



POLICY AND RESOURCES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE – 31TH JULY 2012

**SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF MEMBERS' ATTENDANCE – QUARTER 1
– 18TH MAY 2012 TO 30TH JUNE 2012**

REPORT BY: DEPUTY CHIEF EXECUTIVE

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To report Members' levels of attendance at scheduled meetings of Caerphilly County Borough Council.

2. THE REPORT

2.1 Appendix 1 details Members' attendance for quarter 1 (18th May 2012 to 30th June 2012), at the following meetings:

- Council;
- Cabinet;
- Scrutiny Committees;
- Planning;
- Audit Committee;
- Democratic Services Committee; and
- Sustainable Development Advisory Panel.

2.2 The information is compiled from attendance sheets signed by Members at these meetings.

2.3 The appendix also allows for a comparison with the same period in the preceding two years. When making comparisons to previous quarters/years, please note that overall averages given are the weighted average to reflect the number of meetings in each quarter.

2.4 Details for the next quarter (1st July 2012 to 31st September 2012) will be reported to the next appropriate meeting of the Scrutiny Committee.

3. EQUALITIES IMPLICATIONS

3.1 There are no specific equalities implications arising as a result of this report.

4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are no specific financial implications arising as a result of this report.

5. PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 There are no specific personnel implications arising as a result of this report.

6. CONSULTATIONS

6.1 None.

7. RECOMMENDATIONS

7.1 That Members note the content of the report.

8. REASONS FOR THE RECOMMENDATIONS

8.1 To inform Members of attendance levels at scheduled meetings of Caerphilly County Borough Council from the Annual Meeting of Council, 2012.

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Background Papers:

Member attendance sheets

Appendices:

Appendix 1 Schedule of Members' Attendance 2010 to 2013