

COUNCILLOR'S ANNUAL REPORT APRIL 2018- MARCH 2019

Councillor:	Paul Godwin
Ward:	Keighley West
Party:	Labour
Date Elected:	May 2018
Basic:	£12,087.89
Special Responsibility:	£2,470.40
Other Allowances:	N/A

Positions held in 2018 – 2019:

Area Planning Panel (Keighley and Shipley)
Keighley Area Committee
Licensing Committee
Miscellaneous Licenses
Health and Social Care Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Alt)
Regulatory and Appeals (Alt)

Other meetings/bodies which you regularly attend: (e.g. School governing bodies, outside bodies etc.)

- Pennine Prospects (Nominee and Director)
- Merlin Top School (Council Member)
- Sugden Almhouses (Trustee)

My priorities for the past year (May 2018 to April 2019) were:

- Organise a handrail on some steps in Keighley West.
- Gain understanding of the Planning process.
- Find about control of alcohol in Bradford – a key health issue in middle years.
- Traffic planning.

My priorities for the coming year (May 2019 to April 2020) are:

(Please list or describe your priorities or targets as a Councillor for the coming year)

- Continue to improve planning knowledge.
- Concentrate on Environmental and Health Issues.
- Support the work of Pennine Prospects.

What I have achieved in the past year (May 2018 to May 2019)

(Please list or describe some of your activities as a Councillor and what you see as your key achievements)

- I have helped with a range of personal issues, particularly in relation to mental health, where my particular knowledge helped take things forward more quickly.
- I have challenged some issues around health and road safety in support of Keighley West residents.
- I have participated in some teaching with some children with learning disabilities.
- I have supported sensible building developments in the area.

What training sessions, seminars, briefings and conferences have you attended to develop your skills and gain knowledge that has helped you to serve the people of the district? (Please list them).

- IT
- Child Sexual Exploitation – I also undertook training for Merlin Top
- Planning – attended 8 out of a 10 part course
- Prevent
- Licensing
- Overview and Scrutiny
- Dementia
- Corporate Parenting
- Benefits
- Local Government for New Councillors
- Live Better
- Community Partnership
- School Admissions
- Household Waste Recycling
- SEND
- Customer Advice
- Domestic Violence