

NOTICE of the Decisions of the hybrid meeting of the Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee Meeting held on Tuesday, 14 October 2025

Present:

Councillor Dylan Rees (Chair)
Councillor Gwilym O Jones (Vice-chair)

Councillors Non Dafydd, Douglas Massie Fowlie,
John Ifan Jones, Euryn Morris, Pip O'Neill,
Derek Owen, Margaret Murley Roberts,
Ken Taylor, Sonia Williams and Liz Wood.

Portfolio Holder

Councillor Alun Roberts – Portfolio Holder for Adult Services and Community Safety.

Apologies:

Mr John Tierney – The Catholic Church
Mrs Wenda Owen – The Church in Wales
Mrs Kathryn Seeney – Parent Governor – Primary School Sector
Ms Christina Williams – Parent Governor – Secondary School Sector and ALN

Also Present:

Portfolio Holders

Councillor Gary Pritchard – Council Leader and Economic Development Portfolio Holder (item 4).
Councillor Neville Evans – Leisure, Tourism and Maritime Portfolio Holder.
Councillor Dyfed W Jones – Children, Young People and Families Services Portfolio Holder.
Councillor Nicola Roberts – Planning, Public Protection and Climate Change Portfolio Holder.
Councillor Robin Williams – Deputy Leader and Finance and Housing Services Portfolio Holder.
Councillor Dafydd Roberts – Education and Welsh Language Portfolio Holder.

Dafydd Gruffydd - Menter Môn (for item 4)
Elen Hughes - Menter Môn (for item 4)

Ms Daron Owens – Senior Community Safety Operational Officer for Gwynedd a Môn (for item 5).
Eliw Llŷr – Housing Services, Strategy, Commissioning and Policy Manager (for item 5)

ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	2 Declaration of Interest
DECISION	<p>Councillor Sonia Williams declared a personal interest, that was not prejudicial, as she is a Business Manager for 'Bwyd Da Môn', that works in partnership with Menter Môn (item 4).</p> <p>Councillor Euryn Morris declared a personal interest, that was not prejudicial, as he is employed by Cyngor Gwynedd (item 5).</p>

ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	3 Minutes
DECISION	<p>The minutes of the previous meeting held on 16 September, 2025 were confirmed as correct.</p> <p>Action points arising from the meeting held on 12 February 2025:-</p> <p>Action: To send a letter to Welsh Government noting the need to provide additional funding for the Additional Learning Needs and Inclusion service.</p> <p>Update: A response was received by the education cabinet's secretary, highlighting Welsh Government's continuous commitment to support the Additional Learning Needs system by providing sustainable funding, supporting the workforce and events aimed at inclusive education, including more funding for ALN Coordinators, school counselling and mental health initiatives. It also recognised the current challenges, such as legal pressure, strain on the workforce, and inconsistent use of the ALN framework, with steps taken to improve clarity, regional capacity, including support for the new educational psychology programme in Bangor University.</p> <p>IT WAS RESOLVED TO attach the letter to today's meetings' minutes.</p>

ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	4 Strategic Partnership - Menter Môn
DECISION	It was RESOLVED to accept the presentation and its content.

ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	5 Gwynedd & Ynys Môn Community Safety Partnership Annual Report: 2024/25
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DECISION	<p>It was RESOLVED to note the contents of the report and supporting documents, and note that the Scrutiny Committee supports the priorities and direction of work for the future.</p>

ITEM NUMBER AND SUBJECT MATTER	6 Committee Forward Work Programme - 2025/2026
DECISION	<p>It was RESOLVED to agree on the current version of the forward work programme for 2025/2026 and to note the progress made to date in terms of actioning the forward work programme.</p>