#### DECISION NOTICE OF AN INDIVIDUAL MEMBER OF GWYNEDD COUNCIL CABINET

DATE OF DECISION	02/06/25
DATE DECISION PUBLISHED	03/06/25
DATE DECISION WILL COME INTO FORCE and implemented, unless the decision is called in, in accordance with section 7.25 of the Gwynedd Council Constitution	10/06/25

#### NAME AND TITLE OF THE CABINET MEMBER

Cabinet Member: Councillor Paul Rowlinson
Cabinet Member for Housing and Property

SUBJECT - Disposal of the Council's interest of land adjoining Bod Idris, Llwyngwril.

#### **DECISION**

To dispose the Council's freehold interest in a parcel of land adjoining Bod Idris, Llwyngwril on terms and conditions to be determined by the Head of Housing and Property Department.

#### **REASON WHY THE DECISION IS NEEDED**

Please see attached Officer Report.

### DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND ANY RELEVANT DISPENSATIONS APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL'S STANDARDS COMMITTEE

None

#### ANY CONSULTATIONS UNDERTAKEN PRIOR TO MAKING THE DECISION

Consultation with Gwynedd Council Statutory Officers

The results of the consultations are reported upon in the attached report

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Name and title of Cabinet Member(s):	Councillor Paul Rowlinson
Name and designation of the Report's Author:	Efan Thomas MRICS Senior Estate Surveyor
Date of Decision:	2 June 2025
Cabinet Member(s)'s Signature:	P. 3. Rai

Subject: Disposal of the Council's interest of land adjoining Bod Idris, Llwyngwril.

## Recommendation for the Decision:

To dispose the Council's freehold interest in a parcel of land adjoining Bod Idris, Llwyngwril on terms and conditions to be determined by the Head of Housing and Property Department.

## The reason for the need for a Decision:

So that the Council can dispose of the freehold interest in a property that is deemed a liability and is surplus to the Council's requirements.

## Rationale and justification for reaching the Decision:

An application has been received to buy a small parcel of land that adjoins Bod Idris, Llwyngwril from the Council. The prospective buyer's intention is to expand their garden space into this small parcel of land. As the prospective buyer owns an adjoining property, it is considered that the site is more valuable to them rather than any other buyer. Approving the decision sought to sell directly to the prospective buyer would mean that the Council waives the costs associated with maintaining the site in the long term.

As part of the transfer, it is intended to limit the use as an amenity space / garden land only, and it is also intended that a clause is included to ensure that the Council recovers a percentage (50%) of the increase in the value of the site should the prospective buyer seek planning permission to develop adequate alternative use for the future.

Approving the recommendation and disposing of the property directly to the applicant would enable the Council to proceed without delay to dispose of the property and avoid unnecessary costs in relation to and maintaining the site.

There is no intention to accept less than Market Value for the property.

Record of any personal interest by any Cabinet Member consulted and any dispensations approved by the Standards Committee:

None.

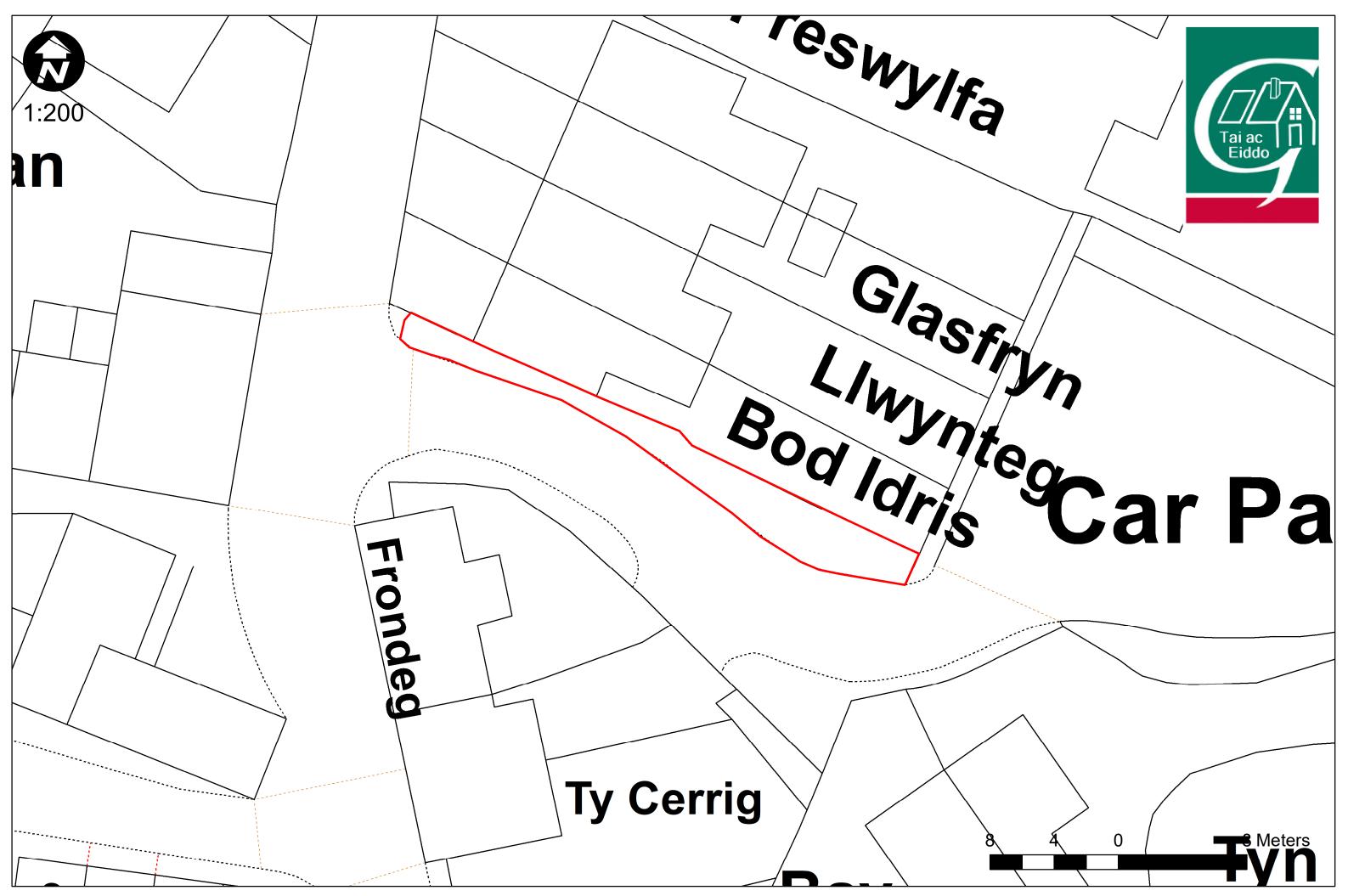
Any consultations undertaken prior to making the Decision:

None.

Chief Finance Officer - Dewi Morgan - "No objections from the perspective of financial propriety."

Monitoring Officer - Iwan Evans - "No observations to add in relation to propriety"

Local Member/s: Councillor Louise Hughes – "I have no objections at all and support the application to purchase it"



Plan - Land Adjoining Bod Idris