

City & County of Swansea - Councillor's Annual Report 2013-2014

This Councillor's Annual Report outlines their activities over the year ending **7 May 2014**. 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: Beverley Hopkins	Electoral Division: Landore
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Section 1: Constituency activities

I held two surgeries every month in my ward and attended regular PACT meetings for the relevant three police divisions.

I was on and at the time of writing this still am on Hafod and Plasmarl School Governors and also on Hafod Community Centre Management Committee where I took all the bookings and also ran a mother and toddler group.

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.

Area 1 Development Control Committee	5	/	9	56	%
Area 2 Development Control Committee	0	/	3	0	%
Council	15	/	15	100	%
Development Management & Control Committee	4	/	8	50	%
OVERALL	24	/	35	69	%

Attendance % based on Committee membership shown above.

Section 3: Councillors role and responsibilities

I was and at the time of writing this still am Chair of Governors at Hafod Primary School.

I attended PACT meetings. We had three police divisions in our ward.

I was and at the time of writing this still am a Governor of Plasmarl Governing Body.

I attended Hafod Community Centre meetings and meetings of "Friends of Hafod Park".

Section 4: Initiatives and Special activities

I oversaw a revamp of Davis Street Park in Plasmarl.

I worked with the management at the Liberty Stadium on the travel plan in an effort to solve ongoing parking issues.

I was involved in implementing road calming measures on Trewyddfa Road which was funded via an allocated sum of money from the City and County of Swansea's Councillors environmental fund for the Plasmarl Electoral Division.

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Section 5: Learning and Development

I attended the following training course:-

25/10/2013 - Corporate Parenting

I also attended the following Governor training sessions:

08/10/2013 Understanding School Data

14/01/2014 New Governor

09/06/14 Child Protection Training (Hafod Primary School)

Section 6: Other activities and issues

I have always been available for constituents to get in touch with me and I have always played an active part in my community for the people of Hafod, Landore and Plasmarl.

Section 7: Councillors Remuneration

Basic Salary - £13,175 per annum.

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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