SCHEDULE OF MEMBER REMUNERATION 2016-17

Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council, in compliance with Part 8 (sections 141 to 160) and schedules 2 and 3 of the Local Government (Wales) Measure 2011 and the Independent Remuneration Panel for Wales (IRPW) regulations, is required to produce annually a schedule of payments it intends to make to its members and co-opted members.

This schedule may be cited as the Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council Schedule of Member Remuneration and shall have effect from May 2016.

Basic Salary

The basic annual salary shall be £13,300.

Senior Salary (inclusive of Basic Salary)

- (a) For 2016/17 a Senior Salary shall be paid to those Councillors who hold special responsibilities in relation to the authority that are specified in Annex 1 to this schedule. The number of Senior Salaries shall not exceed 17 plus the Mayor and Deputy Mayor.
- (b) The amount of each such salary shall be the amount specified in Annex 1.

Co-opted Member Payments

Definition of Official Business

Official Business means:

- a. Attending a meeting of the Authority or of any Committee of the Authority, or of any body to which the Authority makes appointments or nominations, or of any Committee of such a body.
- b. Attending a meeting of any association of authorities of which the authority is a member.
- c. Attending any other meeting, the holding of which is authorised by the authority, or by a committee of the authority, or a joint committee of the authority and one or more other authorities.
- d. Attending any training or development event approved by the authority or its executive.
- e. A duty undertaken for the purpose or in connection with the discharge of the functions of an executive.
- f. A duty undertaken in connection with the discharge of a function of the authority which empowers or requires the authority to inspect or authorise the inspection of premises
- g. Any other duty approved by the authority, or any other duty of a class so approved, undertaken for the purpose, of or in connection with, the discharge of the functions of the authority or any of its committees.

Members of Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council for Municipal Year 2016-17

MEMBERS ENTITLED TO BASIC SALARY	AMOUNT OF	COMMENTS
	BASIC	
	SALARY	

The following named elected members of the authority:-

	SENIOR SALARIES ENTITLEMENTS (includes basic salary)		ANNUAL AMOUNT OF SENIOR SALARY	COMMENTS
	ROLE	MEMBER		
1	Leader	Stephen Thomas	£43,000	Relinquished salary of £180 per annum
2	Deputy Leader	James McIlwee	£30,000	
3	Executive Member – Financial Management & Strategy	Hedley McCarthy	£26,000	
4	Executive Member – Education	Keren Bender	£26,000	
5	Executive Member – Environment	Haydn Trollope	£26,000	Relinquished salary of £340 per annum
6	Executive Member – Social Services	Graham Bartlett	£26,000	
7	Executive Member – Corporate Services	David White	£26,000	Relinquished salary of £340 per annum
8	Chairperson of Corporate Overview Scrutiny Committee	Malcolm Cross	£22,000	Relinquished salary of £125 per annum
9	Chairperson of Education Scrutiny Committee	John Morgan	£22,000	Relinquished salary of £125 per annum
10	Chairperson of Economy, Environment & Infrastructure Scrutiny Committee	Malcolm Dally	£22,000	Relinquished salary of £90

Scrutiny Committee

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	Chairperson of Social Services			salary of £125 per
				annum
15	Not used			
16	Not used			
17	Not used			
	A maximum of 17 senior salaries for Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council may be paid and this is not exceeded.			