



Powys County Council Councillor's Annual Report

This report gives details of the Councillor's key activities over the year ending 15th May 2013. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose.

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Group: Welsh Conservatives	Date: September 2013

Section 1: Role & Responsibilities

I served on these Powys County Council Committees [actual attendance/number of meetings held] and Working Groups:

Powys County Council – 8/9

People Scrutiny Committee – 2/4

Democratic Services Committee – 5/6

- Member Development Working Group – I was the Members' Champion for Member Development

Employment and Appeals Committee – 1/1

Pensions and Investment Committee – 4/5

Radnorshire – 6/6

I served on the following outside organisations:

Brecon and Radnor Community Health Council

Dyfed/Powys Police and Crime Panel

Local Education Authority [LEA] Governor at Cefnlllys School and Llandrindod High School

Section 2: Constituency Activity

I supported the Lakeside Action Group and engaged with residents concerning street lighting issues, road cleaning and potholes. I reported abandoned vehicles and fly tipping; attended local events and Town Council meetings. I corresponded with residents over many and varying issues and worked closely with County Councillors Gary Price and Keith Tampin – for the betterment of the town; also with County Councillor Gwilym Williams.

I corresponded with residents during the snow issues and liaised with Council staff, asking for extra salt and snow ploughing.

I spoke with residents over planning applications, calling them into the Planning Committee where necessary and spoke to officers about bus routes and the quality of the service given by bus companies.

Section 3: Learning & Development - after the Elections in May 2012 induction sessions were provided during May and June to ensure that Councillors could undertake their roles. Ongoing monthly development is provided.

Induction Sessions – Induction 1,2 & 3; Code of Conduct; Regulatory Committee – planning, windfarms, Safeguarding and Corporate Parenting; Planning Protocol; Welsh Local Government Association Scrutiny induction

Ongoing Development - Treasury Management, Information Handling and Data Protection, Welsh Housing Standards, Alternative Management and Delivery of Leisure Services; Performance and Project Management; Adult Social Care; Pensions – Hedge Fund Management; Members’ Annual Reports and using Outlook; Powys Change Plan; Making social media work for councillors.

I attended a range of LEA governor training.

I undertook training to enable me to work on the bin lorries [see the information in Section 4].

Section 4: Outside Organisations and Other Activities

I learnt first hand about the front line services that the Council offers by working on the bin lorries around Llandrindod. I wanted to see exactly what the job involved, the challenges and issues, so that I could help to make the best decisions for the rate payer.

I attended meetings of the following:
The Pavillion Committee, Llandrindod Wells
Llandrindod Wells Regeneration Group

I remained a member of Powys Youth Forum and the Children’s and Young People’s Assembly for Wales.



Cyngor Sir Powys Adroddiad Blynyddol y Cynghorydd

Mae'r adroddiad hwn yn rhoi manylion am weithgareddau allweddol y Cynghorydd dros y flwyddyn sy'n diweddau 15 Mai, 2013. Caiff ei ddarparu er gwybodaeth i'r holl etholwyr ac nid at unrhyw ddiben arall.

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Grwp: Ceidwadwyr Cymru	Dyddiad: Medi 2013

Adran 1 Rôl a Chyfrifoldebau

Gwasanaethais ar y Pwyllgorau a'r Gweithgorau canlynol o Gyngor Sir Powys [presenoldeb / nifer y cyfarfodydd a gynhaliwyd]:

Cyngor Sir Powys - 8/9

Pwyllgor Craffu Pobl - 2/4

Pwyllgor Gwasanaethau Democraidd - 5/6

- Gweithgor Datblygu Aelodau - fi oedd Cefnogwr yr Aelodau ar gyfer Datblygu Aelodau

Pwyllgor Cyflogaeth ac Apeliadau - 1/1

Pwyllgor Pensiynau a Buddsoddi - 4/5

Sir Faesyfed - 6/6

Gwasanaethais ar y cyrff allanol canlynol:

Cyngor Iechyd Cymuned Brycheiniog a Maesyfed

Heddlu Dyfed / Powys a'r Panel Troseddau

Llywodraethwr yr Awdurdod Addysg Lleol [AALI] yn Ysgol Cefnlllys ac Ysgol Uwchradd Llandrindod

Adran 2 Gweithgaredd Etholaethol

Cefnogais Grŵp Gweithredu Lakeside a bŵm yn trafod materion yn ymwneud â goleuadau stryd, glanhau ffyrdd a thyllau yn y ffyrdd gyda'r preswylwyr. Rhoddais wybodaeth am gerbydau wedi'u gadael a thipio anghyfreithlon; mynychais ddigwyddiadau lleol a chyfarfodydd Cyngor y Dref. Bŵm yn gohebu gyda thrigolion ynghylch llawer o faterion amrywiol ac yn gweithio'n agos gyda'r Cynghorwyr Sir Gary Price a Keith Tampin - er lles y dref; a hefyd â'r Cynghorydd Sir Gwilym Williams.

Bŵm yn gohebu gyda'r preswylwyr yn ystod y problemau a gafwyd gydag eira ac yn cysylltu gyda staff y Cyngor, yn gofyn am fwy o halen a gwasanaeth yr erydr eira.

Siaradais gyda'r trigolion am geisiadau cynllunio, gan eu galw i mewn i'r Pwyllgor Cynllunio pan oedd hynny'n angenrheidiol. Siaradais â swyddogion am lwybrau bysiau ac ansawdd y gwasanaeth a roddir gan gwmnïau bysiau.

Adran 3 Dysgu a Datblygu - ar ôl yr Etholiadau ym mis Mai 2012 darparwyd sesiynau cynefino yn ystod mis Mai a mis Mehefin er mwyn sicrhau y gallai cynghorwyr ymgymryd â'u rolau. Mae datblygiad misol parhaus yn cael ei ddarparu.

Sesiynau Cynefino - Cynefino 1,2 a 3; Cod Ymddygiad; Pwyllgor Rheoleiddio - Cynllunio, Ffermydd Gwynt, Diogelu a Rhianta Corfforaethol; Protocol Cynllunio, Sesiwn Cynefino ynghylch Craffu gan Gymdeithas Llywodraeth Leol Cymru

Datblygiad Parhaus - Rheoli'r Trysorlys, Trin Gwybodaeth a Diogelu Data, Safonau Tai Cymru, Rheoli a Chyflenwi Gwasanaethau Hamdden mewn Dull Gwahanol; Rheoli Perfformiad a Phrosiectau, Gofal Cymdeithasol Oedolion; Pensiynau - Rheoli'r 'Hedge Fund', Adroddiadau Blynyddol yr Aelodau a defnyddio Outlook, Cynllun Newid Powys; Gwneud i'r cyfryngau cymdeithasol weithio i gynghorwyr.

Mynychais ystod o hyfforddiant i lywodraethwyr gan yr AALI.

Mynychais hyfforddiant i'm galluogi i weithio ar y loriâu bin [gweler yr wybodaeth yn Adran 4].

Adran 4 Cyrff Allanol a Gweithgareddau Eraill

Dysgais o lygad y ffynnon am y gwasanaethau rheng flaen y mae'r Cyngor yn eu cynnig drwy weithio ar y loriâu bin o amgylch Llandrindod. Roeddwn i eisiau gweld yn union beth oedd y swydd yn ei olygu, yr heriau a'r problemau, fel y gallwn helpu i wneud y penderfyniadau gorau i'r trethdalwr.

Mynychais gyfarfodydd y canlynol:
Pwyllgor Pafiliwn, Llandrindod
Grŵp Adfywio Llandrindod

Parheais i fod yn aelod o Fforwm Ieuenctid Powys a Chynulliad Plant a Phobl Ifanc Cymru.