Clerk’s Schedule A – June 2025

1.  **Revised Financial Arrangements – One Voice Wales**

Dear Member Council,

**REVISED FINANCIAL REGULATIONS 2025**

Please find attached the revised financial regulations which include reference to the Procurement Act 2023 and the Procurement (Wales) Regulations 2024 – the changes are marked in RED on pages 9 and 10.

The web-link to read the provisions of the Procurement (Wales) Regulations 2024 is:

<https://www.legislation.gov.uk/wsi/2024/782/contents>

Kind regards,

**Paul Egan BA, Chartered MCIPD, CILCA, F.Inst LM, FIPSM**

**Deputy Chief Executive and Resources Manager / Dirprwy Brif Weithredwr a Rheolwr Adnoddau**

Recommendation: To be read. No action required.

**2. Practice Developement Notes**

Here are some further Practice Development Notes which we hope Councils find useful. They can also be seen on our website. [Practice Development Notes - One Voice Wales](https://www.onevoicewales.wales/services/practice-development-notes/)

Regards/Cofion

**David Collins**

**Governance and Policy Practice Development Officer/**

**Swyddog Datblygu Arfer Llywodraethu a Pholisi**

One Voice Wales / Un Llais Cymru

Recommendation : To be read. No action required at this point.

3**. Correspondence from member of the public concerning the use of Welsh at the site of the dam disaster.** The individual was concerned that the memorial is only in English. Holding reply beneath.

Diolch o galon am yr ymateb Barbara.

Cofion gorau, Ieuan.

**Oddi wrth:** Barbara Baldon <bebaldon@gmail.com>
**Anfonwyd:** Dydd Iau, 15 Mai 2025 09:50
**At:** ieuan\_parry@outlook.com <ieuan\_parry@outlook.com>
**Pwnc:** Eich ebost - Dam Disaster Memorial

Annwyl Mr. Parry,

Diolch am eich ebost.

Tynnaf hyn i sylw'r chngor a chaiff ei drafod yn eu cycarfod nesaf ddechrau Mehefin.

Byddaf yn ymateb eto ar ol y cyfarfod hwnnw.

Barbara Baldon

Clerk/Clerc

Recommendation: Council to discuss and advise what response to be offered.

**4. Wellbeing Future Generations – Post Legislative Scrutiny**

Dear Chair and Clerk

Welsh Government is currently undertaking post-legislative scrutiny of the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015. 2025 mark ten years since the Well-being of Future Generations (Vanessa) Act 2015 gained Royal Assent. Following a decade of the existence of the Well-being of Future Generations Act, the Equality and Social Justice Committee considers it timely to undertake post-legislative scrutiny of the impact and effectiveness of the legislation.

The terms of reference for the inquiry are to consider:

how far the intended objective of the Act is being achieved;

any action which should be taken to improve the effectiveness of the Act and its implementation, including any specific drafting issues;

whether the review and reporting requirements under the Act are being met;

the effectiveness of guidance made under the Act;

how far the Act has been legally binding and enforceable; and

how far the Act has represented, and will continue to represent, value for money.

Responses are invited by 11 June  2025.

A link to further information can be found at:  <https://business.senedd.wales/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?IId=45792>

One Voice Wales will be preparing a response and submitting evidence.  In order to inform the response I am seeking members views on the content of the inquiry by the end of the day, **Tuesday 3 June 2025.** My email is cjones@onevoicewales.wales

In addition, your Council is welcome to respond directly to the inquiry and you may have already received an invitation to do so.

I look forward to hearing from you

Recommendation: Any council members that have a particular interest in this may wish to offer a response.

**5. Community Mentors to work with Welsh Government**

Dear All

Welsh Government are looking for up to 10 community mentors to work with the Welsh Government to deliver the childcare and playwork actions in the Anti-racist Wales Action Plan.

This is an exciting opportunity for people from all over Wales who have lived experience of racism and experience of childcare and play to shape Welsh Government’s anti-racist future.

We are keen to encourage applications from a wide and diverse range of individuals and so are promoting this opportunity as far and wide as we can.

Further information on the opportunity can be found here:  [Childcare and playwork community mentors opportunities [HTML] | GOV.WALES](https://www.gov.wales/childcare-and-playwork-community-mentors-opportunities-html#172516)

Applications should be submitted by **4pm on 23 June 2025.**

I would be grateful if you could share this opportunity with your networks.

Recommendation: Any council members who have an interest in this should apply directly.

6. Swansea University Dear Awareness E Learning Package

We are excited to invite you to an upcoming event where we’ll be gathering feedback on our newly updated **DeafAware eLearning package**!

This package was developed by Deaf people in Wales, working closely with an interdisciplinary team, and aims to improve the knowledge of health and care staff about Deaf awareness. After receiving valuable feedback in 2023, we’ve made improvements to the course, and now we want to engage with you!

On **24th June**, join us for a focused discussion about the DeafAware eLearning package, which includes:

* A brief history of the package’s development
* Facilitated breakout sessions with specific questions (shared beforehand)
* Plenty of time for open discussion

**How to Participate:**

1. **Register via Eventbrite** to reserve your place. [Eventbrite link click to book your place](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/feedback-event-on-new-wales-deafaware-elearning-package-tickets-1319713993079?aff=oddtdtcreator) for 24th June 2025 10am start online.
2. Once registered, you’ll receive the eLearning link to complete the package before the event. **You will need to allow around two hours to prepare by participating in the DeafAware eLearning package before the event**.
3. Join us on 24th June for the feedback session!

Recommendation: Any council members that are particularly interested in this subject may wish to book a place

7. Email correspondence re schedule of events on Dolgarrog Commemoration Event.

Two emails have been received from direct descendants of the Evans family who perished in the Dam Disaster enquiring as to our plans for the day. A holding response has been sent to both.

Recommendation: The council may wish to consider whether these descendants should be directly invited to the Commemoration Service with seats allocated? It also highlights the requirement now to have a draft schedule of events available to send out to members of the public/enquirees.