

## ***FULL COUNCIL - INFORMATION REPORT***

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*To: Mayor, Ladies and Gentlemen*

## **Remuneration Paid to Members 2014-2015**

### **PURPOSE OF THE REPORT:**

To inform Councillors of the salary, travel and subsistence payments provided to elected and co-opted members of the Council for the year 2014/15

### **1.0 INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND**

- 1.1 In accordance with Section 151 of the Local Government Measure (Wales) 2011, the Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales (IRPW) requires authorities to make arrangements for the annual publication of the remuneration received by its members and co-opted members.
- 1.2 The information relating to the payments must be published and a copy provided to the IRPW no later than 30 September following the end of the year to which the payments relate.
- 1.3 A copy of the document detailing payments for individual members is attached at Appendix One and has also been published on the Council's website.

### **2.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATION(S)**

- 2.1 The salary levels were agreed in the 2014/2015 budget, and there are no unforeseen financial implications.

### **3.0 SINGLE INTEGRATED PLAN AND SUSTAINABILITY IMPACT SUMMARY**

3.1 The Single Integrated Plan & Sustainability Impact Assessment has been completed and there will be no impact on the Corporate Plan and Single Integrated Plan.

### **4.0 EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

4.1 An Equality Impact Assessment (EqIA) form has been prepared for the purpose of this report. It has been found that a full assessment is not required at this time. The form can be accessed on the Council's website/intranet via the 'Equality Impact Assessment' link.

**GARETH CHAPMAN**  
**CHIEF EXECUTIVE**

<b>BACKGROUND PAPERS</b>		
<i>Title of Document(s)</i>	<i>Document(s) Date</i>	<i>Document Location</i>
IRPW Annual Report	2014/2015	MTCBC website
Schedule of Member Remuneration	2014/2015	MTCBC Website

***Consultation has been undertaken with Executive Board in respect of each proposal(s) and recommendation(s) set out in this report.***

**APPENDIX 1**

Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Council  
Civic Centre, Castle Street, Merthyr Tydfil, CF47 8AN

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**Salary and Travel and Subsistence payments provided to Elected and Co-opted Members of the Council for the FINANCIAL year 2014/15 The IRPW determinations are made on the MUNICIPAL year**

Elected Members		Salary	Subsistence	Travel
Howard Barrett	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Christopher John Barry	Cabinet Member	£25,959.82		
Rhonda Mary Braithwaite	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Stephen Paul Brown	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Brent Anthony Carter	Cabinet Member	£25,959.82		
Anthony Chaplin <sup>1</sup>	Basic Salary	£13,175.04		
David Martin Davies	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Margaret Gwlithyn Davies	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Thomas Graham Davies <sup>2</sup>	Basic Salary	£12,869.97		
Ernest Charles Galsworthy	Basic Salary	£13,285.19	£435.41	£1,581.82
Neil Greer <sup>3</sup>	Basic Salary	£439.17		
David Gareth Isaac	Deputy Mayor	£13,902.46		
David Leslie Jarrett <sup>3</sup>	Basic Salary	£6,635.21		
Allan Jones	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Clive Thomas Jones	Chair of Planning & Licensing	£21,989.32		
David Edward Jones	Cabinet Member	£25,959.82		
Gareth Jones	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Harvey Russell Jones	Cabinet Member	£25,959.82		£448.65
Gareth Lewis	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Thomas Charles Lewis	Chair of Scrutiny	£21,989.32		£9.90
Brian Edward Mansbridge	Mayor	£18,503.79	£231.84	
Linda Amy Matthews	Cabinet Member	£24,209.99		
John Allan McCarthy <sup>4</sup>	Basic Salary	£8,687.88		
Ann-Marie Kathryn Moran	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Lisa Victoria Mytton	Chair of Scrutiny	£21,989.32		
Darren Roberts <sup>1</sup>	Chair of Scrutiny	£21,909.96		
Leighton Edgar Smart	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
William Richard Smith	Chair of Scrutiny	£21,989.32		
Raymond Thomas	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Richard Thomas	Leader of the Opposition	£21,989.32		£635.85
Brendan Toomey	Leader of the Council	£42,917.18		
Clive Tovey	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		
Phillip Williams	Deputy Leader	£29,978.71		
Simon Martin Williams	Basic Salary	£13,285.19		

Co-opted Members		Salary	Subsistence	Travel
David Alan Gibby	Audit Committee	£1,188.00		
Michael John Harbinson	Standards	£99.00	£1.50	£37.80
Reginald John Harvey	Standards	£99.00		£34.20
Elizabeth Gwyneth Martin-Jones	Standards	£198.00		£3.60
Yvonne Wood	Standards	£99.00		
Peter Willet Young	Standards	£99.00		£9.00

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<sup>1</sup> Chose to forego part of salary

<sup>2</sup> Retired

<sup>3</sup> Died in service

<sup>4</sup> Was elected part way through the financial year