

NOTICE of the Decisions of the Hybrid meeting of the Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee held on 19 September, 2023

Present: Councillor Dylan Rees (Chair
Councillor Gwilym O Jones (Vice-Chair)

Councillors Non Dafydd, Jeff M Evans, John Ifan Jones, G O Jones (Is-Gadeirydd/Vice-Chair), Euryrn Morris, Pip O'Neill, Dylan Rees (Cadeirydd/Chair), Margaret Murley Roberts, Ken Taylor and Sonia Williams

Mr John Tierney (Roman Catholic Church) (Co-opted Member)
Mrs Gillian Thompson (Parent Governor – Primary Schools Sector)

Leader of the Council and Portfolio Member for Economic Development

Councillor Dafydd Roberts – Portfolio Member for Education and the Welsh Language.

Apologies: Councillor Derek Owen

Also Present: Councillor Neville Evans – Portfolio Member for Leisure, Tourism and Maritime

Councillor Carwyn Jones – Portfolio Member for Corporate and Customer Experience

Councillor Alun Roberts – Portfolio Member for Adults' Services

Councillor Nicola Roberts – Portfolio Member for Planning, Public Protection and Climate Change

Councillor Dafydd R Thomas – Portfolio Member for Highways, Property and Waste

Councillor Robin Williams – Deputy Leader of the Council and Portfolio Member for Finance

Councillors Dyfed W Jones and Keith Roberts (Members of the Education Scrutiny Committee)

Mr Arwyn Thomas, Sharon Vaughan & Gwenno Jones (Representatives from GwE)

(2.00 - 4.15 pm)

ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	2 Declaration of Interest
DECISION	Councillor Dylan Rees declared a prejudicial

	<p>interest in Item 4, North Wales Fire & Rescue Authority Consultation (Emergency Cover Review) and left the meeting during discussion and voting thereon.</p> <p>Councillors Jeff Evans and John I Jones declared a personal interest in Item 4 – North Wales Fire & Rescue Authority.</p>
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ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	3 Minutes
DECISION	The minutes of the meeting held on 21 June, 2023 were confirmed as correct.

ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	4 North Wales Fire & Rescue Services Consultation (Emergency Cover Review)
DECISION	<p>It was RESOLVED :-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To accept the initial draft response of the Council as attached to the report subject to that the following:- • That the Leadership Team should consider the additional information received by the Chief Fire Officer; • To propose the following comments for consideration by the Leadership Team as part of the review process before the Executive at its meeting on 29 September, 2023:- • To request that the North Wales Fire & Rescue Service conduct a review of their administrative and central costs as a basis for setting the levy contribution incorporating the input of the Section 151 Officers in North Wales; • To request Welsh Government to consider that the levy charged by the Fire & Rescue Service should be noted on the Council Tax Bills

	<p>for local residents;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • That factors within Option 3 within the report needs to be considered as regards to the resilience of both bridges due to weather conditions and the rural communities in the South East of the Island; • To note that there are additional costs implications included in the three Options put forward by the North Wales & Rescue Service.
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ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	5 Education Matters
DECISION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GwE Annual Report for the Isle of Anglesey : 2022/2023 <p>It was RESOLVED to accept the GwE Annual Report for the Isle of Anglesey : 2022/2023.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education Scrutiny Panel Progress Report <p>It was RESOLVED:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To note the progress made during the last period in terms of the work of the Education Scrutiny Panel; • That significant progress has been made in terms of developing a revised scrutiny model for education issues as a basis for the work of the Education Scrutiny Panel and both parent committees. • Education Scrutiny Charter <p>It was RESOLVED:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To approve the Education Scrutiny Charter as a basis for the scrutiny of Education issues;

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To note the aim of developing the document in due course as a general Scrutiny Charter across the breadth of scrutiny work undertaken by the Council.
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ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	6 Forward Work Programme
DECISION	<p>It was RESOLVED :-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To agree the current version of the forward work programme for 2023/2024; To note the progress thus far in implementing the forward work programme.

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