

ISLE OF ANGLESEY COUNTY COUNCIL	
NAME OF COMMITTEE:	DEMOCRATIC SERVICES COMMITTEE
DATE OF MEETING:	02/12/2014
TITLE:	WEBCASTING OF MEETINGS
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The purpose of this report is to summarise information in relation to webcasting of meetings and provide an update to the report submitted to the Committee on the 19 September, 2014. Members will be aware that meetings of the County Council, Executive and Planning & Orders Committee are included in the pilot.

Statistics

Total views to date for the meetings broadcast since the Planning and Orders Committee on 3 September (reported to the last meeting) are as follows – live and archive hits:

Meetings	Total Hits
The Executive 08/09/14	553 (32 live and 521 archive)
County Council 30/09/14	485 (74 live and 411 archive)
Planning & Orders Committee 01/10/2014	796 (57 live and 739 archive)
County Council 09/10/14	Webcast did not proceed due to technical problems
The Executive 20/10/14	179 (25 live and 154 archive)
The Executive 03/11/14	206 (45 live and 161 archive)
Planning & Orders Committee 05/11/14	325 (42 live and 283 archive)

Overall, the statistics are still encouraging to promote openness and accountability and likewise greater participation in the Councils' democratic arrangements. Social media has been used predominantly to publicise webcasting of meetings.

Recommendation

- 1) To note the progress on webcasting as detailed in this report, and that an update be submitted to the Committee in March 2015.

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