

Agenda Item No. 13

Question No. 1

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

QUESTION PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 8:2

FROM: COUNCILLOR J. PROTHEROE

TO: THE DEPUTY LEADER AND CABINET MEMBER FOR SUSTAINABLE
PLACES

CLIMATE CHANGE

How is the council planning to understand and act upon the need to adapt community buildings and schools to address the impact of climate change?

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FROM: COUNCILLOR W.A. HENNESSY

TO: THE EXECUTIVE LEADER AND CABINET MEMBER FOR PERFORMANCE
AND RESOURCES

WORKFORCE SAFETY

Will the Cabinet Member please outline the measures the Council has implemented to ensure the safety of its workforce, particularly refuse collection operatives, street cleaning staff, and litter pickers, and whether any further improvements are planned?

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FROM: COUNCILLOR S.T. WILIAM

TO: THE CABINET MEMBER FOR NEIGHBOURHOOD AND BUILDING SERVICES

SOUTH CENTRAL BATHING WATERS PROJECT

Councillors recently received presentations from Dŵr Cymru Welsh Water and Natural Resources Wales about the South Central Bathing Waters Project, which aims to better understand the poor quality water quality rating in some of our local beaches.

What role will the Council be playing in this research project, and how will local Ward Councillors in Baruc be involved?

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IMPACT OF CLIMATE CHANGE

How does the Council identify those who are most at risk from the impact of climate change and what is being done to assist the most vulnerable?

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FROM: COUNCILLOR S.J. HAINES

TO: THE CABINET MEMBER FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT, EQUALITIES
AND REGULATORY SERVICES

RESPONSE TIMES TO QUESTIONS AT FULL COUNCIL

Would the Cabinet Member clarify what the Council considers to be a reasonable timeframe for a Councillor or member of the public to receive a response to a question asked at Full Council?

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FROM: COUNCILLOR N.P. HODGES

TO: THE CABINET MEMBER FOR EDUCATION, ARTS AND THE WELSH LANGUAGE

HEATWAVES AFFECTING SCHOOLS

The recent heatwave at the end of June led to risk assessments and school closures in the Vale, for example at Romilly Primary School, which affected many children, parents and teachers.

With high temperatures now increasing in frequency, what plans does the Council have for the school estate, in particular, so that this is not repeated?

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FROM: COUNCILLOR E. PENN

TO: THE EXECUTIVE LEADER AND CABINET MEMBER FOR PERFORMANCE
AND RESOURCES

CHILD POVERTY

The UK Government announced in the last budget the removal of the two-child limit in Universal Credit from April of this year as part of its Child Poverty Strategy. Government analysis estimates that this change will benefit around two million children across the UK and reduce the number of children living in relative poverty by approximately 450,000 by the end of this Parliament.

Given the Vale of Glamorgan Council's commitment to tackling poverty, improving educational attainment and supporting families could the Cabinet Member outline how the Council intends to maximise the positive impact of this policy for eligible families in the Vale.

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FROM: COUNCILLOR G.D.D. CARROLL

TO: THE CABINET MEMBER FOR PUBLIC SECTOR HOUSING AND TENANT
ENGAGEMENT

ALLOCATION OF NEW BUILD HOMES WITHIN THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN

Will the Cabinet Member outline the Council's policy regarding the allocation of new build homes within the Vale of Glamorgan?

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FROM: COUNCILLOR A.M. COLLINS

TO: THE CABINET MEMBER FOR NEIGHBOURHOOD AND BUILDING SERVICES

ONE-WAY SYSTEM IN HIGHLY CONGESTED STREETS IN BARRY

What recent assessment has been made of the possibility of introducing a one-way system in highly congested streets south of Holton Road such as St Mary's Avenue, Castleland Street, Station Street and Kingsland Crescent?

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FROM: COUNCILLOR G.D.D. CARROLL

TO: DEPUTY LEADER AND CABINET MEMBER FOR SUSTAINABLE PLACES

PUBLIC SAFETY AT VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNTRY PARKS

What action is the Council taking to protect public safety at its country parks?

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FROM: COUNCILLOR C.M. COWPE

TO: THE DEPUTY LEADER AND CABINET MEMBER FOR SUSTAINABLE
PLACES

POST OFFICE IN DINAS POWYS

Dinas Powys used to have three Post Offices, but in a community of 9,000 residents, the last surviving office is likely to close. What can the Vale Council do to support the campaign to ensure that a Post Office service is retained in Dinas Powys?

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ASSESSMENTS AT WEYCOCK CROSS ROUNDABOUT

What assessments did the Council undertake of capacity at the Weycock Cross roundabout before allocation a site adjacent to this junction in its Deposit Replacement Local Development Plan?

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FLY-TIPPING IN THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN

What action is the Council taking to combat fly-tipping across the Vale of Glamorgan?

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EFFECTIVENESS OF REFORMS TO SCRUTINY ARRANGEMENTS

What is the Council's assessment of the effectiveness of the reforms to Scrutiny arrangements introduced last year?