

# BCBC Councillor's Annual Report

**Councillor R Williams**

**Ward: Pencoed and Penprysg**

## **Party: Welsh Labour**

This report identifies my key activities during the year **1<sup>st</sup> May 2023 to 30<sup>th</sup> April 2024**. 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 CBC in 2008, 2012, and 2022.

I have undertaken several roles within the Council, being appointed to the following committees:

Licensing Committee  
Development Control Committee  
Scrutiny 2 Committee  
Town & Community Council Forum

I have supported the residents of my ward on a variety of issues and have formally raised 31 referrals/"Report It" issues with the Council, plus other informal issues brought to my attention.

The total number of meetings attended/WFH is 86 plus 2 surgeries. These meetings have enabled me to fulfil my role as your representative, and have assisted me to ensure that my knowledge of national and local issues affecting the Council and my ward is maintained

### **Constituency Activities**

I continue to campaign for the replacement of the Penprysg railway bridge, and the renewal of the comprehensive and primary schools to ensure that Pencoed children learn in modern facilities.

I attended one meeting of the Pencoed RFC Committee, concerning the available facilities.

I work closely with Coychurch Community Council in order to improve public services in the village.

Issues raised include poor bus services, Japanese Knotweed, and dangerous pavements.

I have also liaised with Pencoed Town Council, of which I have been a member since 2004.

The number of meetings attended above does not include 30 meetings with Pencoed Town Council.

**Other Activities**

I attended a public meeting organised by Pencoed Town Council in order to discuss the parking issues at Pencoed primary school, raised by residents who live in close proximity to the school.

Other issues include road adoptions and potholes.

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**Date: 19<sup>th</sup> June 2024**