

City & County of Swansea - Councillor's Annual Report 2014-2015

This Councillor's Annual Report outlines their activities over the year ending **18 May 2015**. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose. The views expressed in this report are those of the Councillor and do not necessarily reflect the views of the City and County of Swansea.

Councillor: Paul Lloyd	Electoral Division: Bonymaen
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Senior Salary Position:	Chair of Planning Committee
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Section 1: Constituency activities

Surgeries were held 3 times per month.

I held regular "walkabouts" to see the issues in the ward & meet constituents.

I worked with the police & agencies to tackle the issues raised by residents.

I worked with Council departments to tackle issues raised by residents in the ward.

Section 2: Councillor attendance at selected Council body meetings

Attendance at Council body meetings is only one of the important elements of a Councillor's duties. Councillors are also active by holding surgeries, attending meetings and dealing with general electoral division enquiries.

Attendance % based on Committee membership shown below:

Area 1 Development Control Committee	7	/	7	100	%
Area 2 Development Control Committee	8	/	8	100	%
Corporate Parenting Forum	2	/	3	67	%
Council	16	/	17	94	%
Development Management & Control Committee	7	/	7	100	%
Economy & Investment Cabinet Advisory Committee	7	/	7	100	%
General Licensing Committee	15	/	16	94	%
Gower AONB Partnership Group	2	/	2	100	%
Place Cabinet Advisory Committee	4	/	4	100	%
Planning Committee	6	/	6	100	%
Services Cabinet Advisory Committee	3	/	3	100	%
Statutory Licensing Committee	5	/	5	100	%
Statutory Licensing Sub Committee	2	/	2	100	%
OVERALL	84	/	87	97	%

Scrutiny Inquiry Panels:

Local Flood Risk Management Scrutiny Working Group	1	/	1	100	%
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Section 3: Councillors role and responsibilities

I was Vice Chair of the Heart of Wales Line Forum. Due to the Chair being taken ill, I was appointed the Acting Chair of the forum.

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Section 4: Initiatives and Special activities

I worked with Bonymaen RFC, Cefn Hengoed Community School & Leisure Centre with a view to securing agreement for the joint use of the Leisure Centre & its facilities.

Member of Swansea Bay Fair Credit raising awareness regarding high interest lenders.

Volunteer at Eastside Food bank.

Section 5: Learning and Development

I attended the following training sessions:

12/03/2015 - The Role of Councillors in Planning: Propriety & Good Practice

05/03/2015 - Modern Slavery & Human Trafficking

26/11/2014 - Defamation

19/11/2014 - Elected Members Role in Supporting & Promoting Gypsies, Roma & Travellers

23/10/2014 - Safeguarding

I attended the training courses provided for governors of Cefn Hengoed Community School.

Section 6: Other activities and issues

- Councillors surgeries held 3 times a month. They were advertised in shops, newspaper etc. throughout the ward.
- I attended PACT meetings held in St Illtyd's school. I was a governor of Cwm Glas Primary School & Cefn Hengoed Community School.
- I attended Communities First meetings in the ward.
- I was the Council representative on Bonymaen Community Centre Management Committee.
- I was chairman of Birchgrove Community Centre
- I was chairman of Glais Community Development Trust.

Section 7: Councillors Remuneration

Senior Salary: £22,000 – Chair of Planning Committee (previously Chair of Development Management & Control Committee)

Councillors travel and subsistence claim forms can be viewed here:

<http://democracy.swansea.gov.uk/ecCatDisplay.aspx?sch=doc&cat=13266&path=0&LLL=0>

Councillors annual expenses and allowances can be viewed here:

<http://democracy.swansea.gov.uk/ecCatDisplay.aspx?sch=doc&cat=13284&path=0&LLL=0>

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