTC are, would it be possible please to identify what these
>> are
>> for me please or perhaps the town clerk should make it their goal to
>> place
>> this information on the website?
>>
>> I've copied this email to the GTC for the purpose of recording it on
>> council
>> records as a complaint against the Glynneath Town Council of 2008 who
>> failed
>> to protect the people of Glynneath by allowing a survey that contained
>> information about classified Grade 1 carcinogens in the soil
>> unchallenged,
>> and I suspect unrecorded and unread. I've attached this information to
>> this
>> email.
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>> This complaint also extends to the current day, 23/4/2020, because until
>> this date both County Councillors Simon Knoyle and Del Morgan who are
>> aware
>> of contaminated land and carcinogens information have failed in their
>> capacities as councillors representing the people whose properties either
>> border on or are close to the site. They have refused to ask pertinent
>> questions of the planning department and they have refused to provide
>> information about what happened to the land in 2008 when it was
>> identified
>> as contaminated.
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>> These pair seem to be supporting their wage packets as opposed to the
>> people
>> who they are supposed to represent.
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>> The following is the start of the health issues I am investigating
>> relating
>> to people living close to the site
>>
>> TP3 - the nearest houses are less than 50 metres away and the occupants
>> of
>> one of the houses (I haven't talked to the other house) 2 out of 3 have
>> cancer, the other one has asthma. The identified poison at this location
>> is
>> Benzo[a]pyrene classified as a grade 1 carcinogen.
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>> TP5 - the nearest house about 25 metres away - two of the occupants have
>> died in the last 3 years, one with a degenerative condition.
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>> TP5 - My house is about 40 metres from this spot and my granddaughter was
>> born two years ago with an unexplained mutation (my son (and his partner)
>> both lived here not long before my granddaughter was conceived.
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>> .
>> Again I would like it recorded by the Glynneath Town Council that on
>> taking
>> information out of the chemical survey in 2008.
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>> 80% of the current Enzo development was recorded as contaminated with 40%
>> of
>> that containing grade 1 carcinogens.
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>> NPTC refuse to provide information about what was done about this
>> contamination as do County Councillors Del Morgan & Simon Knoyle.
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>> Please record this information on the Glynneath Town Council records and
>> my
>> complaints about the Glynneath Town Council in 2008 and the present day
>> County Councillors Del Morgan and Simon Knoyle. regards - Dai Richards
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