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DYDD MERCHER, 10 GORFFENAF, 2024 am 2.00 o'r gloch yp	WEDNESDAY, 10 JULY, 2024 at 2.00 pm
CYFARFOD HYBRID – YN YR YSTAFELL BWYLLGOR , SWYDDFEYDD Y CYNGOR, LLANGFNI AC YN RHITHIOL DRWY ZOOM	HYBRID MEETING – IN THE COMMITTEE ROOM, COUNCIL OFFICES, LLANGFNI AND VIRTUALLY THROUGH ZOOM
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Pip O'Neill

Aelodau Ychwanegol/Additional Members (gyda hawl pleidleisio ar faterion addysg/with voting rights in respect of educational matters) Mrs Wenda Owen (Yr Eglwys yng Nghymru/The Church in Wales), Gillian Thompson (Rhiant Llywodraethwr – Sector Ysgolion Cynradd/Parent Governor – Primary Schools Sector), Sedd Wag/Vacant Seat-(Rhiant Llywodraethwyr – Sector Ysgolion Uwchradd ac ADY/Parent Governor – Secondary Schools Sector and ALN) Mr John Tierney (Yr Eglwys Babyddol Rufeinig/The Roman Catholic Church)

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Mr. Dafydd Gruffydd (Rheolwr Gyfarwyddwr/Managing Director - Menter Môn)

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A G E N D A

1 APOLOGIES

2 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

To receive any declaration of interest by any Member or Officer in respect of any item of business.

3 NORTH WALES FIRE & RESCUE SERVICE (Pages 1 - 10)

To receive a presentation by the Chief Fire Officer of the North Wales Fire & Rescue Service :-

- Current service provision on the Isle of Anglesey;
- Resilience, challenges and affordability of the current service delivery model on Anglesey;
- Joint working between the North Wales Fire and Rescue Service and the Isle of Anglesey County Council

4 WELSH AMBULANCE SERVICES UNIVERSITY NHS TRUST

To receive a verbal presentation by the Chief Executive of the Welsh Ambulance Services University NHS Trust :-

- Current service provision on the Isle of Anglesey;
- Resilience, challenges and affordability of the current service delivery model on Anglesey
- Joint working between the Welsh Ambulance Services and the Isle of Anglesey County Council

5 GWYNEDD AND YNYS MÔN PUBLIC SERVICES BOARD ANNUAL REPORT: 2023/24 (Pages 11 - 20)

To submit a report by the Chief Executive.

6 COMMITTEE FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME - 2024/2025 (Pages 21 - 28)

To submit a report by the Scrutiny Manager.

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Pwyllgor Sgriwtini Partneriaeth ac Adfywio

Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee

10.07.2024

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Agenda

- Proffil GTAGC
- Gorsafoedd Môn
- Cyllid Awdurdod Leol
- Gweithio mewn partneriaeth tuag at parodrwydd
- Diogelwch Tân Busnes
- Ymgysylltu â'r gymuned

Agenda

- NWFRS Profile
- Anglesey Stations
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- Partnership Working in Preparedness
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Model Ymateb Presennol:

44 o orsafoedd:

- 3 Gorsafoedd ddyletswydd 24 awr: Wrexham, Glannau Dyfrdwy a Rhyl
- 5 Gorsafoedd criwiau dydd: Bae Colwyn, Llandudno, Bangor, Caernarfon a Caergybi

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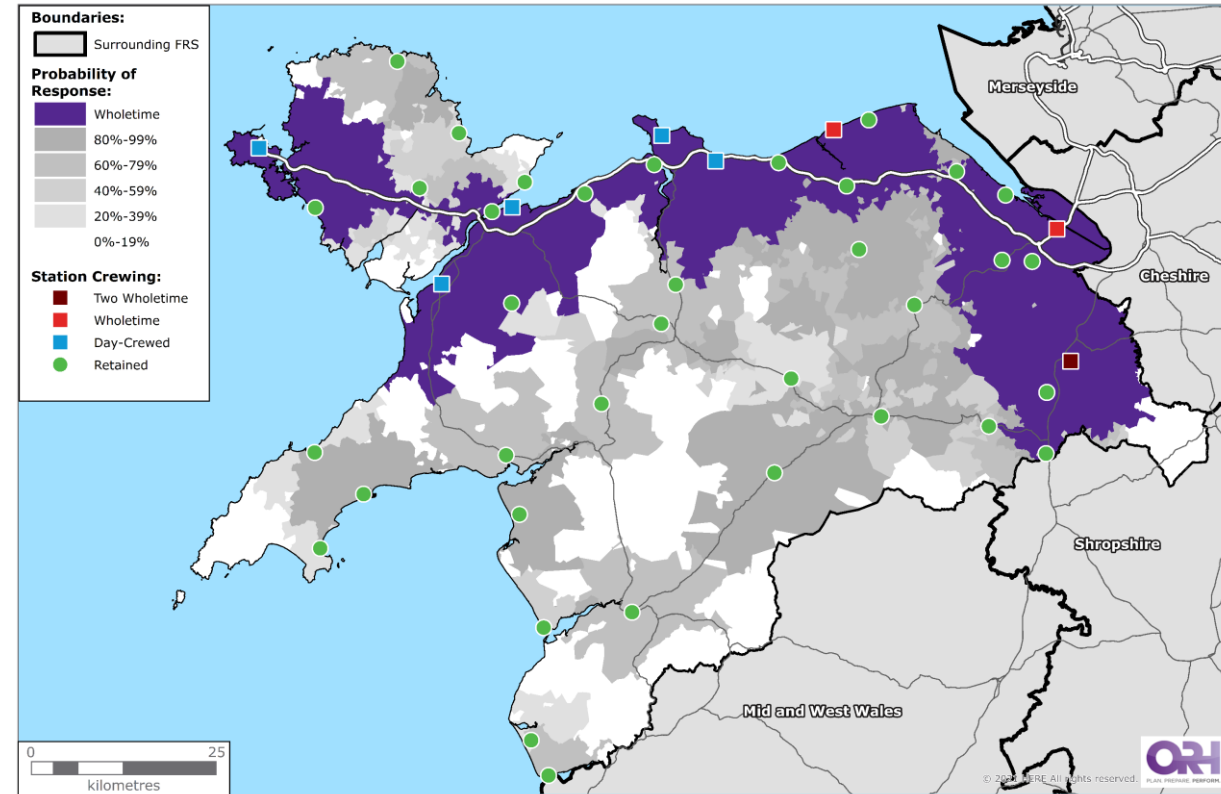
36 gorsaf ar alwad

2 Gwylfa o ddiffoddwyr tân system ddyletswydd wledig llawn amser

Current Response Model:

44 Stations in total:

- 3 Twenty four hour duty stations: Wrexham, Deeside & Rhyl
- 5 Day crewed stations: Colwyn Bay, Llandudno, Bangor, Caernarfon & Holyhead
- 36 On-call, retained duty system stations
- 2 Watches of Wholetime duty system rural firefighters



Tebygolrwydd cyfartalog y bydd lleoliad yn cael ymateb yn ystod y dydd o fewn 20 munud ar ôl rheoli ymyrraeth
Average probability of a location receiving a daytime response within 20 minutes after intervention management

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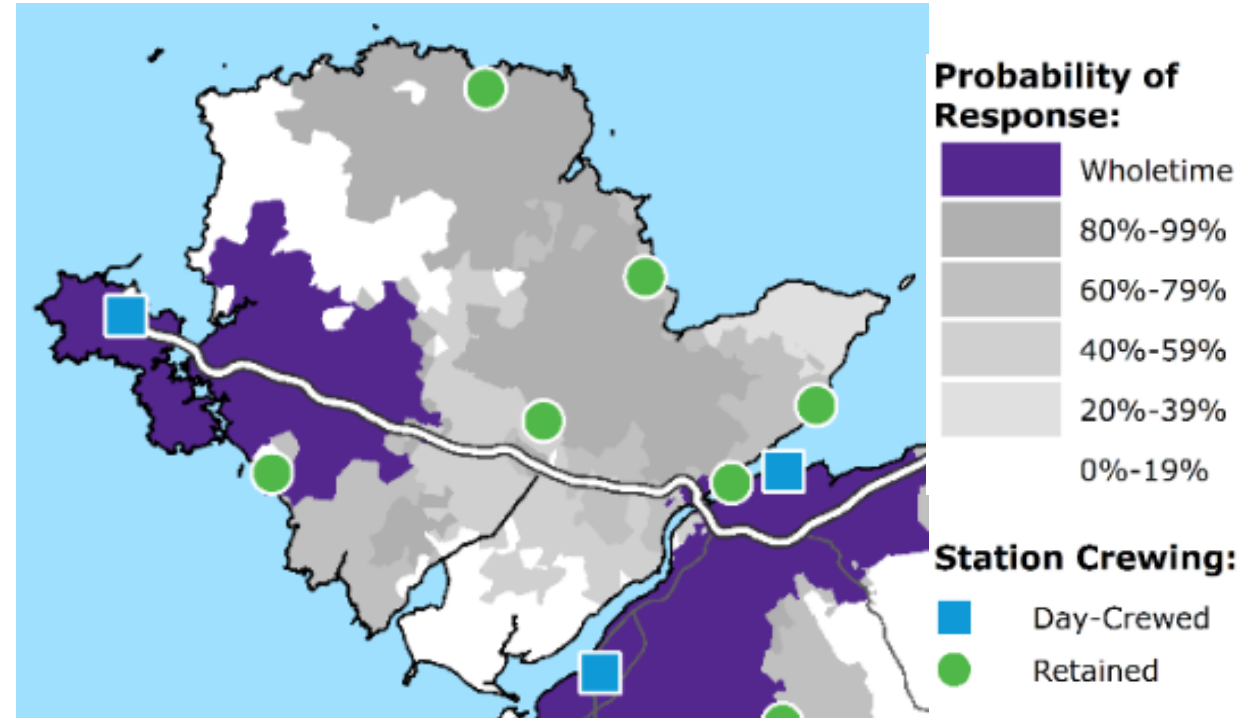


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Gorsaf Môn	System Ddyletswydd	Argaeledd dydd	Argaeledd nos
Caergybi	Criw Dydd	100%	100%
Caergybi	Ar alwad	65%	93%
Amlwch	Ar alwad	34%	96%
Biwmares	Ar alwad	Criwio deuol efo Porthaethwy	
Benllech	Ar alwad	7%	46%
Llangefni	Ar alwad	26%	75%
Porthaethwy	Ar alwad	20%	86%
Rhosneigr	Ar alwad	28%	93%

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Anglesey Station	Duty System	Day Availability	Evening Availability
Holyhead	Day Crewed	100%	100%
Holyhead	On-call	65%	93%
Amlwch	On-call	34%	96%
Beaumaris	On-call	Dual Crew with Menai Bridge	
Benllech	On-call	7%	46%
Llangefni	On-call	26%	75%
Menai Bridge	On-call	20%	86%
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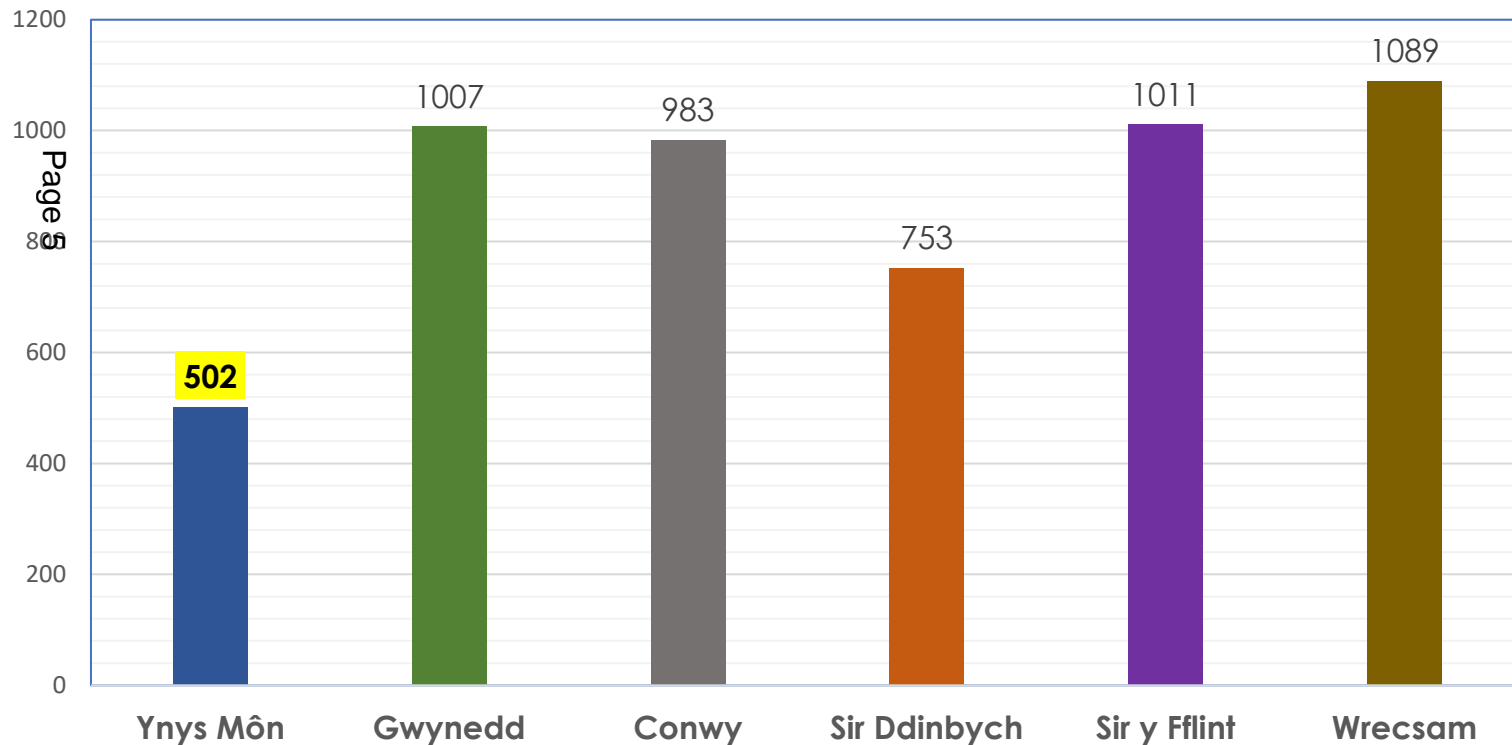


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Nifer Cyfartalog o Ddigwyddiadau Blynnyddol

2019/20 - 2023/24

Average Annual Incident Volume 2019/20 - 2023/24



Nifer o ddigwyddiadau ar gyfartaledd 5 mlynedd: Môn

- Holl danau: 188
- Galwadau diangen: 248
- Gwasanaeth arbennig: 66
- Cyfanswm Digwyddiadau: 502

Anglesey 5 Year Average Incident Demand

- All Fires: 188
- Final Class False Alarm: 248
- Special Service: 66
- Total Incidents: 502

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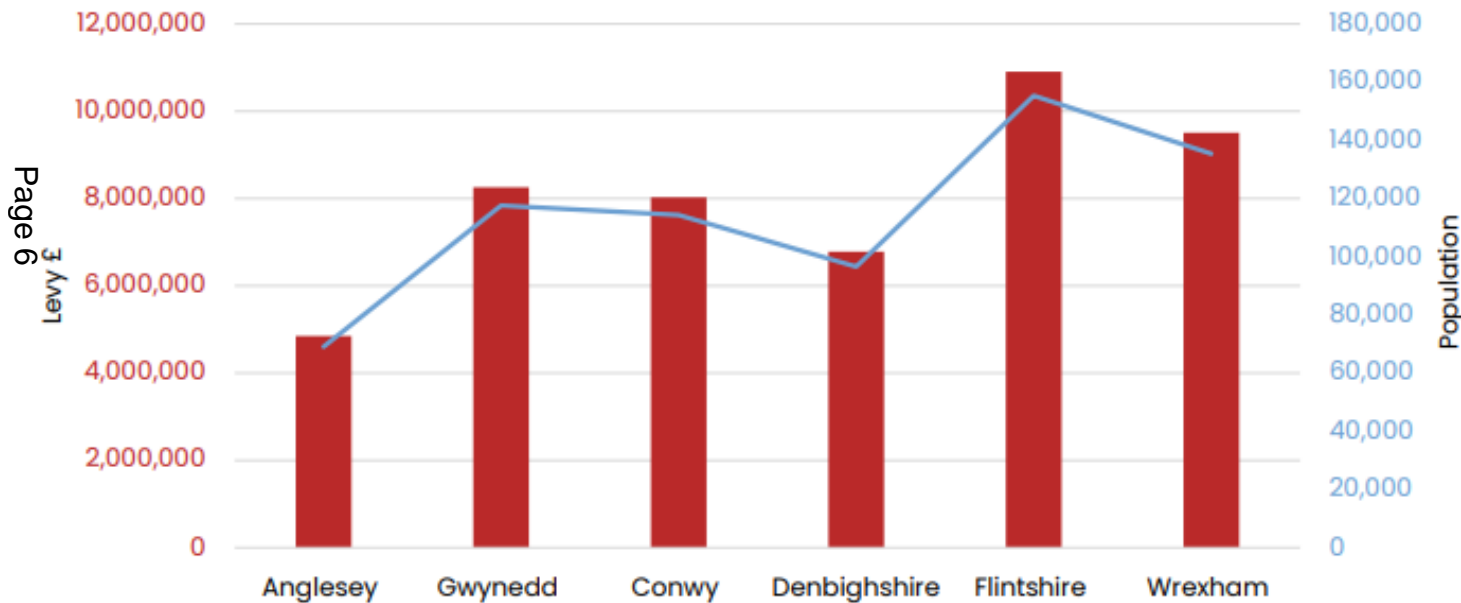
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Cyllid / Funding

2024/25 Fire Service Levy



Ynys Môn: Poblogaeth 69,049 Dosraniad 10.03% Lefi £4,848,293

Anglesey: Population 69,049 Apportionment 10.03% Levy £4,848,293

Gosodiad y Gyllideb:

- Cyfrifwyd ar sail poblogaeth y sir
- Amcangyfrif yn cael ei roi i gynghorau sir ym mis Rhagfyr
- Cadarnhau yn y mis Chwefror canlynol

Budget Setting:

- Calculated on the basis of county population
- Estimate provided to County Councils in December
- Confirmed the following February

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Parodrwydd Ynys Môn/ Anglesey Preparedness

Cynllunio ac Ymarfer Partneriaeth:

- Wedi ymgysylltu a chynrychioli ar Grwpiau Cynghori ar Ddiogelwch (SAG's) penodol i Ynys Môn
- RAF Fali – Ymarfer blynyddol ac adolygiad partneriaeth o'r Cynllun Tactegol Gweithredol (OTP)
- Ymarfer rheolaidd ar y cyd gyda Wylfa – Ymarfer nesaf Medi 2024
- Ymgysylltu drwy'r Fforwm Gwydnwch Lleol (LRF) gydag A55 'Operation Stack'
- Cynllunio ymateb morwrol gyda'r holl randdeiliaid drwy LRF ac Asiantaeth Gwylwyr y Glannau Morol
- Ymgysylltu a chynrychioli ar Grŵp Cyswllt DBFO (Dylunio Adeiladu Cyllid Gweithredu)
- Casglu ac adolygu risgiau gweithredol parhaus yn unol ag Adran 7(2)d Deddf Gwasanaethau Tân ac Achub 2004

Partnership Planning and Exercising:

- Engaged and represented on Anglesey specific Safety Advisory Groups (SAGs)
- RAF Valley – Annual exercising and partnership review of Operational Tactical Plan (OTP)
- Regular joint exercising with Wylfa – next exercise Sept. 2024
- Engaged via the Local Resilience Forum (LRF) with A55 Operation Stack
- Maritime response planning with all stakeholders via LRF and Marine Coastguard Agency
- Engaged and represented on the A55 DBFO (Design Build Finance Operate) Liaison Group
- Ongoing operational intelligence gathering and review of risks in line with Section 7(2)d of the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004

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Diogelwch Tân Busnes/ Businesses Fire Safety

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- Mae Rheolwyr Cydymffurfiaeth yn cefnogi busnesau lleol i ddeall cyfrifoldebau sy'n cyd-fynd â Deddf Diogelwch Tân 2021 a Gorchymyn Diwygio Rheoleiddio (Diogelwch Tân) 2005
- Rhaglen archwilio diogelwch tân busnes sy'n seiliedig ar risg, gan flaenoriaethu risgiau cysgu, e.e. cartrefi nyrsio a gwestai
- Gweithio gyda'r Adran Cynllunio a Rheoli Adeiladu Cyngor Sir Ynys Môn (CSYM) i adolygu cydymffurfiaeth ddeddfwriaethol cais cynllunio
- Hysbysiadau Addasu, Gorfodi a Gwahardd a roddwyd am dorri'r Gorchymyn Diogelwch Tân
- Gweithio gydag asiantaethau partner i ymchwilio i gwynion Diogelwch Tân Busnes
- Wedi hynny mae busnesau sy'n cael eu heffeithio gan dân yn cael eu monitro/ymweld â hwy gan Reolwyr Cydymffurfio
- Compliance Managers support local businesses to understand responsibilities aligned to the Fire Safety Act 2021 and the Regulatory Reform Order (Fire Safety) Order 2005
- Risk based business fire safety inspection programme, prioritising sleeping risks e.g. nursing homes and hotels
- Work with the Isle of Anglesey County Council (IOACC) Planning and Building Control Dept. to review planning application legislative compliance
- Alteration, Enforcement and Prohibition Notices issued for breach of the Fire Safety Order
- Work with partner agencies to investigate Business Fire Safety complaints
- Businesses affected by fire are subsequently monitored / visited by Compliance Managers

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Atal ac Ymgysylltu Cymunedol Ynys Môn

Anglesey Prevention and Community Engagement

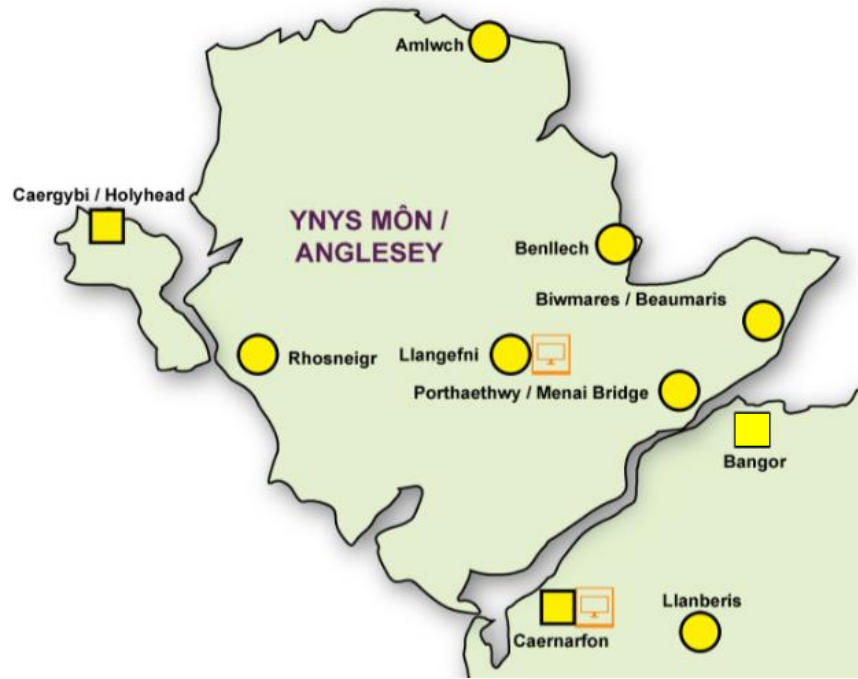
- Yn 2023/24 mae GTAGC wedi cynnal 2,303 o Archwiliadau Diogel ac Iach (SAWCs) yn Ynys Môn
- Wedi'i gynrychioli ar Gyfarfodydd Atgyfeirio Oedolion Aml-asiantaeth misol (VARM)
- Rhannu arferion gorau drwy Fforwm Ymgysylltu Cymunedol Gwynedd a Môn
- Gweithio gydag asiantaethau partner yng nghyfarfodydd Tîm Amlddisgyblaethol Ynys Môn i adolygu achosion unigol
- Datblygu cynllun gyda Heddlu Gogledd Cymru a Chyngor Sir Ynys Môn (IACC) i leihau gweryslla gwyllt
- Cefnogi digwyddiadau cymunedol ar draws Ynys Môn e.e. Sesiynau Iechyd a Lles a Chiniawau i Bobl Hŷn
- Ymgysylltu efo pobl ifanc drwy'r Cadetiaid Tân ym Mhorthaethwy ac Amlwch a Phrosiect Ffenics yn rhedeg o Langefni, Porthaethwy ac Amlwch.
- In 2023/24 NWFRS have conducted 2,303 Safe and Well Checks (SAWCs) on Anglesey
- Represented on monthly multi-agency Vulnerable Adult Referral Meetings (VARM)
- Share best practices through Gwynedd and Môn Community Engagement Forum
- Work with partner agencies on Anglesey Multi-Disciplinary Team meetings to review individual cases
- Developing a plan with North Wales Police and the IOACC to reduce wild camping
- Support community events across Anglesey e.g. Bite Sized Health and Wellbeing Sessions and Older Persons Day Luncheons
- Youth engagement via Fire Cadets in Menai Bridge and Amlwch and the Phoenix Project run from Llangefni, Menai Bridge and Amlwch.

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Questions?

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ISLE OF ANGLESEY COUNTY COUNCIL Scrutiny Report Template	
Committee:	Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee
Date:	10th July 2024
Subject:	Anglesey and Gwynedd Public Service Board Annual Report: 2023/24
Purpose of the report	To review the Annual Report of the Anglesey and Gwynedd Public Service Board for 2023/24
Scrutiny Chair:	Councillor Dylan Rees
Portfolio Member(s):	Council Leader
Head of Service:	Dylan Williams, Chief Executive
Author of the Report: Telephone Number: E-mail:	Sandra Thomas, Gwynedd and Anglesey Public Services Board Programme Manager 01286 679906 sandrallynnethomas@gwynedd.llyw.cymru
Local Members:	Not relevant to any specific ward

1 - Recommendation(s)

The Scrutiny Committee is requested to note and offer observations on the Annual Report and on the progress against the 2023 – 2028 Well-being Plan which was published in July 2023.

2 - Link to the Council's Plan / Other Corporate Priorities

Isle of Anglesey County Council is committed to the principles within the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015. The Council provides a range of services which will fulfil its individual well-being objectives, as well as contributing to supporting the well-being objectives of the Public Services Board.

3 - Principles as a Guide for Scrutiny

To assist Members when scrutinising the subject:-

- 3.1** Impact the matter has on individuals and communities [focus on the customer/citizen]
- 3.2** Look at efficiency and the effectiveness of any proposed change - financially and in terms of quality [focus on value]
- 3.3** Look at any risks [focus on risks]
- 3.4** Scrutiny taking a performance monitoring or quality assurance role [focus on performance and quality]
- 3.5** Look at plans and proposals in terms of:
 - Long term

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prevention • Integration • Collaboration • Inclusion <p>[focus on wellbeing]</p> <p>3.6 Potential impact this decision would have on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the groups protected under the Equality Act 2010 • those who experience socio-economic disadvantage in their lives (when making strategic decisions) • opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and not treat the Welsh language less favourably than English <p>[focus on equality and the Welsh language]</p>
4- Key Scrutiny Questions
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Annual Report discusses the first year of the Well-being Plan: 2023-28. What added value was introduced by working together? 2. To what extent has the cost-of-living crisis been seen to have an impact on the ability of the Public Services Board's partners to deliver against the key targets? 3. How does the Public Services Board fit into the complex regional partnership structures and maximise collaboration in order to avoid duplication on many of its workstreams? 4. What opportunities, challenges and risks face the Public Services Board going forward?

5 - Background / Context
Refer to the report in the Appendix below

6 – Equality Impact Assessment [including impacts on the Welsh Language]
6.1 Potential impact on the groups protected under the Equality Act 2010
No negative impact
6.2 Potential impact on those experiencing socio-economic disadvantage in their lives (strategic decisions)
No negative impact
6.3 The potential impact on the opportunities for people to use Welsh and treat the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language
The Public Services Board has considered and identified the need for impact assessments (e.g. Language and Equality) and assessments will be developed and used when the Board engages with our communities on specific points and to update the Well-being Assessments.
7 - Financial Implications
None

8 - Appendices

Appendix 1: 2023 – 2024 Annual Report

9 - Background Papers (please contact the Report's author for any further information):

Anglesey and Gwynedd Wellbeing Plan 2018-2023
Anglesey and Gwynedd Wellbeing Assessments 2022
Anglesey and Gwynedd Well-being Plan 2023-28

Appendix 1: Gwynedd and Anglesey Public Services Board - Annual Report 2023/24

1.0 Introduction and context:

The Well-being of Future Generations Act (Wales) 2015 places a duty on public bodies to improve the social, economic, environmental and cultural well-being of Wales. The Act is based on the sustainable development principle and places a duty on public bodies to set and publish well-being objectives and to take every reasonable step to achieve these objectives. Also, it established the Public Services Boards Act with representation from key public bodies. Every five years, Public Services Boards must prepare and publish an assessment of the state of the economic, social, environmental and cultural well-being of their areas and use this as a basis for the Well-being Plan for the next five years.

Gwynedd and Anglesey Public Services Board Membership:

- Isle of Anglesey County Council
- Cyngor Gwynedd
- North Wales Fire and Rescue Authority
- Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board
- Natural Resources Wales
- Representative of North Wales' registered social landlords
- Bangor University
- Grŵp Llandrillo Menai
- Eryri National Park Authority
- Wales Probation Service
- North Wales Police
- Public Health Wales
- Mantell Gwynedd
- Medrwn Môn
- Welsh Government

We are in the first year of the Well-being Plan 2023-28 for Gwynedd and Anglesey. There are **three specific Well-being Objectives, namely:**

- *We will work together to mitigate the effect of **poverty** on the well-being of our communities.*
- *We will work together to improve the well-being and achievement of our **children and young people** to realise their full potential.*
- *We will work together to support our services and communities to move towards **Zero Net Carbon**.*

We have also agreed to follow the Whole System Thinking Healthy Weight methodology when implementing the Well-being Objectives. This means that we would look at the work programme through a healthy weight lens and theme. This means working jointly with everyone (professionals and local communities) who could influence the flow of healthy and affordable food choices and create opportunities to allow people to move more. By working in this method, we can work at the same time to reduce health inequalities and slow down the change in the climate.

The **Welsh Language** is a permanent priority for the Board and we promote it in each area of our work, and work with communities to develop services and activities through the medium of Welsh. The Public Services Board is an opportunity to share good practice, promote the language and ensure that residents of both counties have access to all public services through the medium of Welsh.

In a period of substantial reduction in public sector resources, we believe that these are areas where we can collaborate well to ensure the best results for Gwynedd and Anglesey residents, as well as add value to the good work that is already happening within the individual organisations. All PSB members have shown a willingness to work together, to be stronger, more resilient and maintain more effective connections to improve the well-being of Gwynedd and Isle of Anglesey residents. To this end, we are utilising our relationships and networks that have been fostered over the last few years and drawing on each other's knowledge and experience.

2.0 Delivery Plan 2023 - 2025:

Instead of detailing a five-year work plan, the PSB Members agreed to continue with the short-term Delivery Plans for the Well-being Plan. The diagram below shows how the Board will prioritise achieving the objectives for the two-year period of 2023 - 2025.



3.0 Permanent Priority - The Welsh Language:

Target: The Welsh Language is a **permanent priority** for the Board since its establishment back in 2015. As noted in the Board's terms of reference: *'The main administrative language of the Public Services Board, both verbally and written, will be Welsh. All members will prepare reports bilingually.'* There is a statutory requirement for the Board to publish a Well-being Plan and establish well-being objectives every 5 years. Whilst Well-being Objectives change over time, the Board's commitment to the prioritisation of the Welsh language is unwavering. See the image on the previous page setting out the priorities with the Welsh Language in the centre and flowing through all of the Board's work:

This year we have:

- Commissioned The Welsh Centre for Language Planning (Iaith Cyf) to investigate the challenges and successes of bilingual workforce planning amongst organisations that are part of the public sector in North Wales. The research examined why public organisations across north Wales are struggling to recruit staff to posts that need Welsh speakers, and whether there was a need to adapt their own recruiting processes. The report is shared nationally with output including examples of the experiences of applicants and managers, as well as a practical checklist for managers to follow.
- Shared good practice and understanding about campaigns that support and promote the Welsh language within organisations.
- Promoted the output of the Language Sub-group's previous project to motivate and empower customers to use the Welsh language when contacting public organisations. A checklist of good practice is available for each organisation to motivate the use of the Welsh language in their receptions and contact spaces.

Looking ahead to the next year:

- We will be collaborating with Arfor and the Welsh Language Commissioner's Office to ensure a follow-up to the Language Recruitment Project, to build on the findings and review the improvements.
- We will share information and good practice with other Public Services Boards in north Wales (and beyond when opportunities arise).
- We will be working together to ensure that every workstream listed in the Well-being Plan can add value and contribute to promoting the Welsh language.

3.1 Use Whole Systems Thinking Healthy Weight Methodology:

Target: We have agreed to follow a Whole Systems Healthy Weight methodology when implementing the Well-being Objectives. This means that we would look at the work programme through a healthy weight lens and theme. This means working jointly with everyone (professionals and local communities) who could influence the flow of healthy and affordable food choices and create opportunities to allow people to move more. By working in this method, we can work at the same time to reduce health inequalities and slow down the change in the climate.

What has been achieved this year:

- Laid the groundwork to facilitate collaboration between our organisations on the Healthy Weight agenda.
- Explored the regional structures already working on the Healthy Weight agenda and put processes in place to add value to the regional work and avoid duplication.
- Weaved healthy weight themes into the actions for the three Well-being Objectives.

- Agreed the system's beliefs and goals as well as securing core organisational commitments to the Whole System Approach to Healthy Weight for the coming months.

Looking ahead to the next year, we will:

- Agree a core data set through which we can monitor progress and the impact on the residents of Gwynedd and Anglesey.
- Evidence the progress made by using the Ripple Effect Mapping process.
- Evidence the extent to which the beliefs and goals of the Healthy Weight System are integrated into each partner's core ethos.
- Share progress, ideas, challenges and answers with the partners on the Board.
- Ensure collaboration happens on both a regional and local level to ensure added value and avoid duplication.

3.2 Poverty Well-being Objective: *We will work together to mitigate the effect of poverty on the well-being of our communities.*

Target:

We will develop a detailed understanding of how poverty affects the area and look to ensure that the work happening across public bodies is more effective in mitigating the long-term effects of poverty. We will work together to gain a detailed understanding of the implications of living in poverty in our different areas. We will continue to develop the Well-being Assessments to get a detailed picture of where the lack of access to services is more challenging due to poverty.

What has been achieved this year:

- Shared the work that has already been done in the county councils to alleviate living costs and give organisations the opportunity to collaborate to promote correct and consistent information and messages.

Looking ahead to the next year, we will:

- Host local Poverty Workshops with the Bevan Foundation for the Board Members, as well as other specific officers in their organisations.
- Promote national campaigns to claim benefits with Gwynedd and Anglesey residents through a multi-agency arrangement, with consistent messages on the support available.

3.3 Children and Young People Well-being Objective: *We will work together to improve the well-being and achievement of our children and young people to realise their full potential.*

Target: We will plan preventative services and activities together to support families before the need for intensive intervention arises. We will encourage children, young people and their families to improve their health so that they can live healthily and independently within their communities in the long-term. We will work to ensure that our children and young people have positive experiences during their childhood and give priority to supporting families to ensure that every child gets the best start in life. We will also ensure that there is a clear vision among the partners to ensure the best results for children and young people.

What has been achieved this year:

- Researched in detail the regional structures to be clear on how we could add value by collaborating.

Looking ahead to the next year, we will:

- Commit to be a Public Service Board that is Trauma Informed by ensuring:
 - That officers in organisations are aware of adversity and trauma and understand how they affect people.
 - That organisations are aware of how to step in and prevent adversity and trauma from happening.
 - That organisations are aware of how to support someone that has been affected by trauma.
- Collaborate to support families and reconcile children's rights in our work.
- Take action to ensure that Gwynedd and Anglesey are every age friendly.

3.4 Climate Change Well-being Objective: *We will work together to support our services and communities to move towards Zero Net Carbon.*

Target: We will work together locally to support our communities to reduce carbon emissions and try to mitigate the impact of climate change. The Board considers that protecting the natural environment is integral to achieving its priorities and will be a common theme that runs across all the well-being objectives.

What has been achieved this year:

- Commenced work to implement the North Wales Healthy Travel Charter. A Task Group is in place with the aim of supporting Board members to adopt and implement the Healthy Travel Charter within their organisations. They would:
 - Share experiences and examples of good practice with the group, including the process of adopting the Charter, launch, implement and monitor it.
 - Identify opportunities to collaborate with other organisations when implementing the Charter, e.g. share resources on a geographical level, or when communicating with the public.
 - Lead the way for the remainder of the Board members and be a good example for the Board's other organisations to sign the Charter formally.
 - Promote the progress and the benefits of implementing the Charter with stakeholders, including internally within organisations, amongst partners, and with the public / service users.
- Newborough Project: An alternative, collaborative method of getting to grips with a significant but common issue on a specific community level was trialled, to learn and apply them so they can be appropriate in other locations. A public event was held in Newborough with a series of activities and discussions on the transport theme and access to Llanddwyn. A report has been published that brings together the standpoints and ideas shared by contributors during the event.

Looking ahead to the next year, we will:

- Continue to implement jointly on the Healthy Travel Charter by:
 - Providing practical materials for organisations to implement the Charter.
 - Support organisations to share good practice on the Charter.
 - Support individual organisations to formally commit to signing the Charter.
- Host a Local Climate Change Risk Assessment for Gwynedd and Anglesey. There will be an Overall Assessment on the Regional footprint with sub-reports on each Board area.

- Newborough Project: Continue to implement the output of the community event held in March. Use the report as part of the evidence basis used to develop a way forward for Newborough in terms of transport and access.

4.0 Scrutiny:

The Board's work is scrutinised regularly by the Scrutiny Committees of Cyngor Gwynedd and the Isle of Anglesey County Council. The Well-being Act and the associated national guidelines note three roles for scrutiny committees of Local Authorities when providing democratic accountability for the Board:

- Review the Public Services Board's governance arrangements
- Statutory consultee on the Well-being Assessment and the Well-being Plan
- Monitor the progress of the Board's efforts in the implementation of the Well-being Plan

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ISLE OF ANGLESEY COUNTY COUNCIL Scrutiny Report Template	
Committee:	Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee
Date:	10 th July, 2024
Subject:	Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme
Purpose of Report:	Assist the Scrutiny Committee in considering, agreeing and reviewing its forward work programme for 2024/25
Scrutiny Chair:	Cllr Dylan Rees
Portfolio Holder(s):	Not applicable
Head of Service:	Lynn Ball, Director of Function (Council Business) / Monitoring Officer
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Local Members:	Applicable to all Scrutiny Members

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1 - Recommendation/s
<p>The Committee is requested to:</p> <p>R1 agree the current version of the forward work programme for 2024/25</p> <p>R2 note progress thus far in implementing the forward work programme.</p>

2 – Link to Council Plan / Other Corporate Priorities
<p>Effective work programming is the foundation of effective local government scrutiny. Our Scrutiny rolling forward work programmes are aligned with the corporate priorities of the Council and corporate transformation programmes – ensuring the role of Member scrutiny makes a tangible contribution to the Council’s improvement priorities.</p>

3 – Guiding Principles for Scrutiny Members
<p>To assist Members when scrutinising the topic:-</p> <p>3.1 Impact the matter has on individuals and communities [focus on customer/citizen]</p> <p>3.2 A look at the efficiency & effectiveness of any proposed change – both financially and in terms of quality [focus on value]</p> <p>3.3 A look at any risks [focus on risk]</p> <p>3.4 Scrutiny taking a performance monitoring or quality assurance role [focus on performance & quality]</p> <p>3.5 Looking at plans and proposals from a perspective of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Long term • Prevention • Integration • Collaboration • Involvement <p>[focus on wellbeing]</p>

3.6 The potential impacts the decision would have on:

- protected groups under the Equality Act 2010
- those experiencing socio-economic disadvantage in their lives (when making strategic decisions)
- opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language

[focus on equality and the Welsh language]

4 - Key Scrutiny Questions

5 – Background / Context

1. Background

1.1 Effective work programming is the bedrock of an effective local government scrutiny function¹. Done well, work programming can help lay the foundations for targeted and timely work on issues of local importance demonstrating where Member scrutiny can add value. Good practice advocates two key issues at the heart of the scrutiny forward work programme:

- i. Challenge around prioritising work streams
- ii. Need for a member-led approach and interface with officers.

1.2 Basic principles of good work programming²

- Work programming should not be a “start-stop” process
- Complementary work programmes for separate scrutiny committees
- Balance between different methods of work
- An effective process for reporting / escalating issues to the Executive
- Input and views of internal stakeholders
- Close working with the Executive
- Links with the Annual Scrutiny Report (evaluation and improvement tool).

2. Local context

2.1 There is now a well-established practice of forward work programming which are now rolling programmes focusing on the quality of scrutiny with fewer items, to add value. They are an important tool to assist Members in prioritising their work and are discussed with the Leadership Team and Heads of Service. Both committees review the content of their work programmes on a regular basis, to ensure that they remain relevant and keep abreast with local priorities. Our local forward planning arrangements now ensure greater focus on:

- Strategic aspects
- Citizen / other stakeholder engagement and outcomes
- Priorities of the Council Plan and transformation projects
- Risks and the work of inspection and regulation
- Matters on the forward work programme of the Executive.

¹ A Cunning Plan? Devising a scrutiny work programme, Centre for Public Scrutiny (March, 2011)

² A Cunning Plan? Devising a scrutiny work programme, Centre for Public Scrutiny (March, 2011)

Outcome: rolling work programmes for scrutiny committees which are aligned with corporate priorities.

2.2 Committee chairs lead on developing the forward work programmes and are submitted to the monthly Scrutiny Chairs and Vice-chairs Forum and for approval at each ordinary meeting of the scrutiny committees. The Forum is considered an important vehicle to oversee these programmes and jointly negotiate priorities.

2.3 **“Whole council” approach to Scrutiny:** our work programmes provide a strong foundation for our improvement programme, ensuring the role that Scrutiny plays in the Authority’s governance arrangements:

- i. Supports robust and effective decision-making
- ii. Makes a tangible contribution to the Council’s improvement priorities
- iii. Continues to evolve.

3. Issues for consideration

3.1 The Scrutiny Committee receives regular update reports on the implementation of its forward work programme. A copy of the current 2024/25 work programme is attached as **APPENDIX 1** to this report for reference and includes changes made to the work programme since the Committee last considered the document.³

3.2 Where appropriate, items may be added to the Committee’s forward work programme during the municipal year. Requests for additional matters to be considered for inclusion on the work programme can be submitted via the Members Request Form for an item to be considered for Scrutiny. Requests are initially considered by the Scrutiny Chairs and Vice-chairs Forum, using the following criteria:

- the Council’s strategic objectives and priorities (as outlined in the Council Plan)
- the ability of the Committee to have influence and/or add value on the subject (A Scrutiny Test of Significance Form will be completed).

6 – Equality Impact Assessment [including impacts on the Welsh Language]

6.1 Potential impacts on protected groups under the Equality Act 2010

6.2 Potential impacts on those experiencing socio-economic disadvantage in their lives (strategic decisions)

6.3 Potential impacts on opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language

Not applicable for this overarching issue but will be considered as an integral part of preparing for specific proposals to be submitted for consideration by the Committee.

7 – Financial Implications

Not applicable.

8 – Appendices:

³ Meeting of the Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee convened on 19th June, 2024

Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee Forward Work Programme 2024/25

9 - Background papers (please contact the author of the Report for any further information):

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CORPORATE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE	PARTNERSHIP AND REGENERATION SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
May, 2024 (21/05/24)	May, 2024 (21/05/24)
Election of Chair: 2024/25	Election of Chair: 2024/25
Election of Vice-chair: 2024/25	Election of Vice-chair: 2024/25
June, 2024 (13/06/24) – Q4	June, 2024 (19/06/24) – Education / Welsh Language
Performance Monitoring: Corporate Scorecard Qtr4: 2023/24	Welsh Language: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual Report on the Welsh Standards: 2023/24 • Welsh in Education Strategic Plan: 2023/24 → Measure Progress
Annual Delivery Plan: 2024/25	
Draft Corporate Self-Assessment 2024	Nomination of Committee Member on the Finance Scrutiny Panel
Scrutiny Review of Performance Indicator 29: Letting of Council Housing – final report	
Item for Information: Ambition North Wales Qtr 4: 2023/24 Progress Report	
Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25
No meeting scheduled	July, 2024 (10/07/24) – Emergency Services
	North Wales Fire & Rescue Service
	Welsh Ambulance Services Trust
	Gwynedd & Ynys Môn Public Services Board Annual Report: 2023/24
	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25
September, 2024 (12/09/24) – Q1	September, 2024 (17/09/24) – Tackling Poverty

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Performance Monitoring: Corporate Scorecard Q1: 2024/25	Ynys Môn Citizens Advice
North Wales Corporate Joint Committee	Medrwn Môn
Annual Performance Report: 2023/24	Communities for Work Plus Programme: Annual Report 2023/24
Local Housing Market Assessment 2024	
Procurement Strategic Plan	
Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25
October, 2024 (16/10/24)	
Regional Emergency Planning Service Annual Report: 2023/24	October, 2024 (15/10/24) - Education
Annual Report North Wales Regional Partnership Board (Part 9): 2023/24	GwE Annual Report for the Isle of Anglesey: 2023/24
Finance Scrutiny Panel Progress Report	Education Scrutiny Panel Progress Report
	Menter Môn
	Ynys Môn Free Port
Item for Information: Ambition North Wales:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual Report: 2023/24 Qtr 1: 2024/25 Progress Report 	
Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25
November, 2024 (13/11/24)	
	Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board
November, 2024 (14/11/24) - Q2	
Monitoring Performance: Corporate Scorecard Q2: 2024/25	November, 2024 (20/11/24) – Crime and Disorder
Môn Actif Strategic Plan	Gwynedd & Ynys Môn Community Safety Partnership Annual Report: 2023/24
	Ynys Môn Levelling Up Programme – Measure Progress
	Modernising Adults' Services Strategic Plan
Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25
January, 2025 (15/01/25) – 2025/26 Budget (morning)	
2025/26 Budget Setting (Revenue Budget) – initial budget proposals	January, 2025 (14/01/25)
Finance Scrutiny Panel Progress Report	Corporate Safeguarding
	Ynys Môn Levelling Up Programme – Measure Progress
	North Wales Police & Crime Commissioner / North Wales Police
	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25

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January, 2025 (15/01/25) (afternoon)	
Item for Information: Ambition North Wales Qtr 2: 2024/25 Progress Report	
Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25	
February, 2025 (19/02/25) – 2025/26 Budget	
Final Draft Budget Proposals for 2025/26 – revenue & capital	February, 2025 (04/02/25) - Education
Finance Scrutiny Panel Progress Report	Education Scrutiny Panel Progress Report
	Gwynedd and Ynys Môn Additional Learning Needs & Inclusion Partnership
	Annual Report on Equalities: 2023/24
Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25
March, 2025 (11/03/25) - Q3	
Monitoring Performance: Corporate Scorecard Q3: 2024/25	March, 2025 (12/03/25)
Social Services Journey Progress Report	Natural Resources Wales
Housing Revenue Account Business Plan: 2025/2055	
Flood Risk Management Strategic Plan	
Item for Information - Ambition North Wales Qtr 3: 2024/25 Progress Report	
Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25
April, 2025 (10/04/25)	
	April, 2025 (09/04/25)
	Public Services Board – governance arrangements / scrutiny of delivery of the Wellbeing Plan
Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25	Committee Forward Work Programme for 2024/25

Items to be scheduled:

Corporate Scrutiny Committee	Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee
Census 2021	North Wales Police & Crime Commissioner / North Wales Police

Modernisation of Learning Communities and Strengthen the Welsh Language Programme	North Wales Fire & Rescue Service
Tree Strategic Plan	Welsh Ambulance Services NHS Trust
Towards Net Zero Strategic Plan	Scrutiny of Partnerships
Service Asset Management Plan 2024/34 – Smallholdings Estate	Gypsy and Traveller Accommodation Action Plan
Ambition North Wales Qtr4: 2024/25: Progress Report	Gwynedd & Ynys Môn Public Services Board – Annual Report 2024/25 (June, 2025)
	Communities for Work Plus Programme: Annual Report 2024/25 (June-July, 2025)
	Improving Reliability and Resilience across the Menai Straits
	Impact of Tourism on Anglesey Local Communities (resolution of the Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee, 21/06/2023)
	Ynys Môn Local Development Plan (full agreement)
	Scrutiny of Partnerships – annual review (March 2026)