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cc. David Rees MS, Chair, Llywydd's Committee

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Dear Huw, John,

I am writing to the Committee to provide you with an update on the electoral pilots that were delivered in Wales as part of the Local Government Elections in May 2022.

The Electoral Commission is required by law to evaluate every electoral pilot scheme undertaken in Wales. As such, they have evaluated the pilots undertaken in May 2022 and have today published their report which can be accessed here:

<https://www.electoralcommission.org.uk/who-we-are-and-what-we-do/our-views-and-research/our-research/advance-voting-pilots-evaluation>

I have also issued a written statement updating Senedd members on progress which can be found here:

<https://gov.wales/written-statement-electoral-commissions-evaluation-report-welsh-electoral-pilots>

Yours sincerely,

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