

ANNUAL REPORT

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ELECTORAL WARD: Pontllanfraith

PARTY: Labour

COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Council
Policy and Resources Scrutiny Committee
Partnerships Scrutiny Committee
Democratic Services Committee

OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Gwent Police and Crime Panel

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY

LEA Governor, Penllwyn Primary School
LEA Governor, Islwyn High School

ATTENDANCE

From May 2017 to May 2018 my attendance at Council meetings was as follows:

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>No. Attended</u>	<u>No. Held</u>
Council	11	13
Partnerships	1	2
Policy and Resources	8	8
Democratic Services	3	4

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

I have undertaken the following training and development: -

Induction 2017

Medium Term Financial Plan (Seminar) (20.09.2017)

VAWDASV E-Training

CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY

These are the issues that I have worked on over the past year, many of which are ongoing: -

Together with my fellow Pontllanfraith ward members, I have:

- attended monthly advice surgeries for constituents at venues around the ward
- regularly attended monthly Penllwyn Community Partnership meetings
- campaigned for the return of Post Office services to Pontllanfraith
- organised a 'Pride in Pont' community litter-pick.

I have also:

- had regular meetings with Inspector Steve Drayton at Blackwood police station to address policing issues of concern to Pontllanfraith residents
- Met with residents on an ongoing basis to address their concerns about Council services (including traffic, housing, potholes, etc) and pursued these with Council officers.