

Elected Member Annual Report and Review 2015



Name of Member: Councillor Edmund Hastie

Ward: Goudhurst & Lamberhurst

Section 1: Attendance at Council/ Committee and Sub-Committee meetings

This section has been completed by Democratic Services and lists all Council and Committee meetings, including how many meetings of each, you attended for the period from January to December 2015.

1 January – 27 May

Name of Committee	No. of meetings attended	No. of meetings held during the year
Full Council	3	4
General Purposes Committee	1	1

28 May – 31 December

Name of Committee	No. of meetings attended	No. of meetings held during the year
Full Council	3	3
General Purposes Committee	0	0

Please list how many County Council, Parish/Town Council and Town Forum meetings you have attended.

County Council	Parish/Town Council	Town Forum
	Goudhurst and Lamberhurst Parish Council meetings on a regular basis	

Section 2: Community Involvement

Please list details of organisations within the community with which you are involved, including any outside bodies that you have been appointed to by the Council in order to promote joint working and improved service delivery to the public.

Organisation	Brief description of your role
Annual Charity bike ride to raise funds for restoration of weathervane on Goudhurst Village Hall and project in Lamberhurst	Cycled 30+ miles and raised £1,000+

Section 3: Assisting Constituents

Please give an illustration of the ways in which you have assisted or liaised with your constituents, or other residents of the Borough (i.e. resolving problems), including details of any surgeries you have held.

I am always happy to help constituents relating to Borough or ward matters. Planning and speeding traffic are the main subjects people raise with me.

Section 4: Special Responsibilities

Please list any other positions of responsibility that you may hold within this Council (for example: Portfolio Holder, Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Lead Member, or Mayoral duties).

Responsibility	Nature of your duties
Chairman of General Purposes Committee (until June 2015)	

Section 5: Learning and Development

This section has been completed by Democratic Services and lists dates and details of attendance at training sessions, conferences, seminars etc. during the period January to December 2015 which have supported you in your duties as a councillor. Please check this with your own records and contact Emily Metcalf if you have any queries.

Details of event	Date attended
Counting the Cost of Difficult Planning Decisions	22 July 2015

Do you have any other learning and development needs that have not been identified or met by the Council? If so, please set out below.

Section 6: Internal Meetings Attended

Please give details of role and attendance at internal meetings, including Working Parties/Groups and Political Group meetings.

Details of event	Role and purpose
Conservative Group	Deputy Chairman. I chair meetings in the absence of the Chairman.

Section 7: Supplementary Information

Please feel free to add any information you consider may assist in defining your role as an elected Member, any outside obligations that may impact on your role or any additional information you wish to add.

Dated: 28 December 2015