



Annual Report 2017/18

Councillor Huw Wyn
Jones

Garth (Bangor) Ward

Plaid Cymru



The purpose of the report is to help constituents know more about the work and activities of their elected members during the year

[This link leads](#) to the Council's website, which shows the details of the committees and outside bodies on which I serve, as well as my attendance record.

Main Electoral and Community Activities

- Held two public meetings to discuss the plans of the Watkin Jones company to construct flats on the former Dickies boatyard site, started an on-line petition against the development and collaborated with local groups such as the Bay Residents' Society and the Bangor Civic Society on this matter.
- Commenced discussions with Cadw to see whether it was possible for them to take over the maintenance work of Bangor Pier.
- Held discussions with the University and the Council about attempting to improve the safety of Love Lane in the hope of being able to reopen the footpath through the University's Park, giving pedestrians the option to avoid Love Lane, and to also slow down traffic on the roads.
- Collaborated with other Bangor councillors to attempt to change the speed restrictions of Bangor's smaller streets from 30mph to 20mph. A 20mph recommendation is currently only in place between Upper Bangor and the Pier, and surrounding the Hirael streets.
- Collaborated with other Bangor councillors to persuade Bangor letting agencies to reduce the number of 'To Let' signs across the city.
- Involved in successful litter gathering session in the ward that was arranged as part of the Bangor Spring Clean.

Meetings, Seminars and Training that I attended

- Bangor City Council (The Council, Planning and Amenities Committee, Finance and General Objectives Committee, and the Pier Sub-Committee)
- Ysgol Hiraef Governor
- Ysgol Tryfan Governor
- Bangor University Liaison Group
- Storiell Development Trust
- Planning Committee - 2017 20/11/17
- Training on Outcome based Planning - Review Team 20/11/2017
- Leading and Contributing to Effective Committees 19/07/17
- Information about People: Your Own Responsibility 19/07/2017
- Responsibilities of the Audit Committee 14/06/2017
- Planning Committee - 2017 26/05/2017
- Introduction to Planning (2017) 26/05/2017
- Induction for Members 2017 - Information 10/05/2017
- Induction for Members 2017 - Code of Conduct 10/05/2017
- Induction for Members 2017 - Technology 10/05/2017
- Induction for Members 2017 - Democracy 10/05/2017
- Induction for Members 2017 - Support for Members 10/05/2017