ANNUAL REPORT- 2014/15

Councillor: Eirwyn Williams Group: Independent

Ward: Cricieth

Purpose of the annual report:

The aim of the Annual Report is to assist the electorate to become better informed of the work and activities of their elected local authority member during the year.

Role and responsibilities:

Councillor for the ward of Cricieth. Member of the Corporate Scrutiny Committee, Services Scrutiny Committee, Planning Committee, Welsh Language Committee and the Dwyfor Area Committee.

The following constituency activities were held:

Ensuring that the work of re-surfacing three roads in the town is completed.

Ensuring the re-surfacing of the Ty'n Rhos Estate car park

Leading and supporting the work of improving local facilities for families on the promenade.

Assisting residents with clearing the beach from the castle to Black Rocks and clear a spot at Aber Marchnad. Cricieth

Arranging support from other organisations in order to maintain the wild garden in Cricieth.

Assisting with organising a Christmas party for the children of Cricieth by securing contributions from local businesses.

The following initiatives and activities were held:

I was a leading member lobbying for the Council to take part in the Cyd Cymru Scheme in order to secure the opportunity for residents to benefit from cheaper energy.

I attended the following Committees:

COMMITTEE	PRESENT
The Council	5
Corporate Scrutiny Committee	5
Services Scrutiny Committee	5
Planning Committee	15
Welsh Language Committee	4
Preparatory Meeting for Corporate Scrutiny Committee	3
Preparatory Meeting for Services Scrutiny Committee	4
Dwyfor Area Committee	5

Percentage of Attendance: 96%

I was not able to attend the following Committee(s) due to the following reasons:

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I participated in the following additional meetings, seminars, investigations and workshops:

Welsh Medium Education Scrutiny Investigation

Savings Scrutiny Workshops

Ysgol Eifionydd (Governor)

Gwynedd Challenge Scrutiny Workshops

I represented Gwynedd Council on the following outside bodies:	I represented Gwynedd Council in the following meetings:
Ysgol Treferthyr (Governor)	-

I attended the following Learning and Development training sessions:

Corporate	Date
Effective Governance	9/4/2014
Waste Strategy	7/5/2014
Workshops on Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults	7/5/2014, 24/6/2014 4/7/2014
Leading Communities through Change	2/7/2014

Transforming Social Services	17/9/2014
Training for Members & Substitutes of the Planning Committee	26/11/2014
Webcasting	26/11/2014
Safe Leadership	5/12/2014
The New Schools Categorisation Procedure	14/1/2015
Corporate Parenting	25/2/2015

Additional	Date	
Follow Up: Coaching Skills	16/5/2014	
Planning Training	15/5/2014	
Speed Reading	2/7/2014	
Introduction to Social Media	8/7/2014	
Assertiveness and Dealing with Difficult People	20/3/2015	
Time Management and Coping with Stress	17/4/2015	·

Total Number of hours: 53.5 hours