South Wales
Fire and Rescue Service

Gwasanaeth Tân ac Achub
De Cymru

SOUTH WALES FIRE & RESCUE AUTHORITY

REGISTER OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS
GENERAL NOTICE OF REGISTERABLE INTERESTS

I, Joel Williams, an Elected Member of the South Wales Fire & Rescue Authority, give notice that I have set out below under the appropriate headings, my interests which I am required to declare under Section 81 of the Local Government Act 2000 and paragraph 15 of the Local Authorities (Model Code of Conduct) (Wales) Order 2008, and I have put "none" where I have no such interests under any headings.

WHEN COMPLETING THIS DOCUMENT, PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THE ADMINISTRATIVE AREA OF THE SOUTH WALES FIRE & RESCUE AUTHORITY COVERS THE 10 UNITARY AUTHORITY AREAS OF BLAENAU GWENT, BRIDGEND, CAERPHILLY, CARDIFF, MERTHYR TYDFIL, MONMOUTHSHIRE, NEWPORT, RHONDDA CYNON TAF, TORFAEN AND THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN.

SHOULD THERE BE ANY CHANGE IN THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THIS REGISTER THEN SUCH INFORMATION MUST BE UPDATED BY YOU IN WRITING TO THE MONITORING OFFICER WITHIN TWENTY EIGHT DAYS.

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Amended 12-5-20
As agreed by e-mail from Cllr. Williams

No changes

10th June 2019

NB: FOOTNOTES ARE INCLUDED WITHIN THE DOCUMENT TO ASSIST YOUR COMPLETION. ANY QUERIES SHOULD BE REFERRED TO THE MONITORING OFFICER OR DEPUTY MONITORING OFFICER.

See information from Page 9 onwards

1.	EMPLOYMENT, BUSINESS, TRADE, PROFESSION, OFFICE OR VOCATION
(Para 10 (2) (a) (i & ii) of the Code of Conduct: *You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect -* • *any employment or business carried on by you;* • *any person who employs or has appointed you, any firm in which you are a partner or any company for which you are a remunerated director)*	
1.1	**Please list every employment, business, office, trade, profession or vocation in which you have a personal interest, including the name of your employer.**[1]
1.2	**Give a short description of the activity concerned *(for example "Computer Operator" or "Accountant")* if not self-evident.**
1.3	**Where you hold an Office, give the name of the person or body which appointed you.**

[1] *You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of the Authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect:*
(i) any employment or business carried on by you; or
(ii) any person who employs or has appointed you; or
(iii) any firm in which you are a Partner; or
(iv) any company for which you are a remunerated Director.
If employed by a company, give the name of the company paying your wages or salary, not that of the ultimate holding company.

2.	SPONSORSHIP/ELECTION AND OTHER EXPENSES
(Para 10 (2) (iii) of the Code of Conduct: *You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if - it relates to, or is likely to affect -* • *any person, other than your authority, who has made a payment to you in respect of your election or any expenses incurred by you in carrying out your duties as a member)*	
2.1	**Please declare the name of any person or body who has made any payments to you in the last year towards your expenses as a Councillor or towards your election expenses.**[2]
3.	**INTERESTS IN COMPANIES AND SECURITIES**
(Para 10 (2) (iv) of the Code of Conduct: *You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect -* • *any corporate body which has a place of business or land in your authority's area, and in which you have a beneficial interest in a class of securities of that body that exceeds the nominal value of £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body)*	
3.1	**Please list the names of any companies, industrial and provident societies, co-operative societies or other bodies corporate that (to your knowledge) are active in the Fire & Rescue Authority's area and in which you have an interest in excess of £25,000 or 1% of the total issued share capital of that body.**[3]

[2] *You do not need to declare the amounts of any payments, only the name of the person or body making them.*
[3] *You do not need to show the extent of your interest. A company or body corporate is active in the Fire & Rescue Authority's area if it has land or a place of business in that area. The requirement also covers shares and securities held in the name of other people in which you have a beneficial interest.*

4. CONTRACTS WITH THE FIRE & RESCUE AUTHORITY

(Para 10 (2) (v) of the Code of Conduct:

You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect -

- *any contract for goods, services or works made between your authority and you or a firm in which you are a partner, a company of which you are a remunerated director, or a body of the description specified in sub-paragraph (iv) above)*

4.1 **Please list all contracts, of which you are aware, and which are[4]:**

(a) contracts for the supply of goods, services or works to the Fire & Rescue Authority or on the Fire & Rescue Authority's behalf, and

(b) between the Fire & Rescue Authority and either:

(i) yourself.
(ii) a company in which you have a beneficial interest in excess of £25,000 or 1% of the total issued share capital.
(iii) a company of which you are a remunerated Director or Partner.

5. LAND IN THE AREA OF THE FIRE & RESCUE AUTHORITY

(Para 10 (2) (vi, vii & x) of the Code of Conduct:

You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect -

- *any land in which you have a beneficial interest and which is in the area of your authority;*
- *any land where the landlord is your authority and the tenant is a firm in which you are a partner, a company of which you are a remunerated director, or a body of the description specified in sub-paragraph (iv) above;*
- *any land in your authority's area in which you have a licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy for 28 days or longer)*

[4] *You need not say what the financial arrangements are but should say for how long the contract is.*

5.1	**Please give details (including address) of any land[5] in the area of the Fire & Rescue Authority in which:** **(a) you have a beneficial interest[6]; or** **(b) a company referred to in paragraph 3 above has an interest** **If you live in the Fire & Rescue Authority's area you should include your home under this heading as owner, lessee or tenant.**

6. PUBLIC AND OTHER BODIES

(Para 10 (2) (viii & ix) of the Code of Conduct:
You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect -

- *any body to which you have been elected, appointed or nominated by your authority;*
- *any -*
  - *public authority or body exercising functions of a public nature;*
  - *company, industrial and provident society, charity, or body directed to charitable purposes;*
  - *body whose principal purposes include the influence of public opinion or policy;*
  - *trade union or professional association; or*
  - *private club, society or association operating within your authority's area,*

  in which you have membership or hold a position of general control or management)

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[5] *Land includes buildings or parts of buildings. You should also include any property:*
(i) from which you receive rent;
(ii) of which you are the mortgagee;
(iii) any land over which you have a licence;
(iv) any land which you have the right to occupy, but neither own nor have a tenancy of (this would include for example informal allotments, use of a field etc).

[6] *That is, in which you have some proprietary interest for your own benefit.*

6.1	**You must state the names of any of the following of which you are a member or of which you have a position of general control or management:**
	(a) **A body to which you have been elected, appointed or nominated by an Authority as its representative.**[7]
	(b) **A public Authority or body exercising functions of a public nature.**[8]
	(c) **A company, industrial and provident society, charity or body directed to charitable purposes.**
	(d) **A body whose principal purposes include the influence of public opinion of policy.**

[7] *this includes nomination by your home authorities and the fire authority*

[8] *examples include health bodies, council owned companies exercising public functions and school governing bodies*

(e)	**A trade union or professional association.**
(f)	**Private club, society or association operating within the Fire & Rescue Authority's area.**
7.	**OTHER INTERESTS DISCLOSABLE UNDER THE CODE OF CONDUCT**
	To declare other interests that the Member is aware of now or becomes aware of during the term of office that require to be disclosed under the Members' Code of Conduct and includes interests under paragraphs 10 (2) (b).
(b)	*a decision upon it might reasonably be regarded as affecting —*
	(i) your well-being or financial position, or that of a person with whom you live, or any person with whom you have a close personal association;
	(ii) any employment or business carried on by persons as described in 10(2)(c)(i);
	(iii) any person who employs or has appointed such persons described in 10(2)(c)(i), any firm in which they are a partner, or any company of which they are directors;
	(iv) any corporate body in which persons as described in 10(2)(c)(i) have a beneficial interest in a class of securities exceeding the nominal value of £5,000; or
	(v) any body listed in paragraphs 10(2)(a)(ix)(aa) to (ee) in which persons described in 10(2)(c)(i) hold a position of general control or management,
	to a greater extent than the majority of—
	(aa) in the case of an authority with electoral divisions or wards, other council tax payers, rate payers or inhabitants of the electoral division or ward, as the case may be, affected by the decision; or
	(bb) in all other cases, other council tax payers, ratepayers or inhabitants of the authority's area.

DECLARATION

- I recognise that it can be a **Criminal Offence** to:

  (a) omit information that ought to be given in this notice.

  (b) provide information that is materially false or misleading.

  (c) fail to give further notices in order to:

  (i) bring up-to-date information given in this notice.
  (ii) declare an interest that I acquire after the date of this notice and I have to declare.

- I have not omitted information that ought to be given in this notice and have not provided information that is materially false or misleading.

- I agree to give further notice in writing to the Fire & Rescue Authority's Monitoring Officer of any change to the interests specified above within twenty eight days of my becoming aware of it.

Name: .....

Signed:..... Date:.....

Received:..... Date: .....

Sally Chapman
Proper Officer & Monitoring Officer
South Wales Fire & Rescue Service

Register of interests

Councillor Joel Williams

This register of interests was published on Wednesday, 30th May, 2018, 4.22 pm.

Section 1: Financial Interests: I, Councillor Joel Williams a Member of the City & County of Cardiff Council give notice that I have the following financial interests:

1. Give details of any employment or business carried on by you.

Name of Employer or body	Description of your Employment Activity
Proprietor	Proprietor of a business directory operating within the geographical remit of Cardiff Council
Sorted Magazine	Freelance Columnist
Ad hoc	Freelance Media engagement
Maunder Ward HR Specialists	Consultancy Work
Cardiff North Conservative Association	Office Work
BSB International	Office Work
Joel Williams limited	- letting and operating of own or leased real estate

Amended 1-10-20 (updated 12-5-20) As per e-mail from Councillor Williams

2. State the name of the person who employs or has appointed you, the name of any firm in which you are a partner, and/or the name of any company for which you are a remunerated Director.

Name of Person or Body making Payments
Self-employed
Sorted Magazine
Ad hoc Media interests
Maunder Ward HR Specialists

3. State the name of any person, (other than a County Council, Borough Council, Community Council, Fire Authority or National Park Authority), who has made a payment to you either in respect of your election or any other expenses incurred by

you in carrying out your duties as a Member.

Name of the Person making the Payment
Pontprennau and Old St. Mellons Conservative Branch
Agent: Dennis Matthews (Chariman - Pontprennau and Old St. Mellons Conservatives)

4. State the name of any corporate body which has a place of business or land in the Council's area, and in which you have a beneficial interest in a class of securities of that body that exceeds a nominal value of £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body.

Name of Corporate Body
None

5. Describe any contract for goods, services or works made between the Council and yourself or a firm in which you are a partner, a company of which you are a remunerated Director, or a body of the description specified in paragraph (d) above.

Description of contract
Director and Trustee of Diverse Cymru.

6. Give the address or other description (sufficient to identify the location) of any land in which you have a beneficial interest* and which is in the area of the Council. (*This means being the owner, landlord or tenant of land or property (including your home), other than under a trust).

Address/Description of Property	**Nature of Interest in Property**
Glengarrif, Tyr Winch Road, Old St. Mellons, Cardiff, CF3 5UX	Family home
Bramblewood, Mill Lane, Old St. Mellons, Cardiff, CF3 5US	Family home

7. Give the address or other description (sufficient to identify the location) of any

land where the landlord is the Council and the tenant is a firm in which you are a partner, a company of which you are a remunerated Director, or a body of the description specified in paragraph (d) above.

Address/Description of Land	Nature of Interest in Property
None	

8. Give the address or other description (sufficient to identify the location) of any land in the Council's area in which you have a licence (whether alone or jointly with others) to occupy for 28 days or longer.

Address/Description of Property
None

9. body to which you are appointed or nominated by the Council as its representative.

Name of Body	Position
The Hollies Special School Governing Body	Local Authority Governor
Oakfield Primary School	Local Authority Governor
Cardiff University Court	Council Representative
South Wales Fire and Rescue Authority	Council Representative

10. Public authority or body excercising functions of a public nature.

Name of Body	Position
Old St. Mellons Community Council	Elected Member

11. Company, industrial and provident society, charity or body directed to charitable purposes

Name of Body	Position
St. Mellons Baptist Church	Member

Old St. Mellons Village Association	Member
Cartref Care Homes	Member of the Board of Management (unremunerated)
Cardiff Governors Association	Member

12. Body whose principal purposes include the influence of public opinion or policy.

Name of Body	Position
Cardiff North Conservative Association	Member and Secretary
Pontprennau and Old St. Mellons Conservative Branch	Member and Deputy Chairman
Keep Us Rural Ltd - action group promoting sustainable forms of renewable energy	Member
Old St. Mellons Action Group	Vice Chairman (action group currently dormant)
Diverse Cymru	Director and Trustee
Welsh Conservative Party	Member

13. Trade Union or Professional association

Name of body	Position
Conservative Councillors Association	Member

14. Private club, society or association operating with the Authority area.

Name of Body	Position
Welsh Hearts - The Heart Charity for Wales	Patron
Autism Puzzles	Ambassador
Balls to Cancer - Mens Cancer Charity	Ambassador
David Lloyds Club	Member