



**WREXHAM COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL  
MEMBER ANNUAL REPORT**

**This is the report by the Councillor below regarding their key activities over the year ending 31 May 2013. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose.**

**Councillor: Hugh Jones**

**Party: Welsh Conservative**

**Ward: Rossett**

### **Section 1: Role & Responsibilities**

I sit on the following committees :

- Full Council
- Executive Board
- Pay and Reward Panel
- Executive Board Sub-Committee (Corporate Trusts)
- Wrexham SACRE
- Youth Justice Service Management Board

I sit on the following external committees :

- Association of Voluntary Organizations in Wrexham (AVOW) Executive Committee - as Lead Member for Partnerships.
- Interim Joint Advisory Committee for the Clwydian Range and Dee Valley area of Outstanding Natural Beauty.
- Mersey Dee Alliance
- North Wales Safer Communities Board – as Lead Member with responsibility for Crime and Disorder
- Welsh Books Council - as Lead Member with responsibility for Libraries.
- Wrexham Community Safety Partnership – as Lead Member with responsibility for Crime and Disorder

### **Section 2: Constituency Activity**

- Rossett Community Council member
- Governor Darland High School
- Governor St Peters Church in Wales Primary School
- Member of the Rossett Village Festival Committee
- Attend meetings of the Rossett and Burton Village Hall Committee
- Member of RECAP
- Obtaining agreement in principle to introduce a 20 mph scheme outside Darland High School
- Negotiating with Arriva to implement service changes to bus services to reduce overcrowding at peak school hours
- Leading on organizing concert that raised over £1,000 in support of the Village Hall
- Leading on the introduction of a scheme to solve the flooding issues on Darland Lane

### **Section 3: Initiatives and Special Activities**

- Negotiating and introducing the new Service Level Agreement for PCSOs giving more responsibility for local policing to Community Councils.
- Chair of the North Wales Safer Communities Board
- Working to ensure appropriate oversight to the £6m spent on substance misuse by the Area Planning Board

- Working as part of the team seeking to secure the Wrexham Prison

#### **Section 4: Learning & Development**

- Attended the Welsh Local Government Leadership Academy
- Attended numerous meetings relating to Crime and Disorder

#### **Section 5: Other Activities and Issues**

- Trustee of Jigsaw – charity aimed at reducing reoffending