Carmarthenshire County Council Councillor's Annual Report 2022-2023

This annual report outlines the activities of the Councillor named below for the period May 2022 to May 2023 (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: Meinir James	Electoral Division: Llangyndeyrn

Section 1: Role & Responsibilities

Council Committees:

Full Council

Health and Social Care Scrutiny Committee Health and Social Care Task and Finish Group Corporate Parenting and Safeguarding Panel

Attendance Record: <u>Attendance record - Cllr. Meinir James (gov.wales)</u>

Section 2: Constituency Activities

Responded promptly to queries and issues raised by my constituents via email, social media, face-to-face chat, phone call or letter. I tried to get a response and resolution to the issues raised and some cases remain open, and unresolved at this time.

Attended relevant meetings for issues raised within the ward including a public meeting in Llandyfaelog regarding the Bute Energy/GreenGen Cymru consultation to build windmills in the Towy Valley.

Attended community events within the Ward.

Part 3: School Governing Bodies				
List of School Governing Bodies	Attendance Record			
	Number of meetings	Percentage		
Bro Myrddin Comprehensive School (since September 2022) – Full Body and Finance and Buildings sub-committee	6	85%		
Carway, Pontyates and Ponthenri	1	0%		
Federation School (May 2023) – Full Body		(absent due to Covid)		

Part 4: School Governing Bodies		
List of School Governing Bodies	Attendance Record	
	Number of meetings	Percentage
The Thomas and Elizabeth Williams Scholarship Fund Committee	1	100%

Section 5: Learning & Development

- I attended the majority of the training sessions that were provided to us as Advisors during the year.
- I completed a Carbon Literacy Course and received a Carbon Literacy Certificate.
- I attended compulsory and optional training that was provided for School Governors.

Section 6: Other Activities and Issues

- Member of Llandyfaelog Community Council
- Visitor to Llangyndeyrn Community Council
- Treasurer of Eisteddfod Gadeiriol Llandyfaelog
- Co-organiser of a club for Welsh learners/speakers in the Llandyfaelog area
- Member of St Ishmael's Appeal Committee, 2023 Carmarthenshire Urdd Eisteddfod
- Following a number of bereavements of close family members in January 2023 I had to take a compassionate leave of absence from my duties for a month

Signed by Councillor: M W James	Date: 31.7.2023