

Votes and Proceedings – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Y Senedd

Meeting date:

Wednesday, 14 February 2018

Meeting time: 13.30

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1 Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Energy, Planning and Rural Affairs

The item started at 13.30

Questions 2 and 4–10 were asked. Questions 1 and 3 were not asked. Question 5 and 9 were answered by the Minister for Minister for Environment. The Presiding Officer invited party spokespeople to ask questions to the Cabinet Secretary after question 2.

2 Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Finance

The item started at 14.15

The first 8 questions were asked. The Presiding Officer invited party spokespeople to ask questions to the Cabinet Secretary after question 2.

3 Topical Questions

The item started at 15.12

To ask the Minister for Children and Social Care:

[Simon Thomas \(Mid and West Wales\)](#): Will the Cabinet Secretary make a statement on children's services in Powys, in the wake of a report by the Mid and West Wales Safeguarding Board regarding the death of a child in the care of the County Council?



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4 90 Second Statements

The item started at 15.32

Llyr Gruffydd made a statement on Corwen Times/Y Cyfnod.

Vikki Howells made a statement on Species Champions 'Show the Love' this Valentines Day.

Jayne Bryant made a statement on the rugby player Arthur 'Monkey' Gould.

Motions to elect a Member to committees (5 mins)

The item started at 15.37

NDM6659 [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Jack Sargeant (Labour) as a Member of the External Affairs and Additional Legislation Committee in place of Dawn Bowden (Labour).

NDM6660 [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Jack Sargeant (Labour) as a Member of the Equality, Local Government and Communities Committee in place of Mick Antoniw (Labour).

NDM6661 [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Jack Sargeant (Labour) as a Member of the Culture, Welsh Language and Communications Committee in place of Lee Waters (Labour).

5 Member Debate under Standing Order 11.21(iv) – Unadopted roads

The item started at 15.37

NDM6635

[Dai Lloyd \(South Wales West\)](#)

[David Melding \(South Wales Central\)](#)

[Nick Ramsay \(Monmouth\)](#)

[Mike Hedges \(Swansea East\)](#)

Supported by

[Vikki Howells \(Cynon Valley\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Notes the number of roads in Wales which are unadopted, and are therefore not maintained by the relevant local authority.
2. Notes that a number of developers have not built roads on new estates to adoptable standards.
3. Recognises that there are weaknesses in the house-buying process, which does not always ensure that buyers have sufficient financial retentions in place to bring these roads up to the local authority's adoptable standard.
4. Recognises that house buyers are often faced with having to invest significant sums of money in order to bring roads up to the local authority's adoptable standard.
5. Notes that many of these roads remain unadopted and in a bad state of repair, for a number of years, sometimes in perpetuity.
6. Calls on the Welsh Government to establish a taskforce, to include local authorities, the legal profession, developers and other key stakeholders, with a view to developing improvements to the house buying and road adoption process.
7. Seeks to develop a Wales-wide programme to deliver a reduction in the number of unadopted roads in Wales.

The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

6 Debate on the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee's report into loneliness and isolation

The item started at 16.37

NDM6654 [Dai Lloyd \(South Wales West\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Notes the report of the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee on loneliness and isolation, which was [laid](#) in the Table Office on 7 December 2017.

The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

7 Welsh Conservatives debate – Mental health

NDM6658 [Paul Davies \(Preseli Pembrokeshire\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Recognises the importance of good mental health.
2. Regrets that some people with mental health conditions face injustices and challenges when accessing services.
3. Calls on the Welsh Government to ensure that Wales's health and social care sectors are able to deliver effective, preventative mental health services.

Voting on the motion under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

A vote was taken on the motion without amendment:

NDM6658 [Paul Davies \(Preseli Pembrokeshire\)](#)

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For	Abstain	Against	Total
41	0	6	47

The motion without amendment was agreed

8 Voting Time

The item started at 18.44

9 Short Debate

The item started at 18.45

NDM6650 [Mark Isherwood \(North Wales\)](#)

Getting smart with fuel poverty.

The meeting concluded at 19.06

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Tuesday, 27 February 2018

NDM6658 Dadl y Ceidwadwyr Cymreig ar y cynnig heb ei ddiwygio / NDM6658 - Welsh Conservatives debate on the motion without amendment

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Enw / Name	Plaid Wleidyddol / Political Party	Pleidlais / Vote
Adam Price	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Yn erbyn / Against
Alun Davies	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Andrew RT Davies	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
Angela Burns	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
Ann Jones	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Bethan Jenkins	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Caroline Jones	Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party	O blaid / For
Carwyn Jones	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Dafydd Elis-Thomas	Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Annibynnol / Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Independent	O blaid / For
Dai Lloyd	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Yn erbyn / Against
Darren Millar	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
David J Rowlands	Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
David Melding	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
David Rees	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Dawn Bowden	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Elin Jones	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Eluned Morgan	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Gareth Bennett	Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party	O blaid / For
Hannah Blythyn	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Hefin David	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Huw Irranca-Davies	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Jack Sargeant	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Jane Hutt	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Janet Finch-Saunders	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
Jayne Bryant	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Jenny Rathbone	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Jeremy Miles	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
John Griffiths	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Joyce Watson	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Julie James	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Julie Morgan	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Ken Skates	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Kirsty Williams	Democratiaid Rhyddfrydol Cymru / Welsh Liberal Democrats	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Leanne Wood	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Lee Waters	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Lesley Griffiths	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Llyr Gruffydd	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Yn erbyn / Against
Llywydd / Presiding Officer	Llywydd / Presiding Officer	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Lynne Neagle	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Mandy Jones	Mandy Jones - Annibynnol / Mandy Jones - Independent	O blaid / For
Mark Drakeford	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Mark Isherwood	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
Mark Reckless	Aelod o Grŵp y Ceidwadwyr Cymreig/Member of the Welsh Conservative Group	O blaid / For
Michelle Brown	Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party	O blaid / For
Mick Antoniw	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Mike Hedges	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Mohammad Asghar	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
Neil Hamilton	Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party	O blaid / For
Neil McEvoy	Neil McEvoy - Annibynnol / Neil McEvoy - Independent	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Nick Ramsay	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
Paul Davies	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
Rebecca Evans	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Rhianon Passmore	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Rhun ap Iorwerth	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Yn erbyn / Against
Russell George	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	O blaid / For
Sian Gwenllian	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Yn erbyn / Against
Simon Thomas	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Yn erbyn / Against
Steffan Lewis	Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Suzy Davies	Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Vaughan Gething	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For
Vikki Howells	Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party	O blaid / For

O blaid / For:	41
Ymatal / Abstain:	0
Yn erbyn / Against:	6
Cyfanswm / Total:	47