ANNUAL REPORT

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ELECTORAL WARD: Moriah

PARTY: Labour

PROFILE: I am Secretary of the Abertysswg Village Partnership and the Community Centre

Committee. I am also a Member of Rhymney Community Council

COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Council

Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee

Education for Life Scrutiny Committee

Licensing Committee (Chair until May 2016)

Planning Committee

Health Social Care and Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee (from November 2015 to May 2016)

SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS

Voluntary Sector Sub-Committee

OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Industrial Communities Alliance (formerly Coalfield Communities Campaign)

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY

Governor of Abertysswg Primary School and Bryn Awel School

ATTENDANCE

From May 2015 to May 2016 my attendance at Council meetings was as follows:

Meeting	No. Attended	No. Held
Council	11	12
Education for Life Scrutiny	7	8
Health Social Care and Wellbeing Scrutiny	2	4
Licensing and Gambling Sub-Committee	6	6
Licensing Committee	5	5
Licensing Sub Committee (Taxi and General)	9	10
Planning Committee	7	14
Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny	5	8
Voluntary Sector Liaison Committee	0	4

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

I undertook the following training and development seminars and courses: -

Public Speaking and Presenting to an Audience

Medium Term Financial Plan (Seminar x2)

Probity in Planning

Regeneration and Environment (6 Monthly Refresher)

Health Social Care and Well Being Scrutiny (6 Monthly Refresher)

Information Governance (Mandatory)

Planning Committee (Annual)

Licensing Committee (Annual)

Regeneration and Environment (Annual)

CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY

My constituents prefer to contact me by telephone and email.

It is my intention to start Ward Surgeries next year with my colleague Cllr Harse and look forward to providing you with an update in my next Annual Report.

I spoke at a special meeting of the Planning Committee in my capacity as a Ward Member on the Nant Llesg Open Cast Mine planning application on behalf of local residents in objection to the application, which was refused by the Members of the Planning Committee.

I was actively involved with the Abertysswg Community Centre as its Secretary.

I was and still am actively working with the local community and Education Officers on the new Infant/Primary School based on the Rhymney Comprehensive School site as part of the 21st Century School Programme.