

Jill Hood
County Councillor for Stone Urban

Annual Report 9th May 2017 – 31st March 2018

Introduction

I was first elected as County Councillor for the Stone Urban electoral division in May 2017.

My division lies in the North East of the Stafford district and includes the wards of St. Michael's, Stonefield and Christchurch and Walton and covers approximately 780 hectares with a population of 14,034.



Committee Membership and Attendance Record

My committee membership and attendance record can be seen below:

Meeting title	Possible attendances	Actual attendances	Apols	Absent
Audit and Standards Committee	5	3	2	0
Corporate Parenting Panel	10	6	3	1
County Council	8	6	2	0
Local Member Priority Meeting - Stafford	5	3	1	1
Total	28	18	8	2
% Attendance		64%	29%	7%

Schemes supported under the Staffordshire Local Community Fund

Applicant	Project	Amount
Stone Community Hub Ltd.	IT equipment and software to support 1:1 meetings improving lives in Stone and its surroundings.	£560.00
St. Michael's Community Hall	Lighting and bathroom facility improvements	£700.00
Stone Lions Club	Blood testing event for men over 50	£800.00

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Little Stoke Cricket Club	Cricket machine and practice balls to benefit young players	£800.00
Stone Revellers Musical Theatre	Room dividers improve space facilities and safeguarding standard	£700.00
5 th Stone (St. Michael's) Scout Group	Tent and fly sheet to allow more members to camp	£700.00
Walton Priory Middle School	Lego kits, camera, art therapy training for children on the autistic spectrum	£260.00
Stone Scout and Guide Band	Embroidered uniforms for parades and competitions	£920.00
Oulton Abbey Playgroup	Specialist equipment for a new children's sensory room	£700.00
Stone Petanque Club	Equipment to build a terrain suitable for a wide range of physical conditions and wheelchair users	£400.00
Stone Festival	Funding for gazebo	£500.00
AED Donate	Cherryfield Estate defibrillator located at central supermarket	£460.00
Total spend		£7,500.00

Councillor Development

- 27/03/2018 - Members Spring Event
- 26/03/2018 - How to deal with aggressive people
- 11/03/2018 - Cyber Security
- 07/03/2018 - Word for Members
- 13/02/2018 - Outlook for Members
- 29/01/2018 - Time Management for Members
- 16/01/2018 - Questioning Skills for Members
- 30/11/2017 - How ICT works in Staffordshire
- 06/10/2017 - Dementia Awareness
- 05/10/2017 - Staffordshire Observatory Training
- 30/08/2017 - Members Claims Training
- 27/07/2017 - Planning for Personal Safety
- 24/07/2017 - Level 1 Child Protection
- 20/06/2017 - Word Essentials
- 14/06/2017 - People Helping People
- 13/06/2017 - Outlook Essentials
- 16/05/2017 - Getting to Know your Computer

- 16/05/2017 - Code of Conduct Training
- 11/05/2017 - Welcome Day

Remuneration

My Allowances and Expenses

Basic allowance	£8,361.85
Mileage	£24.30
Total allowances cost	£8,386.15

My return mileage from home to County Buildings, where many meetings take place, is 20 miles.