

Annual report 2020

Councillor M J Kearn Ward: Pyle  
Party Labour

This report identifies my key activities during the year ending 30th April 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 do not necessarily reflect the views of Bridgend County Borough Council.

#### Role & Responsibilities

I was elected to Bridgend County Borough Council to represent Pyle ward on May 2017, this reporting year I have continued to undertake a variety of roles within the Council, including being appointed to several committees.

I have supported the residents of my ward on a variety of issues and have formally raised 60 plus constituent queries with the Council and other organisations. This is in addition to informally addressing a number of other issues which constituents have asked me to help them resolve.

I have spoken on behalf of constituents of Pyle and Kenfig Hill regarding their collective concerns regarding the planned recycling plant at Pyle industrial estate, in addition I have raised concerns on behalf of individuals.

As a Borough Councillor I facilitated a consultation between BCB and local residents regarding the feasibility study for the new Primary School for Kenfig Hill.

Supported the establishment of a new play park at Waun Cimla being provided by Pyle Community Council and liaised with BCBC on their behalf.

Represented resident's issues regarding the proposed traffic lights along the A48/Heol Mostyn.

Regularly attended PACT meetings and liaised with BCBC and police regarding speeding traffic along Marshfield Avenue.

To enable me to be more effective in my role as your representative, I have attended a number of Member Development Activities to ensure that my knowledge of national and local issues is maintained.

Further information of my roles, responsibilities and activities can be found on HYPERLINK "<http://www.bridgend.gov.uk>" [www.bridgend.gov.uk](http://www.bridgend.gov.uk) Constituency Activity

#### Creativities and Special Activities

I am also an elected member of Pyle Community Council and attend monthly council meetings.

As a member of Pyle Community Council I have led the campaign for the provision of safe crossing points along the main road (B4281) through Kenfig Hill i.e. opposite Heathbridge House Surgery Bridge Street and opposite Pysgah Chapel, Pysgah Street.

Along with other elected community councillors I am an active member of the local Festival Day Committee which plans and coordinates an annual Festival Week.

As both an elected member of BCBC and Pyle Community Council I have officially attended a range of social engagements.

#### Other Activities/Issues

I was an active member of the local Covid 19 committee established by Pyle Community Council to ensure local residents received the support they needed during the early months of the covid 19 pandemic i.e. the home delivery of meals to the elderly and vulnerable by Talbot Community Centre, Kenfig Hill, essential shopping supplies and prescriptions.

Councillor M J Kearn Date: 2020