

RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNCILLOR'S ANNUAL REPORT

This is the report by **Councillor Joy Rosser** below regarding her key activities over the year ending 31 March 2018. It is provided for the information of all constituents and for no other purpose.

*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 this **2 page (maximum)** format.*

Councillor: Joy Rosser

Electoral Division: Trealaw

Section 1: Role & Responsibilities

All responsibilities associated with the role of a County Borough Councillor abiding by the Councillor Code of Conduct.

Cabinet Member for Education and Lifelong Learning

- Secondary, Primary, Nursery, Welsh Medium, Dual Language and Special Needs Education
- Educational Attainment and Standards
- 21st Century Schools Agenda
- Liaison with Further and Higher Education
- Schools and Community
- Learning Access, Engagement and Inclusion
- Governor Support
- Education other than at School
- Adult Education
- Libraries

Member of the following Committees/Bodies

- Council
- Cabinet
- Central South Consortium Joint Education Service
- Central South Consortium Advisory Board (Chair)
- WLGA
- Welsh Joint Education Committee (WJEC)
- Welsh Language Cabinet Steering Group (Vice Chair)
- School Budget Forum (Chair)
- Welsh in Education - WESP – (Executive Function)
- Coleg y Cymoedd
- Corporate Parenting Board
- Local Education Authority Governors (Chair)

Section 2: Constituency Activity

- Supporting and representing residents on a wide range of issues.

- Representing individuals and local organisations, undertaking casework on their behalf.
- Liaison with Council Officers acting as advocate on behalf of residents.
- Attendance at PACT meetings.
- Liaison with Police and PCSO regarding issues affecting the community.
- Promotion of community cohesion
- Instigated traffic calming measures on main road through village.
- Working with Community Safety, Police and PCSO on ASB in the area.

Section 3: Initiatives and Special Activities

- Founder member of Trealaw Village Trust – a not for profit voluntary organisation that promotes facilities and activities in the area. Projects have included extra curricular activities in schools, health awareness/ environmental awareness events, time bank/volunteer initiatives, community art projects.

Current projects:

- Twice weekly craft sessions at All Saints Church Trealaw.
- Anthology Project including 10 groups from Mid Rhondda, each producing their own book with the support of a writer and illustrator.
- Due to start is a Reminiscence Project, which will be intergenerational - including older people and children and young people.

Section 4: Learning & Development

- Attendance at relevant training for Councillors including Council seminars and conferences.
- Attendance at Council briefings on a range of functions that the Council is responsible for delivering.
- Training on legislative or service delivery change.

Section 5: Other Activities and Issues

- On the Board of Governors for Trealaw and Alaw Primary Schools.
- Member of Parish Church Council.
- Helped with grant application for roof repair at the Church Hall.
- Governor of Trealaw and Alaw Primary Schools
- On committee of Judges Hall Trust
- Member of Trealaw Village Trust.

Signature of Councillor:

Jay Rosser

Date: 31.5.2018