

Agenda – Culture, Communications, Welsh Language, Sport, and International Relations Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 3 – Senedd

Meeting date: 24 October 2024

Meeting time: 09.30

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Hybrid

Pre-meeting registration

(09.15 – 09.30)

Public

1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

(09.30)

2 Impact of funding reductions for culture and sport: Evidence session with local government representatives (8)

(09.30 – 10.30)

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Roland Evans, Assistant Head of Economy and Community, Cyngor Gwynedd

Amanda Davies, Managing Director, Byw'n Iach

Huw Thomas, Culture, Arts and Leisure Spokesperson, Welsh Local Government Association

Sarah Ecob, Head of Economy and Culture, Conwy County Borough Council

Emily Owen, Deputy Leader, Conwy County Borough Council

Attached Documents:

Research brief



Senedd Cymru
Welsh Parliament

Cyngor Gwynedd consultation response (English Translation by Senedd Commission)

Welsh Local Government Association written evidence

Conwy County Borough Council consultation response

Break

(10.30 – 10.40)

3 Impact of funding reductions for culture and sport: Evidence session with sports representatives (9)

(10.40 – 11.40)

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Andrew Howard, Chief Executive Officer, Welsh Sports Association

Fergus Feeney, Chief Executive Officer, Swim Wales

Vicki Sutton, Chief Executive Officer, Netball Wales

Attached Documents:

Welsh Sports Association consultation response

Swim Wales consultation response

4 Paper(s) to note

(11.40)

4.1 Impact of funding reductions for culture and sport

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Attached Documents:

Letter to Amgueddfa Cymru – Museum Wales: Inviting written evidence in relation to the Committee's inquiry into the impact of funding reductions for culture and sport – 14 October 2024

Letter from Graffeg: Expressing concerns about the financial support for the publishing sector in Wales – 14 October 2024

Letter from Firefly Press: Expressing concerns about the financial support for the publishing sector in Wales – 16 October 2024

Firefly Press Catalogue 2024

4.2 Welsh Government international relations

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Attached Documents:

Letter from the Chair of the Public Accounts and Public Administration Committee: Invitation to join the Public Accounts and Public Administration Committee on a visit to Cardiff Airport – 16 October 2024

4.3 Public service broadcasting in Wales

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Attached Documents:

Correspondence from Ofcom: Providing an update on Channel 4 licence renewal – 15 October 2024

5 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of this meeting

(11.40)

Private

6 Impact of funding reductions for culture and sport: Consideration of citizen engagement findings

(11.40 – 11.55)

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Attached Documents:

Engagement findings

7 Impact of funding reductions for culture and sport: Consideration of evidence

(11.55 – 12.20)

8 Cross-Committee visit to Ireland: Visit report and next steps

(12.20 – 12.30)

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Attached Documents:

Draft visit report