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ISLE OF ANGLESEY
COUNTY COUNCIL

Member's Annual Report 2019/2020

This is the report by the Councillor below regarding his key activities over the year ending 31 March 2020. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose. The views expressed in this report are those of the Councillor and they do not necessarily reflect the views of the Isle of Anglesey County Council.

Councillor: Alun Roberts

Party: Plaid Cymru

Ward: Seiriol

1 - Role & Responsibilities

<p>Between 1 April 2019 and 31 March 2020, I sat on the following main committees / sub-committees:</p>	<p>Attendance Summary</p>
<p>Appeals Committee</p>	<p>Attendance Record</p>
<p>Audit and Governance Committee</p>	
<p>Corporate Scrutiny Committee</p>	
<p>Isle of Anglesey Charitable Trust Committee</p>	
<p>Isle of Anglesey County Council</p>	
<p>Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee</p>	
<p>Regeneration Committee</p>	
<p>Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education (SACRE)</p>	
<p>The above list does not include all meetings related to the work of the Council.</p>	
<p>Attendance levels may vary due to the nature of work and responsibilities of members - as portfolio holder, committee chair or representing the Council on outside bodies, for example.</p>	

I am a member of the Isle of Anglesey Charitable Trust. I am also a member of the Trust's Investment and Contracts Committee – details of my attendance at these meetings are also available on the above link.

I represent the Council on the following outside bodies:

Outside Body	Summary of role and contribution
<p>- School Governor / Beaumaris Primary School</p>	<p>Attended 4 out of 4 meetings</p>
<p>- School Governor / Ysgol David Hughes</p>	<p>Attended 7 out of 8 meetings</p>

2 - Constituency Activity

I am a member and Vice-chairman of Cwm Cadnant Community Council which I attend monthly. I am in constant contact with the clerk of the council to discuss and resolve any matters arising within the local community. I, also, attend Beaumaris Town Council, and both Llanddona Community Council and Llangoed Community Council regularly as often as possible. I prepare and report back to these councils as often as possible and act on their behalf when the needs arise. Of late, I have attended meetings of Beaumaris's Chamber of Trade.

I am glad to have been able to give support and advice to my constituents. I am available via email or the phone. I have given assistance to the electorate and their families in many different ways e.g.:

- Planning – have responded to requests to speak with the Planning department, to oppose or find more information
- Highways – Enquiries regarding a number of issues regarding roads, parking, etc., within the ward
- Environment – Dealing with complaints regarding waste not collected or waste left on sides of roads
- Housing – Contacting the department on the behalf of tenants of the council when the needs arise

As of last year, a great deal of my time at the beginning of this year has been spent on meeting constituents and taking part in public meetings, etc in support of the primary schools in Beaumaris, Llandegfan and Llangoed due to the proposed reorganization and/or modernization of schools in the Seiriol ward as well as the recent consultation on lowering the school age for full attendance of Ysgol Llandegfan.

3 - Initiatives and Special Activities

As a Member and vice-chairman of the Scrutiny panel I have had the privilege of meeting many Anglesey school Heads and Chairs of the Governors. I have, also, this year visited several schools on the island to observe lessons etc., As a former teacher I feel I have a lot to offer to this panel. I have, also, shadowed meetings of GWE with teachers of the county. This has enabled me to gain further insight into the changing face of education during these exciting times.

4 - Learning and Development

Information about the learning and development initiatives I have attended during the past year is available here (information supplied by the Isle of Anglesey County Council): [Training](#)

5 - Other Activities and Issues

I am glad to be able to assist in my community. As during last year, this last year has been a huge learning curve but as, of late, in a totally new way, but a journey and experience I have enjoyed. Due to the situation with Covid-19. Meetings have moved

from being ones in the flesh to ones online on Zoom, Teams etc. This has included meetings within the County Council, Community Councils and even with 1 or 2 electors. Two matters that have taken a lot of time and attention of late are the safe opening of local schools and the safe opening of shops and businesses in the Town of Beaumaris. I have, also, helped a number of electors to deal with matters resulting from the Covid-19 outbreak as well.

I look forward to being of assistance and support to the residents of my ward in the future.

More information about me can be found here: [Councillor Alun Roberts](#)

Councillor Alun Roberts	July 2020
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