

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Y Senedd

Meeting date:

Wednesday, 30 November 2022

Meeting time: 13.30

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This meeting will be held in a hybrid format, with some Members in the Senedd Chamber and others joining by video-conference.

1 Questions to the Minister for Finance and Local Government

(45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call Party Spokespeople to ask questions without notice to the Minister after Question 2.

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2 Questions to the Minister for Rural Affairs and North Wales, and Trefnydd

(45 mins)

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3 Topical Questions

(0 mins)

No Topical Questions were accepted

4 90 Second Statements

(5 mins)



5 Debate on the Finance Committee report – Post-EU Funding Arrangements

(60 mins)

NDM8149 [Peredur Owen Griffiths \(South Wales East\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

Notes the report of the Finance Committee: Post-EU funding arrangements which was [laid](#) in the Table Office on 10 October 2022.

The response of the Welsh Government to the report was [laid](#) in the Table Office on 23 November 2022.

The [response](#) of the UK Government to the report was received on 21 November 2022.

6 Debate on the Culture, Communications, Welsh Language, Sport, and International Relations Committee report – Levelling the playing field: A report on participation in sport and physical activity in disadvantaged areas

(60 mins)

NDM8152 [Delyth Jewell \(South Wales East\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

Notes the report of the Culture, Communications, Welsh Language, Sport, and International Relations Committee ‘Levelling the playing field: A report on participation in sport and physical activity in disadvantaged areas’ which was [laid](#) in the Table Office on 15 August 2022.

Note: The response of the Welsh Government to the report was [laid](#) in the Table Office on 23 November 2022.

7 Debate on petition P-06-1302 – Protect Mid-Wales’ unique Cambrian Mountains: designate them an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty

(30 mins)

NDM8146 [Jack Sargeant \(Alyn and Deeside\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

Notes the petition '[P-06-1302 Protect Mid-Wales' unique Cambrian Mountains: designate them an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty](#)' which received 20,889 signatures.

8 Welsh Conservatives Debate – Wales COVID-19 inquiry special purpose committee

(30 mins)

NDM8150 [Darren Millar \(Clwyd West\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 16.5:

1. Establishes a Wales COVID-19 inquiry special purpose committee.
2. Agrees that the remit of the committee is:
 - a) to identify where the UK COVID-19 inquiry is not able to fully scrutinise the response of the Welsh Government and Welsh public bodies to the COVID-19 pandemic;
 - b) to undertake an inquiry into the areas identified;
3. Agrees that the committee will be dissolved no later than December 2024 following a Plenary debate on its final report.

Co-submitters

[Sian Gwenllian \(Arfon\)](#)

9 Welsh Conservatives Debate – Small businesses

(30 mins)

NDM8151 [Darren Millar \(Clwyd West\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

1. Notes that Small Business Saturday will take place on the 3 December 2022.
2. Recognises the vital contribution small businesses make in sustaining local economies, developing communities and creating jobs.
3. Calls on the Welsh Government to use the levers it has to better support small businesses in Wales.

10 Voting Time

11 Short Debate

(30 mins)

NDM8147 [Natasha Asghar \(South Wales East\)](#)

A safety net for children: delivering children's right to be safe online

The Senedd will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Tuesday, 6 December 2022

Agenda Item 1

Oral Questions tabled on 23/11/2022 for answer on 30/11/2022

The Presiding Officer will call party spokespeople to ask questions without notice after Question 2.

MINISTER FOR FINANCE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Altaf Hussain *South Wales West*

1 OQ58771 (e)

What discussions has the Minister held with colleagues in local government about the use of financial reserves?

Sioned Williams *South Wales West*

2 OQ58788 (w)

What consideration has the Minister given to the impact of the autumn statement on the Welsh Government financial support that will be available for local authorities in South Wales West?

Ken Skates *Clwyd South*

3 OQ58770 (e)

What assessment has the Minister made of the impact of the UK Government's autumn statement on the management of Welsh Government resources?

Janet Finch-Saunders *Aberconwy*

4 OQ58781 (e)

What discussions has the Minister had with the Minister for Climate Change regarding the impact of temporary accommodation spend on local authority budgets?

Jack Sargeant *Alyn and Deeside*

5 OQ58786 (e)

What assessment has the Minister made of the impact of the rising cost of living on local government services?

Andrew R.T. Davies *South Wales Central*

6 OQ58793 (e)

What discussions is the Minister having with local authorities about the use of local government reserves?

Alun Davies *Blaenau Gwent*

7

OQ58773 (e)

What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the impact of the UK Government's autumn statement on the work of public service boards?

Llyr Gruffydd *North Wales*

8

OQ58797 (e)

What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the impact of the devolution of setting income tax thresholds to Wales?

Peredur Owen Griffiths *South Wales East*

9

OQ58784 (e)

What discussions has the Minister had with the Minister for Social Justice regarding the allocation of additional finance to local authorities to enable them to look after the most vulnerable residents?

Paul Davies *Preseli Pembrokeshire*

10

OQ58774 (e)

Will the Minister outline the Welsh Government's infrastructure investment plans for Pembrokeshire for the next 12 months?

Mark Isherwood *North Wales*

11

OQ58776 (e)

What consideration does the Minister give to the Equality Act 2010 when allocating the revenue support grant for local authorities?

Heledd Fychan *South Wales Central*

12

OQ58790 (e)

What are the agreed measures between the Minister and the Minister for Economy regarding the value for money and effectiveness of Welsh Government investment in promoting Cymru as part of the Cymru Men's Football Team participation in the World Cup?

MINISTER FOR RURAL AFFAIRS AND NORTH WALES, AND TREFNYDD

Peredur Owen Griffiths *South Wales East*

1

OQ58785 (e)

How is the Government securing a viable future for farming?

Joyce Watson *Mid and West Wales*

2

OQ58798 (e)

Will the Minister provide an update on the implementation of the animal welfare plan for Wales?

Ken Skates *Clwyd South*

3

OQ58772 (e)

What consideration has the Cabinet Standing Committee for North Wales given to cross-border collaboration through the Mersey Dee Alliance?

John Griffiths *Newport East*

4

OQ58787 (e)

Will the Minister outline the Welsh Government's policies to encourage community engagement with farming?

Luke Fletcher *South Wales West*

5

OQ58791 (e)

What progress has the Minister made regarding collaboration with the UK Government on the Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill?

Rhun ap Iorwerth *Ynys Môn*

6

OQ58794 (w)

Will the Minister make a statement on the Government's long-term plans to follow the LEADER scheme?

Peter Fox *Monmouth*

7

OQ58789 (e)

What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the impact of the current avian flu outbreak on egg producers in Wales?

Andrew R.T. Davies *South Wales Central*

8

OQ58792 (e)

What action is the Welsh Government taking to add to food processing capacity in Wales?

Carolyn Thomas *North Wales*

9

OQ58783 (e)

What conversations has the Minister had with cabinet colleagues regarding house building in North Wales?

Cefin Campbell *Mid and West Wales*

10

OQ58779 (w)

What steps is the Welsh Government taking to support the wool sector in Mid and West Wales?

Sarah Murphy *Bridgend*

11

OQ58795 (e)

How is the Minister working with the Minister for Education and Welsh Language to incorporate local food produce into the free school meals scheme?

Janet Finch-Saunders *Aberconwy*

12

OQ58782 (e)

What steps is the Minister taking to increase food productivity in Wales?