City & County of Swansea - Councillor's Annual Report 2016-2017

This Councillor's Annual Report outlines their activities over the year ending **24 May 2017**. 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
Senior Salary Position:		Chair of Planning Comm	hittee

Section 1: Constituency activities

Surgeries were held twice per month

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

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:

Community / Town Councils Forum	2	/	2	100	%
Council	13	/	16	81	%
Development Cabinet Advisory Committee	12	/	13	92	%
General Licensing Committee	12	/	14	86	%
Gower AONB Partership Group	4	/	4	100	%
Planning Committee	12	/	12	100	%
Statutory Licensing Committee	2	/	3	67	%
Sustainable Development Fund Panel	2	/	2	100	%
Overall	59	1	66	89	%
Scrutiny Meetings:					
Local Flood Risk Management Working Group	1	/	1	100	%
Overall	1	1	1	100	%

Section 3: Councillors role and responsibilities

I was chair of the Planning Committee I was chair of the Heart of Wales Line Forum I was chair of Gower AONB Partnership I was the Council representative on Bonymaen Community Centre Management Committee.

Section 4: Initiatives and Special activities

I worked with Bonymaen RFC, Cefn Hengoed Community School & the Council to try to bring about a joint use agreement for a 3G pitch on the school playing fields. I was a member of Swansea Bay Fair Credit, raising awareness of high interest lenders & the available alternatives.

I volunteered at Eastside Foodbank where I am a trustee.

I was the chair of Birchgrove Community Centre.

Section 5: Learning and Development

I attended the following training sessions:

19/05/2017 - Good Decision Making, Bias, Pre-determination & Rules of Natural Justice 16/05/2017 - Local Government Finance

Section 6: Other activities and issues

Councillors surgeries were held in 2 locations in the ward. They were advertised in shops throughout the ward, in newspapers & on social media.

I attended PACT meetings held in St. Illtyd's Roman Catholic School.

I was a Local Authority (LA) Governor of Cwm Glas Primary & Cefn Hengoed Community schools.

I attended Communities First activities in the ward.

Section 7: Councillors Remuneration

Senior Salary: £22,000 – Chair of Planning Committee

Councillors travel and subsistence claim forms can be viewed here: <u>http://democracy.swansea.gov.uk/ecCatDisplay.aspx?sch=doc&cat=13266&path=0&LLL=</u> <u>0</u>

Councillors annual expenses and allowances can be viewed here: <u>http://democracy.swansea.gov.uk/ecCatDisplay.aspx?sch=doc&cat=13284&path=0&LLL=</u> <u>0</u>

Date: 21/10/2017