



WREXHAM COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

MEMBER ANNUAL REPORT

This is the report by the Councillor below regarding their key activities over the year ending May 2017 It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose.

Completion instructions

Councillors are free to include as much or as little information as they wish in each section, however, the report is to be kept to a 2-page (maximum) format.

Councillor: Brian Cameron

Party: Welsh Labour

Ward: Whitegate

Section 1: Role and Responsibilities:

I sit on the following Committees

**Safeguarding Communities and Well Being Scrutiny Committee
Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Committee
Environmental Licensing Committee & any Sub Groups Required
Democratic Services
Joint Consultative - None Teaching Union Committee
Joint Consultative -Teaching Unions Committee**

I attend Full Council

**I am an elected member of Caia Park Community Council
I am an elected member and Chair of Caia Park and Hightown Community First Cluster Board.
I attend the Smithfield, Hightown and Whitegate Residents Forum
I Attend Caia Park Housing Communications Group
I Attend the Council Executive Board meetings on a regular basis
I am Vice Chair of Wrexham Labour Group & a member of Wrexham CLP.
I am an appointed School Governor for Gwenfro Community Primary School and also sit on sub groups when required.**

Section 2: Constituency activity

I deal with the many concerns from residents in a timely manner with face to face meeting or by telephone or email, always returning to inform residents whatever the outcome.

I hold regular Environmental Cleaning Days clearing refuse and disposing of items that residents may no longer require which have proved very helpful for residents

I attend regular coffee mornings held monthly at Pentre Gwyn Community Centre where residents can raise concerns with me.

I meet regularly with the Caia Park Housing Manager and the Streetscene supervisor regarding many issues that are in the ward.

Due to the announcement made by the Ministry of Defence to close the administration/base of the Royal Mechanical and Engineers (REME) at Hightown Barracks I was actively involved along with adjoining ward member for Hermitage Cllr. Graham Rogers, in organising a petition. On numerous weekends throughout January/ March 2017 this petition was available to sign in Wrexham Town centre, a total in excess of 2000 signatures being collected with we then presented to local MP Ian Lucas for him to raise in the House Parliament.

Having spoken to him recently he has confirmed that the question raised is still awaiting a response.

Section 3: Initiatives and Special Activities:

I have met with Surveyors in Pentre Gwyn & Tan Y Coed to see if the land in these areas is suitable for house building this is ongoing.
I have been having regular meeting with the Highways Department re road traffic issues particularly speeding and I will continue do so.
I have been involved in relation to issues with the building of the Bungalow for Adults with Special Needs on Rubery Way with the building work progressing
I have Campaigned for Disabled Residential Parking with the help of the Labour Group this is still ongoing.

Section 4: Learning & Development Undertaken:

I continue to attend all member workshops on many issues to increase my knowledge and understanding on all matters across the authority.
I continue to attend all training and development courses including Core Training where required.

Section 5: Other Activities and Issues:

I have built a good relationship with the local PCSO and meet him on a regular basis.
If necessary I contact either Mr Ian Lucas MP or Ms Lesley Griffiths AM on matters that I am unable to resolve.

Signature of Councillor: Cllr. Brian Cameron

Date 11th September 2017