

Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee

Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 2 – Senedd**

Meeting date: **Wednesday, 10 June 2015**

Meeting time: **Times Not Specified**

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Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:

Christine Chapman AM (Chair)
Peter Black AM
Alun Davies AM
Bethan Jenkins AM (In place of Jocelyn Davies AM)
Janet Finch–Saunders AM
Mike Hedges AM
Mark Isherwood AM
Gwyn R Price AM
John Griffiths AM (In place of Gwenda Thomas AM)
Rhodri Glyn Thomas AM

Witnesses:

Dr Chris Llewelyn, Welsh Local Government Association
Peter Thomas, Vale of Glamorgan Council
Stephen Smith, City and County of Swansea
Paul Belford, Clwyd–Powys Archaeological Trust
Ken Murphy, Dyfed Archaeological Trust
Andrew Davidson, Gwynedd Archaeological Trust
Andrew Marvell, Glamorgan–Gwent Archaeological Trust

Committee Staff:

Elizabeth Wilkinson (Second Clerk)
Chloe Davies (Deputy Clerk)
Matthew Richards (Legal Adviser)

TRANSCRIPT

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1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

- 1.1 The Chair welcomed Members and members of the public to the meeting.
- 1.2 Apologies for absence were received from Gwenda Thomas AM and Jocelyn Davies AM. John Griffiths AM substituted for Gwenda Thomas AM, and Bethan Jenkins AM substituted for Jocelyn Davies AM, in accordance with Standing Order 17.48.

2 Historic Environment (Wales) Bill: evidence session 2 – Welsh Local Government Association

2.1 The Committee received evidence from:

- Chris Llewelyn, Director of Lifelong Learning, Leisure and Information, Welsh Local Government Association
- Peter Thomas, Senior Planner Conservation & Design, Vale of Glamorgan Council
- Stephen Smith, Design and Conservation Team Leader, City and County of Swansea

3 Historic Environment (Wales) Bill: evidence session 3 – Welsh Archaeological Trusts

3.1 The Chair had to temporarily leave the meeting for item 3. In accordance with Standing Order 17.22, Mike Hedges AM was elected temporary Chair for item 3 during the absence of Christine Chapman AM.

3.2 The Committee received evidence from:

- Paul Belford, Trust Director, Clwyd–Powys Archaeological Trust
- Ken Murphy, Trust Director, Dyfed Archaeological Trust
- Andrew Davidson, Chief Archaeologist, Gwynedd Archaeological Trust
- Andrew Marvell, Chief Executive, Glamorgan–Gwent Archaeological Trust

4 Papers to note

4.1 The Committee noted the papers.

5 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting (discussion of evidence received on the Historic Environment (Wales) Bill; consideration of draft report on the Renting Homes (Wales) Bill)

5.1 The Committee agreed the motion.

6 Historic Environment (Wales) Bill: discussion of evidence received in sessions 2 and 3

6.1 The Committee discussed the evidence received.

7 Renting Homes (Wales) Bill: consideration of draft report

7.1 The Committee considered the draft report.