

ANNUAL REPORT

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ELECTORAL WARD: Risca East

PARTY: Labour

PROFILE

I am Chair of Risca East Community Council and Executive Director of Gwent Hospital Contributory Fund

COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Council
Health Social Care and Well Being Scrutiny Committee
Planning Committee

SUBCOMMITTEES/WORKING PARTIES/PANELS

Monmouthshire and Brecon Canal - Crumlin Arm Working Group
Risca Town Centre Management Group
School Budget Forum Committee

OUTSIDE BODIES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Greater Gwent Cremation Joint Committee

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY

I am Chair of Governors at Risca Community Comprehensive School and Governor at Ty Sign Primary School

ATTENDANCE

From May 2012 to May 2013 my attendance at Council meetings was as follows:

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>No. Attended</u>	<u>No. Held</u>
Council	9	9
Health, Social Care and Wellbeing	7	8
Planning	11	12

TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT

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

Code of Conduct	South Wales Fire and Rescue Service
Planning	Secondary Rationalisation
Prosiect Gwyrdd	Nant Llesg
Statement of Accounts	POVA
Community Infrastructure Levy	Managing Constituency Case Work
Appointments	Medium Term Financial Plan

CONSTITUENCY ACTIVITY

I held Ward Surgeries every Friday between 11:00am and 12:00pm in the TLC Café, Ty Sign throughout 2012 and 2013. My constituents are welcome to contact me by telephone, email or in person and I operate an open door policy for all.

As Chair of Governors Risca Community Comprehensive School, I attended various school functions, such as the Year 11 Presentation Evening, Dance Festival, St David's Day Concert in Risca Park and Presentation and Opening of the new reading area in the new SRB Autistic Unit.

I liaised with Highways Services regarding the parking improvements on Elm Drive and the road improvements around Penrhiw Bridge.

I worked to establish the newly formed Risca East Community Council and was elected Chair.

I made numerous representations to Housing Services on behalf of tenants and residents.

As a Member of the Planning Committee I attended numerous site visits and also requested a site visit at Moriah Hill and Manor Public House on behalf of the residents of the area.

I requested extra dog fouling bins throughout the area, including along the canal.

I sat on the Health Social Care and Well Being Task and Finish Group.

I attended the Communities First inaugural meeting.

I worked closely with PCO's and Community Safety Wardens highlighting problems and following up on the areas on concern including anti-social behaviour around Elm Drive shops.

I attended PACT meeting in order to highlight areas of concern on behalf of residents.

I worked closely with my fellow Ward Members on numerous ward issues

I attended the launch of the 'Islwyn Lily' canal boat and am actively involved through my membership on the Monmouthshire and Brecon Canal - Crumlin Arm Working Group