

Carmarthenshire County Council Councillor's Annual Report 2015-2016

This annual report outlines the activities of the Councillor named below for the period May 2015 to May 2016 (the Council's Municipal Year). It is provided for the information of constituents, and for no other purpose. The views expressed in the report are those of the Councillor and do not necessarily reflect the views of Carmarthenshire County Council.

Councillor: Louvain Roberts	Electoral Division: Glanymor
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Section 1: Role & Responsibilities		
Council Committees	Attendance Record	
	Number	In Attendance
County Council	14	12
Social Care & Health Scrutiny Committee	5	2 [^]
Appeals Committee	3	2
Appointments Committee A – Directors	2	2
Member Appointments Committee	3	3
Standards Committee	7	5
Community Scrutiny Committee		1*
Joint Community Scrutiny Committee and Planning Committee		1*
[^] Attended as observer		
*Attended as substitute		

Section 2: Constituency Activities
<p>I have dealt with ongoing issues during the earlier part of the year, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Travellers at the Copperworks site • Maliphant Apartments, including safety issues with landscaping; waste land surrounding the Apartments • Derelict properties / empty garages & properties • Anti-social behaviour • Initiated the 'one way' system on Glanmor Road. Awaiting the implementation on George Street • Requested a change to the colour of lines from yellow to white around Maes y Morfa School – for safety reasons • Requested a pavement on the right hand side – opposite Crown Park (Embankment Road) • Ongoing issue to revive the bus links with Hafan y Morfa • Ongoing issues re the new school at Copperworks site • Obtained Section 106 money for football nets for Bwlch Football Club • Requested further Section 106 money to upgrade Pen y Morfa Park • Dealt with flytipping, including asbestos, builders' waste • Requested extra bins for New Dock Apartments

- Pursuing ongoing problem of derelict land opposite New Dock Post Office
- Assisting constituents with applications for benefits
- Initiated the idea of a phlebotomy service within the Antioch Centre – clinics held 3 times a week; also afternoon teas within the Centre
- Assisting people with requests for housing

Section 3: School Governing Bodies

I am on the Governing Bodies of Lakefield CPSchool and Coedcae CP School.

Section 4: Outside Body Representation

<i>List of outside bodies</i>	<i>Attendance Record</i>	
	Number	Attended
Llanelli Town Council – Traffic Group	4	4
Felinfoel Education Centre	2	2

Section 5: Other Activities and Issues

- Attended anti-social behaviour meetings within the Ward
- Requested Council/Police to consider sensitive lettings within the Ward
- Attended meetings of Carmarthenshire Youth & Children’s Association; Seaside Residents’ Association; Morfa Residents’ Association; SCAG – Safer Community Action Group; N.S.P.C.C.
- Initiated the set up of Granby Close Residents’ Group
- Hold weekly surgery in the Ward with Police attending
- The Bobby Van is sited at various locations weekly
- In the process of having meetings with residents to collect money to purchase defibrillators (one in Morfa, one in Seaside)

During the year I did have a period of sickness (March to June 2016)

Signed by Councillor: Louvain Roberts

Date: 13/06/16