## P-05-867 Make the 'Cofiwch Dryweryn' Mural a designated Welsh landmark, Correspondence – Llanrhystud Community Council to Chair, 06.06.19

Thank you very much for your correspondence in relation to the 'Cofiwch Dryweryn Wall'.

The community Council of Llanrhystud met last night and discussed the petition and asked me to respond as I have been involved in trying to secure the wall for some time.

I have been speaking with a representative of the National Trust to see if they would be interested in looking after the Wall, they are interested if we were able to secure it and raise enough funds to renovate it. As things stand today the owner of the wall is still unsure what to do with it. I have offered to take on a long term lease for the Wall, this would be in conjunction with the local Community Council and or the National Trust. At the moment we do not have the funds to purchase or renovate it.

Until this situation changes our hands are tied as we do not have any legal jurisdiction over the Wall.

However, I do believe that our local Assembly Member and the Presiding Officer, Elin Jones, has been in contact with the owner of the Wall to see if she can help. May I suggest someone speaks to Elin as she probably has more information than I have on the progress.

On another note, we have spoken to CADW and we all came to the conclusion that it would not be a good idea to list the Wall at this stage. We believe that should we be able to purchase or gain control of the Wall then using the expertise of CADW we should be able to keep the Wall in perpetuity.

I hope this information helps.

Thank you

Kind regards

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