



## Powys County Council Councillor's Annual Report

This report gives details of the Councillor's key activities over the year ending 10<sup>th</sup> May 2016. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose.

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### Section 1: Role & Responsibilities

I served on these Powys County Council committees [actual attendance/number of meetings held] and working groups:

Powys County Council – 6/8

Audit Committee – 6/7

Brecknockshire – 4/6

I served on the following outside organisations:

Welsh Centre for International Affairs

Heart of Wales Line Forum

Local Education Authority Governor of both Talgarth Community Primary School and Gwernyfed High School, contributing at Full Governing Body meetings, as well as on Standards Panel (Talgarth CP School) and Community & Premises Committee (Gwernyfed High School).

### Section 2: Constituency activity

I have endeavoured to be a hard working Ward Councillor throughout the year, dealing in a timely manner, with many constituency matters and residents problems, many with positive outcomes. I have attended meetings of Talgarth Town Council in the ward to provide Town Council colleagues with information and guidance where appropriate.

I have also contributed to regular newsletters in Talgarth Ward, including a 600 word monthly update in the Wye Local Community Magazine; have been a regular contributor to the "fyitalgarth" community web site and have maintained constant touch with local residents via facebook and Twitter, in order to keep my constituents informed and up-to-date with relevant issues that affect them. I have also held a monthly advice surgery at Talgarth Tourist Information & Resource Centre to deal with residents' concerns - as well as calling around the estates in Talgarth, to follow up on casework issues.

### Section 3: Learning & Development

Gypsy & Travellers - Members' roles and responsibilities under Housing (Wales) Act 2014 and Equality Act 2010

**Section 4: Outside organisations and other activities**

I am a Trustee of Felin Talgarth Mill and support the work of Talgarth Festival, Talgarth Regeneration Group, Talgarth Walking Festival and the Talgarth - Pizzoferrato Twinning link as best I am able.

I do my utmost to maintain a dialogue with the Brecon Beacons National Park Authority, which as the local planning authority, is a key partner of Powys County Council.



## Cyngor Sir Powys Adroddiad Blynyddol y Cynghorydd

Mae'r adroddiad hwn yn rhoi manylion am weithgareddau allweddol y Cynghorydd dros y flwyddyn a ddaeth i ben 10 Mai, 2016. Fe'i darperir er gwybodaeth i'r holl etholwyr ac nid at unrhyw ddiben arall.

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<b>Grŵp:</b> Democratiaid Rhyddfrydol Cymru	<b>Dyddiad Medi,</b> 2016

### Adran 1: Rôl a Chyfrifoldebau

Gwasanaethais ar y pwyllgorau a'r gweithgorau hyn o Gyngor Sir Powys [presenoldeb gwirioneddol / nifer y cyfarfodydd a gynhaliwyd]:

Cyngor Sir Powys – 6/8

Pwyllgor Archwilio - 6/7

Pwyllgor Sir Frycheiniog – 4/6

Gwasanaethais ar y cyrff allanol hyn:

Canolfan Gymreig Materion Rhyngwladol

Fforwm Rheilffordd Calon Cymru

Llywodraethwr yr Awdurdod Addysg Lleol ar gyfer Ysgol Gynradd Gymunedol Talgarth ac Ysgol Uwchradd Gwernyfed, gan gyfrannu at gyfarfodydd y Cyrff Llywodraethu Llawn, yn ogystal ag ar y Panel Safonau (Ysgol G.G. Talgarth) a Phwyllgor Cymuned ac Eiddo (Ysgol Uwchradd Gwernyfed)

### Adran 2: Gweithgaredd yr etholaeth

Rwyf wedi gwneud fy ngorau i fod yn Gyngorydd gweithgar yn y ward trwy gydol y flwyddyn, gan ddelio â nifer o faterion yr etholaeth a phroblemau trigolion yn brydlon, gyda nifer o ganlyniadau positif. Rwyf wedi mynychu cyfarfodydd Cyngor Tref Talgarth gan roi gwybodaeth ac arweiniad i gydweithwyr yn y Cyngor Tref lle bo hynny'n briodol.

Rwyf hefyd wedi cyfrannu at gylchlythyron rheolaidd yn Ward Talgarth, yn cynnwys 600 gair misol i Gylchgrawn Gymunedol Lleol Gwy; rwyf wedi bod yn gyfrannwr rheolaidd i'r wefan gymunedol "fyitalgarth" ac rwyf wedi cadw mewn cysylltiad cyson gyda thrigolion lleol trwy facebook a Twitter, er mwyn rhoi'r wybodaeth ddiweddaraf i fy etholwyr am faterion a fydd yn effeithio arnyn nhw. Rwyf hefyd wedi cynnal cymhorthfa fisol yng Nghanolfan Groeso a Chanolfan Adnoddau Talgarth i ddelio â phryderon trigolion - yn ogystal ag ymweld â stadau Talgarth, i roi gwybodaeth am faterion achosion gwaith.

### Adran 3: Dysgu a Datblygu

Sipsiwn a Theithwyr – Rolau a chyfrifoldebau aelodau o dan y Ddeddf Tai (Cymru) 2014 a'r Ddeddf Cydraddoldebau 2010

#### **Adran 4: Sefydliadau allanol a gweithgareddau eraill**

Rwy'n Ymddiriedolwr o Felin Talgarth ac rwy'n cefnogi gwaith Gŵyl Talgarth, Grŵp Adfywio Talgarth, Gŵyl Gerdded Talgarth a dolen Gyfeillio Talgarth - Pizzoferrato cymaint ag sy'n bosibl.

Rwy'n wneud fy ngorau i gynnal deialog gydag Awdurdod Parc Cenedlaethol Bannau Brycheiniog sydd fel yr awdurdod cynllunio lleol yn un o brif bartneriaid Cyngor Sir Powys.