

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR R.J. BERTIN

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR HOUSING, BUILDING MAINTENANCE AND
COMMUNITY SAFETY

TERROR ARRESTS

Will the Cabinet Member for Community Safety please give us an update on the recent terror arrests in Barry?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR R.J. BERTIN

TO THE LEADER

BRIDGEND MERGER

Can the Leader please inform us why all Members of this Council were not consulted prior to an approach being made with Bridgend Council for a merger?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR R.J. BERTIN

TO THE LEADER

JOB LOSSES

With the latest estimate of 500 job losses being recently announced – do we yet have any indication where the jobs are likely to go in this Authority?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR J.W. THOMAS

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR REGENERATION, INNOVATION, PLANNING
AND TRANSPORTATION

UPGRADE TO FIVE MILE LANE

In the Regeneration Section of the Council's Corporate Plan at R6 Members will be aware that it states that the Council will work with our transport partners to promote and develop options to improve strategic highway and public transport improvements between Barry and Cardiff and the M4. (2013/14). I am sure Members will agree that this is desperately needed. Barry is the largest town in Wales and if it is to thrive then it must have reasonable strategic highway infrastructure. Indeed this is critical to Barry's Regeneration.

At present during much of the working day the traffic using roads to Cardiff and the M4 from the east is as often as not stationary, and this situation is going to further deteriorate as more and more houses are built in this area. To the north of Barry is the Five Mile Lane, which is well named. It is completely unsuitable to serve the largest Town in Wales. When you also factor in the fact that this lane is the route used by most people to travel to Wales's one and only International Airport and the St Athan Enterprise Zone – it is abundantly clear that it is not fit for purpose. I understand that there is Welsh Government money available, the design of a new road is well underway but that work to remedy matters will not start until 2016. It is somewhat unclear as to what is going on. As such, are you able to update Council on the plans to upgrade 5 Mile Lane so that it is better able to serve the Regeneration of Barry, passengers using the Airport and businesses seeking to relocate to the Enterprise Zone?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR R.L. TRAHERNE

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR CHILDREN'S SERVICES

BUDGETARY PRESSURES IN CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE SERVICES

Ever increasing demand, budgetary pressures, the failures of Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services and the daily demands of dealing with increasingly complex and often exceptionally difficult issues mean that all our excellent staff in Children and Young People Services are under a great deal of pressure. This is particularly so for our Social Workers. How are they coping?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR R.L. TRAHERNE

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR ADULT SERVICES

MAINTAINING HIGH STANDARDS IN CARE HOMES

Many elderly and frail people in Care Homes, often suffering from dementia, are vulnerable and it is clearly vital to ensure that their needs are being met in a dignified and caring manner. Can the Cabinet Member explain how the Vale of Glamorgan Council ensures that high standards of care are maintained in Care Homes across the Vale, both in our own Care Homes and also in the Independent Sector?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR R.L. TRAHERNE

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR HOUSING, BUILDING MAINTENANCE AND
COMMUNITY SAFETY

HOUSING OPTIONS FOR OLDER PEOPLE

On page 15 of the Vale of Glamorgan Council's Corporate Plan under the Housing Section and Meeting Local Housing Need, Action H2 is to '*develop a wide range of options for older people requiring support and prepare a feasibility study for the provision of an older people's village. (2013/14)*'. Has any progress been made in achieving this objective?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR DR. I.J. JOHNSON

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR HOUSING, BUILDING MAINTENANCE AND
COMMUNITY SAFETY

CASTLELAND RENEWAL AREA

What assessment have you made of the success of the Castleland Renewal
Area?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR DR. I.J. JOHNSON

TO THE LEADER

2016/17 BUDGET DISCUSSIONS

What preliminary discussions has the Leader held about the 2016/17 budget?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR DR. I.J. JOHNSON

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR ADULT SERVICES

WELSH GOVERNMENT STANDARDS FOR LIBRARIES

One of the three Welsh Government standards for libraries in 2013-14 which this Council did not achieve was the percentage of staff with a formal qualification in library and information studies. What has the Council done to reach this Standard in the current year?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR DR. I.J. JOHNSON

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR ADULT SERVICES

INTERMEDIATE CARE FUND ASSESSMENT

What assessment have you and officers made of the Intermediate Care Fund in assisting pressures in social care?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR DR. I.J. JOHNSON

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR LEISURE, PARKS, CULTURE AND SPORT
DEVELOPMENT

TOWN CENTRE PARKING CHARGES IN THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN

What impact assessment has been made of proposals to introduce town centre parking charges in the Vale of Glamorgan?

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM COUNCILLOR DR. I.J. JOHNSON

TO THE CABINET MEMBER FOR REGENERAQTION, INNOVATION, PLANNING
AND TRANSPORTATION

REVISED POPULATION HOUSEHOLD PROJECTION PAPER

The Cabinet Member said in May that she intended to present to the Cabinet in early Autumn a revised population household projection paper for the LDP. When is that paper to be presented?