



**VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL**  
**COUNCILLOR'S ANNUAL REPORT – MAY 2023 – MAY 2024**

<b>Name of Councillor</b>	Chris Franks	<b>Group</b>	Plaid
<b>Ward</b>	Dinas Powys	<b>Date Last Elected</b>	May 2022

**Council Positions / Committee Memberships Held (May 2023 – May 2024)**

Corporate Performance and Resources Scrutiny Committee  
Standards Committee  
Glamorgan Heritage Coast Advisory Group  
Public Protection Licensing Committee  
Statutory Licensing Committee  
Standards Committee Appointments Committee

**I am also a member of, and contribute to the work of, the following Outside Bodies, School Governing Bodies and Partnerships:**

**Council representative**

St Cyres School

**Other (e.g. WLGA capacity)**

## Constituency Activity and Achievements

Continuing to support the development of Dinas Powys Library and Activity Centre.

Support the work of Dinas Powys Voluntry Concern.

Helped to manage the budget of St Cyres School.

Assisted in the annual Remembrance Day commemorations.

Helped organise the 'Carols around the Christmas Tree' event.

Improve safety and security by being a part of the team that ensure lighting was provide at Dinas Powys Station and along a path to Caerleon Road.

Worked to ensure a new Play Ground was provided at Caerleon Road.

Worked to ensure addition equipment was provide at Seel Park and Drylla play areas.

Assisted in the Annual Village Show.

Campaigned against inappropriate development across Dinas Powys.

Represented residents on a range of issues including highway maintenance, housing matters, traffic concerns, etc.

Promoted the provision of public transport.

Supported improvements to walking and cycling routes.

Made representations regarding GP services.

## Learning and Development

This section covers your Personal Development in your role as a councillor. You should include all training events that you have participated in and any developmental events that you have attended.

DATE	BRIEFING / TRAINING UNDERTAKEN	MANDATORY
Nov-23	Easy Conf Hybrid Meetings iDev module	Yes
10.07.23	Annual Self Assessment workshop	No
06.11.23	Planning training	No
08.11.23	Easy Conf Hybrid Meeting Solution Drop in Session	No
27.11.23	Budget Briefing	No
15.11.23	Information shared with Members re Additional Personal Security Awareness run by WLGA	

**Priorities For The Year Ahead**

To continue to serve the people of Dinas Powys and the Vale.

**Signature Of Councillor:** C. P Franks\_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_7 June 2024\_\_\_\_\_