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Dafydd Elis-Thomas
Deputy Minister for Culture, Sport and Tourism
Welsh Government

14 July 2020

Dear Lord Elis-Thomas,

We are writing to highlight the plight of amateur and community music-makers in Wales in the current Covid-19 crisis, and to urge the Welsh Government to action. Research shows that brass bands, choirs and other groups are struggling. Many of these are a lifeline for vulnerable demographics - both in terms of participants and audiences - but so far have received little if any support and guidance regarding the way ahead.

Tŷ Cerdd supports grassroots community music groups across Wales to perform, compose and experience Welsh music. Making Music is the UK association for leisure-time music, with over 3,700 groups in membership, comprising around 200,000 adult hobby musicians. We are acutely aware that an entire, significant layer of musical activity Wales-wide is under threat. Our plea is that Welsh Government works to mitigate this, and to include these often disadvantaged communities in policy-making going forward.

Here are some points we would like to emphasise:

- Tŷ Cerdd and Making Music represent over 180 groups in Wales. On average, that amounts to 10,000 individuals: each separately and together are currently unable to access a key means to well-being through musical activity.

- Group demographics: amateur groups across Wales comprise a wealth of different socioeconomic and cultural backgrounds. Participants come from all ages – from children and young people to the elders of our communities – and include many with mental or physical health problems, and some of society's most vulnerable. As we know these communities have been hardest hit by Covid-19.

- Recent report recommendations from the Culture, Welsh Language and Communications Committee rightly focused on freelancers, artists and organisations who rely on the arts for their

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livelihood. However, we also need to highlight the impact the current situation is having on those who make music on a non-professional basis.

- Further to the above, it should be noted that professionals and amateurs intersect in important ways to mutual benefit: while many amateur groups do not for themselves generate much if any income, they employ conductors and professional musicians; commission new works; generate venue funds through rehearsal/performance space hire; and very often donate

the profit from their concerts to charitable causes. A return to rehearsals and performances for the amateur sector would mean these funds re-enter the economy.

- In the present crisis, there is a danger that the importance of the arts to well-being is being undervalued. This very much includes the amateur sector - not least in proven reductions to hospital admissions etc. Now more than ever people need to be able to resume activities safely, as soon as possible which have positive impacts on physical and mental wellbeing.

- Tŷ Cerdd and Making Music have moved their work online, utilising workshops, meet-ups and discussion groups to try to support professional and leisure-time musicians. But groups are now looking towards restarting rehearsals and eventually performances. With that in mind, we wanted to let you know the following feedback from our network and members regarding what we believe is needed, so that music groups can safely resume as soon as possible:

Research

In the light of Public Health England announcing research to help the risks of singing the risks of singing, wind and brass playing on transmission, we hope our own government in Wales will follow suit. If PHW are not undertaking their own research we would like them to ensure that they are aware of the latest research seeking to establish more conclusively the aerosol transmission risks (and therefore possible mitigations) for Covid-19 when groups sing/play in enclosed spaces, such as:

<https://www.mhfreiburg.de/fileadmin/Downloads/Allgemeines/RisikoabschaetzungCoronaMusikSpahnRichter1.7.2020Englisch.pdf>

<https://www.musikk.no/nmr/om-oss/medlemsorganisasjoner/ressurser-for-medlemmer/veileder-smittevern-for-musikkovelsler>

Guidance for groups

When it is considered safe to do so, clear permission is needed for musicians to meet again in groups, with clear technical guidance on the necessary steps to make this as safe as possible for all. Groups would need guidance which can be practically implemented and which takes into consideration the variety of music groups in Wales: choirs, orchestras, wind ensembles, brass bands, samba bands and the varied demographics of the individuals within the groups.

Tŷ Cerdd and Making Music would be happy to support the Welsh Government to draft this guidance to ensure that it could realistically be implemented by community music groups in Wales.

Support for venues and spaces and professional musicians

Many of the groups we represent do not rehearse or perform in theatres, arts or music venues but community halls and churches. We are asking that consideration is given to:

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- Financial support for additional measures which may be needed to support the return of music groups to these venues (extra toilets, ventilation etc); so that they can remain affordable to music groups.
- Clear guidance for venues about their obligations, responsibilities and liabilities so that they feel confident in hosting music groups.

We support the recommendation from the Culture, Welsh Language and Communications Committee in regard to financial support for professional musicians (conductors, accompanists, music creators, teachers etc.) who are crucial to the return - and flourishing - of community music groups, some of whom will not be fully able to return to work as before until 2021.

Accessibility

Like many organisations, a large number of the groups we represent have moved to online meet-ups to maintain engagement with each other and this has raised the issue of access to reliable broadband; a particular problem for those in rural areas. Whilst we are aware of the work that the Welsh Government is undertaking to roll out superfast broadband across Wales, the current situation has highlighted broadband as an essential service and will continue to do so in a world which will remain at least partially online for a while, and this needs to be at the forefront of infrastructure policy-making.

Conclusion

We hope the points and concerns raised above prove a catalyst for urgent action, and believe that collaboration and communication are key to enabling the amateur and community arts sector to come through the present crisis in as good a shape as possible.

Our door is always open to further discussion regarding the way ahead, and we look forward to positive and fruitful collaboration in the days and weeks to come.

Thank you for engaging with us.

With best wishes,

Steph Power, Chair - **Tŷ Cerdd**

Dorothy Wilson, Chair - **Making Music**

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Abby Charles, Chair - **Cardiff Amateur Flute Ensemble**

Diane Daniel, Secretary - **Cardiff Bach Choir**

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Sally Marshall, Conductor - **Machynlleth Wind Band**

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Jack Bridger, Musical Director - **Porthcawl Community Orchestra**

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Dafydd Elis-Thomas

Dirprwy Weinidog dros Ddiwylliant, Chwaraeon a Thwristiaeth
Llywodraeth Cymru

14 Gorffennaf 2020

Annwyl Arglwydd Elis-Thomas,

Rydym yn ysgrifennu atoch i dynnu sylw at helbul gwneuthurwyr cerddoriaeth amatur a chymunedol yng Nghymru yn yr argyfwng Covid-19 presennol ac i bwysu ar Lywodraeth Cymru i weithredu. Mae ymchwil yn dangos bod bandiau pres, corau a grwpiau eraill mewn trafferthion dybryd. Mae llawer o'r rhain yn cynnig rhaff achub i boblogaethau bregus – o ran cyfranogwyr yn ogystal â chynulleidfaoedd – ond hyd yma maent heb dderbyn fawr o gefnogaeth nac arweiniad os o gwbl mewn cysylltiad â'r ffordd ymlaen.

Mae Tŷ Cerdd yn cefnogi grwpiau cerdd cymunedol ar draws Cymru i berfformio, cyfansoddi a phrofi cerddoriaeth Cymru. Mae Making Music yn gymdeithas DU cerddoriaeth amser hamdden gyda dros 3,700 o grwpiau o fewn aelodaeth, gan gynnwys o gwmpas 200,000 o gerddorion oedolyn hobi. Rydym yn hynod ymwybodol bod haenen gyfan o weithgarwch cerddorol sylweddol ar draws Cymru o dan fygythiad. Ein ple yw bod Llywodraeth Cymru yn gweithio i liniaru hyn ac wrth lunio polisi i'r dyfodol i gynnwys y cymunedau hyn sydd yn aml dan anfantais.

Dyma rai pwyntiau yr hoffem eu pwysleisio:

- Nifer y grwpiau y mae Tŷ Cerdd a Making Music yn eu cynrychioli yng Nghymru yw dros 180. Ar gyfartaledd, mae hyn yn cyfateb i 10,000 o unigolion sydd yn unigol a chyda'i gilydd ar hyn o bryd yn methu cael mynediad i fodd allweddol o sicrhau llesiant drwy weithgarwch cerddorol.
- Demograffeg y grwpiau: mae grwpiau amatur ar draws Cymru yn cynnwys myrdd o wahanol gefndiroedd cymdeithasol-economaidd a diwylliannol. Mae cyfranogwyr o bob oedran - o blant a phobl ifainc i bobl hŷn ein cymunedau - ac yn cynnwys llawer sydd â phroblemau iechyd meddwl neu gorfforol a rhai o'r bobl sydd fwyaf agored i niwed yn ein cymdeithas. A gwyddom mai'r cymunedau hyn sydd wedi'u taro galetaf gan Covid-19.

-Yn llygaid eu lle, bu argymhellion mewn adroddiad diweddar gan y Pwyllgor Diwylliant, y Gymraeg a Chyfathrebu yn canolbwyntio ar weithwyr llawrydd, artistiaid a sefydliadau sy'n dibynnu ar y celfyddydau am eu bywoliaeth. Fodd bynnag, mae angen i ni hefyd dynnu sylw at yr effaith y mae'r sefyllfa gyfredol yn ei chael ar y rheini sy'n cerddora ac sydd heb fod yn broffesiynol.

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- Ar ben yr uchod, dylid nodi bod cerddorion proffesiynol a rhai amatur yn rhyngblethu'n gydfuddiol mewn ffyrdd pwysig: er na fydd llawer o grwpiau amatur yn gyffredinol yn cynhyrchu llawer o incwm iddynt eu hunain os o gwbl, byddant yn cyflogi arweinwyr a cherddorion proffesiynol; yn comisiynu gweithiau newydd; yn cynhyrchu cyllid i ganolfannau drwy logi gofod at ymarfer/perfformio ac yn aml

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iawn yn rhoi'r elw o'u cyngherddau i achosion elusennol. I'r sector amatur, golygai dychwelyd at ymarferion a pherfformiadau fod y cyllid yma'n yn dod yn ôl i'r economi.

- Yn yr argyfwng presennol, mae perygl bod pwysigrwydd y celfyddydau i lesiant yn cael ei danbriso. Mae hyn yn sicr yn cynnwys y sector amatur, fel a welir yn y gostyngiadau profedig i'r niferoedd sy'n cael eu derbyn i ysbytai ac yn y blaen. Bellach, yn fwy nag erioed, mae angen i bobl, cyn gynted ag y bo modd, fedru ailddechrau'n ddiogel weithgareddau sy'n cael effeithiau cadarnhaol ar lesiant corfforol a meddyliol.

- Mae Tŷ Cerdd a Making Music wedi symud eu gwaith i fod ar-lein, gan ddefnyddio gweithdai, cynulliadau a grwpiau trafod i geisio cefnogi cerddorion proffesiynol ac amser hamdden. Fodd bynnag, mae grwpiau bellach yn edrych tuag at ailddechrau ymarferion ac yn y pen draw berfformiadau. Gyda hyn mewn cof, roedden ni am roi gwybod i chi am yr adborth canlynol gan ein rhwydwaith a'n haelodau mewn cysylltiad â beth y credwn sydd ei angen fel y gall grwpiau cerdd ailddechrau'n ddiogel cyn gynted ag bo modd.

Ymchwil

Yn dilyn cyhoeddiad Iechyd Cyhoeddus Lloegr am ymchwil i helpu i ddeall risgiau canu a chwarae offerynnau chwyth a phres o ran trosglwyddo'r feirws, gobeithiwn y bydd ein llywodraeth ni yng Nghymru yn gwneud yr un fath. Os nac ydyn, ar ba ymchwil y byddant yn seilio eu canllawiau? Os nad yw Iechyd Cyhoeddus Cymru yn ymgymryd â'u hymchwil eu hunain, hoffem iddynt sicrhau eu bod yn ymwybodol o'r ymchwil ddiweddaraf sy'n ceisio sefydlu'n fwy pendant y peryglon o ran trosglwyddo drwy aerosol (ac felly dulliau lliniaru posibl) ar gyfer Covid-19 pan fydd grwpiau'n canu/chwarae mewn gofodau caeedig, megis

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Canllawiau i grwpiau

Pan fydd yn cael ei ystyried yn ddiogel gwneud hynny, bydd angen caniatâd diamwys i gerddorion gyfarfod eto mewn grwpiau, gyda chanllawiau technegol eglur ar y camau angenrheidiol i wneud hyn mor ddiogel â phosibl i bawb. Byddai angen canllawiau ar grwpiau y gellir eu rhoi ar waith yn ymarferol ac sy'n cymryd i ystyriaeth amrywiaeth y grwpiau cerdd yng Nghymru: corau, cerddorfeydd, ensembles chwyth, bandiau pres, bandiau samba ynghyd â demograffeg amrywiol yr unigolion o fewn y grwpiau.

Byddai Tŷ Cerdd a Making Music yn falch i gefnogi llywodraeth Cymru i ddrafftio'r canllawiau hyn i alluogi y caiff, yn realistig, eu rhoi ar waith gan grwpiau cerdd cymunedol yng Nghymru.

Cymorth i ganolfannau a gofodau a cherddorion proffesiynol

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Nid yw llawer o'r grwpiau a gynrychiolir gynnon ni yn ymarfer neu'n perfformio mewn theatrau na chanolfannau celfyddydau neu gerdd ond mewn neuaddau cymunedol ac eglwysi. Rydym yn gofyn y rhoddir ystyriaeth i:

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- Gymorth ariannol i fesurau ychwanegol y gall fod eu hangen i gefnogi grwpiau cerdd i ddychwelyd at y canolfannau hyn (toiledau ychwanegol, awyru ac yn y blaen) fel y gallant aros yn fforddiadwy i grwpiau cerdd.

- Canllawiau clir i ganolfannau am eu rhwymedigaethau, cyfrifoldebau ac atebolrwydd er mwyn iddynt deimlo'n hyderus wrth groesawu grwpiau cerdd.

Rydym yn cefnogi'r argymhelliad gan y Pwyllgor Diwylliant, y Gymraeg a Chyfathrebu ynglŷn â chymorth ariannol i gerddorion proffesiynol (arweinwyr, cyfeilyddion, crewyr cerddoriaeth, athrawon ac yn y blaen) sy'n allweddol er mwyn i grwpiau cerdd cymunedol ddychwelyd a ffynnu, rhai ohonynt na fyddant yn gallu dychwelyd i'r gwaith yn gyfan gwbl fel o'r blaen tan 2021.

Hygyrchedd

Fel llawer o sefydliadau, mae nifer fawr o'r grwpiau a gynrychiolir gynnon ni wedi symud i gyfarfod ar-lein i barhau i ymgysylltu â'i gilydd ac mae hyn wedi codi'r mater o fynediad dibynadwy i fand eang sy'n broblem i'r rheini mewn ardaloedd gwledig yn arbennig. Er ein bod yn ymwybodol o'r gwaith y mae Llywodraeth Cymru'n ei wneud i gyflwyno band eang cyflym iawn ar draws Cymru, mae'r sefyllfa bresennol wedi amlygu band eang fel gwasanaeth hanfodol a bydd yn parhau i wneud hynny mewn byd a fydd yn rhannol o leiaf yn aros ar-lein am sbel a rhaid rhoi lle blaenllaw i hyn wrth wneud polisi o ran seilwaith.

Cloi

Rydym yn gobeithio bod y pwyntiau a'r pryderon a godir uchod yn sbardun i weithredu brys gan gredu bod cydweithredu a chyfathrebu'n allweddol i alluogi sector y celfyddydau amatur a chymunedol ddod drwy'r argyfwng presennol mewn cyflwr cystal â phosibl.

Mae ein drws bob amser yn agored i drafodaeth bellach ynglŷn â'r ffordd ymlaen ac edrychwn ymlaen at gydweithrediad cadarnhaol a ffrwythlon yn y diwrnodau ac wythnosau i ddod.

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Abby Charles, Cadeirydd - **Cardiff Amateur Flute Ensemble**

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Alf Giaquinto, Ysgrifenydd - **Chepstow Male Voice Choir**

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Jan Bolland, Cadeirydd - **Porthcawl Community Singers**

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Geoff Mason, Cadeirydd - **The Maelor Music Society**

John Mills, Arweinydd - **The Phoenix Choir of Wales**

Beatrice Pearce, Cadeirydd; Tim Pearce, Ysgrifenydd - **The Welsh Camerata**

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