

# ANNUAL REPORT

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**ELECTORAL WARD:** Blackwood

**PARTY:** Labour Member until September 2016 – Independent Member from September 2016

## **COUNCIL COMMITTEES**

Council

Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny Committee

Audit Committee

Car Parks Task and Finish Group (Chair)

## **SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS**

Blackwood Town Centre Management Group (Chair)

## **OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS**

Chair of Islwyn Credit Union

## **SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY**

N/A

## **ATTENDANCE**

From May 2016 to May 2017 my attendance at Council meetings was as follows:

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>No. Attended</u>	<u>No. Held</u>
Audit Committee	2	2
Blackwood Town Centre Management Group	2	2
Caerphilly Car Parks Task and Finish Group	4	4
Council	7	10
Regeneration and Environment Scrutiny	3	5

## **TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT**

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

Audit Committee (Annual)  
 Blackwood Town Centre Management Group (Annual)  
 Treasury Management (Seminar)  
 Regeneration and Environment (Annual)

## **CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY**

Continued to provide support to resident's in the Cwm Gelli area in relation to Planning matters.

Continued to meet and support residents re concern of the sale of former council offices in Islwyn (Pontllanfraith House)

Continued to support the local Girl Guides group in connection with demolition of former premises.

Consulted on Traffic orders in Blackwood, in regard to Gordon Close, Williams St and Libanus School, issues are still ongoing.

Met with the police regarding anti social behaviour at Blackwood Bus station issue are still on going.

Met with residents/ police to address concerns that the car cruisers are back in Blackwood, (Showfield, High St and Asda) ongoing.

Met with residents to address concerns at the removal of residents only parking, Pentwyn Rd, Blackwood, and residents with concerns about parking issues at Williams St and the illegal parking in residents only bays at Gordon Road..

Met with residents re dog fouling in Blackwood ( Libanus field/ Showfield)

I continued to meet with residents and officers regarding fears that the culvert to rear of Montclair Ave is in danger of collapse due to an increase in soil erosion.