# Cross-Party Group Annual Report 2022 Cross Party Group on the Active Travel Act

1. Group membership and office holders.

**Chair: Huw Irranca-Davies MS** 

Other MS Members:

Rhun ap Iorwerth MS Jane Dodds MS

Janet Finch-Saunders MS

John Griffiths MS Vikki Howells MS Sarah Murphy MS Jenny Rathbone MS

Carolyn Thomas MS

**Secretary: Chris Roberts (Office of Huw Irranca-Davies MS)** 

#### Other External Members:

Name	Role & Organisation
Anne Adams-King	Chief Executive Officer, Welsh Cycling
Ken Barker	Cycling UK
Ruth Billingham	Head of Campaigns & Public Affairs, Living Streets
Gail Bodley Scott	Section Leader (Transport Vision, Policy and Strategy), Cardiff Council
Christine Boston	Director, Sustrans Cymru
Rebecca Brough	Policy and Advocacy Manager, Ramblers Cymru
Lindsey Brown	Active Travel Officer (Schools), Cardiff Council
Richard Brunstrom	Cycling UK North Wales
Neil Canham	Head of Delivery & Partnerships (Behaviour Change), Sustrans Cymru
Joseph Carter	Head of Devolved Nations, British Lung Foundation
Teresa Ciano	Partnership Manager, GoSafe, Road Safety Wales
Dan Coast	Secretary, Cycling Newport
Warren Davies	Secretary, Wrexham Cycling Campaign
Dan De'Ath	Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport, Cardiff Council
Duncan Dollimore	Head of Advocacy and Campaigns, Cycling UK
Sian Donovan	Director, Pedal Power
	Cabinet Member for Highways and Environmental Services, Housing and
Dafydd Edwards	Customer Contact, Ceredigion Council

David Edwards Casnewydd Community Cycling

Glyn Evans Transport for Wales

Hazel Evans Cabinet Member for Environment, Carmarthenshire County Council

Richard Evans Chair, Cycle Training Wales

Matthew Gilbert Active Travel Lead, Transport for Wales

Andrew Gregory Director of Planning Transport and Environment, Cardiff Council

Owain Griffiths Cardiff Cycle City
Nick Guy Wheelrights

Rhiannon Hardiman Wales Manager, Living Streets

Heulwen Hulme Portfolio Holder for Environment, Powys County Council

Lowri Jackson Head of Policy and Campaigns (Wales), Royal College of Physicians

Lynda James Councillor, City & County of Swansea

Lead Member for Waste, Transport and the Environment, Denbighshire

Brian Jones County Council

Head of Planning, Public Protection and Countryside Services, Denbighshire

Emlyn Jones County Council

Keith Jones Director, ICE Wales Cymru

Lyndon Jones Leader of the Conservative Group, City & County of Swansea

Mike Jones-Pritchard County Councillor, Cardiff Council

Richard Keatinge Secretary, Beicio Bangor

Cabinet Member for Neighbourhood Services and Transport, Vale of

Peter King Glamorgan Council
Hugh Mackay Cycling UK VofG
John Mather Cycling UK (N Wales)

Josh Miles Confederation of Passenger Transport

Head of Waste Support, Waste Improvement Programme, Regeneration and

Craig Mitchell Environment, WLGA

Charlotte Morgan Policy and Public Affairs Co-ordinator, British Heart Foundation Cymru

David Naylor Wheelrights

Gwenda Owen Engagement Officer - Wales, Cycling UK

Emma Parsons Planner, Cardiff Council

Huw Percy Head of Service Highways Waste and Property, Ynys Mon Council Matt Perry Head of Highways, Transport & Recycling, Powys County Council

Amy Preece Rheolwr Prosiect / Project Manager, Newport Council

Gareth Price Clerk, Senedd Cymru

Matt Price Team Leader, Transport Vision, Policy and Strategy, Cardiff Council

Dareyoush Rassi Secretary, Wheelrights

Paula Renzel Transport Action Network Cymru

Gemma Roberts Policy & Public Affairs Manager, British Heart Foundation

Julie Robinson Chair, Active Travel West Wales

Joe Rossiter Policy and External Affairs Manager, Sustrans Cymru

Kaarina Ruta Transport Assistant, WLGA Emma Sandrey Councillor, Cardiff Council

Ian Saunders Chief Operating Officer, MonLife, Monmouthshire County Council

John Sayce Chair, Wheelrights

Ben Sears Sustainability, Environmental, and Transport Policy Support Officer, WLGA

Gwyn Smith South Wales Network Development Manager, Sustrans

Phil Snaith Secretary, Carmarthenshire Cycle Forum

Roy Spilsbury Cycling UK North Wales

Luke Stacey Access Development and Public Rights of Way Officer, Newport Council

Claire Stowell Communications Coordinator, Living Streets Cymru

Paul Streets Schools Officer, Cardiff Cycle City

Youth, Sport and Active Travel Manager, MonLife, Monmouthshire County

Paul Sullivan Council

Alan Tapp Professor of Social Marketing, UWE

Cabinet Member for Environment Enhancement & Infrastructure

Mark Thomas Management, City & County of Swansea

Stuart Thomas Health and Safety SLA Manager, Cardiff Council

Will Thomas Councillor, City & County of Swansea

Jack Thurston Chair, Abergavenny Cycle Group

Dafydd Trystan Chair, Welsh Govt. Active Travel Board

Nick Tulp Active Travel Officer, MonLife, Monmouthshire County Council
Thomas Turner Communications and Public Affairs Officer, British Cycling

Rhiannon Wade Active Travel Officer (Schools), Cardiff Council

Tom Wells Active Travel West Wales
Jonathan West Public Health Wales

Caro Wild Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport, Cardiff Council

Cheryl Williams Principal Health Promotion Specialist, Public Health Wales

Roisin Willmott Director, RTPI Cymru

Alex Wood Senior Health Promotion Specialist, Public Health Wales

Leah Young Active Travel Projects Officer, Newport Council

#### 2. Previous Group Meetings since inauguration.

#### Meeting 1.

Meeting date: 14th July 2021. Meeting held via Microsoft Teams.

#### Attendees:

First			
Name	Surname	Job Title	Organisation
Ken	Barker		Cycling UK
Rebecca	Brough	Policy and Advocacy Manager	Ramblers Cymru
Richard	Brunstrom		Cycling UK North Wales
Teresa	Ciano	Partnership Manager	GoSafe, Road Safety Wales
Duncan	Dollimore	Head of Advocacy and Campaigns	Cycling UK
Sian	Donovan	Director	Pedal Power
David	Edwards		Casnewydd Community Cycling
Richard	Evans	Chair	Cycle Training Wales

		Senior Health Promotion Specialist	Welsh Network of Healthy
Christine	Farr	- Healthy Schools	Schools
Catherine	Floyd	Locum Consultant in Public Health	Public Health Wales
Matthew	Gilbert	Active Travel Lead	Transport for Wales
Danny	Grehan	MSS	Heledd Fychan MS
		Transport - Policy, Planning and	
Natalie	Grohmann	Partnerships Officer	Welsh Government
Llyr	Gruffydd	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
Rhiannon	Hardiman	Wales Manager	Living Streets
Stephen	Hughes		
Huw	Irranca-Davies	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
		Constituency & Digital Content	
Carwyn	Jones	Officer	Rhun ap Iorwerth AS
Mike	Jones-Pritchard	County Councillor	Cardiff Council
Richard	Keatinge	Secretary	Beicio Bangor
Robert	Kent-Smith		Welsh Government
		Cabinet Member for	
		Neighbourhood Services and	
Peter	King	Transport	Vale of Glamorgan Council
Hugh	Mackay		Cycling UK VofG
John	Mather		Cycling UK (N Wales)
Sarah	Murphy	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
David	Naylor		Wheelrights
Gwenda	Owen	Engagement Officer - Wales	Cycling UK
Dareyoush	Rassi	Secretary	Wheelrights
Jenny	Rathbone	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
Paula	Renzel	Policy Officer	Sustrans Cymru
Chris	Roberts	Secretary	CPGATA
Kaarina	Ruta	Transport Assistant	WLGA
Emma	Sandrey	County Councillor	Cardiff Council
John	Sayce	Chair	Wheelrights
		Sustainability, Environmental, and	
Ben	Sears	Transport Policy Support Officer	WLGA
Gwyn	Smith		Sustrans
Phil	Snaith	Secretary	Carmarthenshire Cycle Forum
Paul	Streets	Schools Officer	Cardiff Cycle City
Rhys	Taylor	Senior Researcher	Jane Dodds MS
Carolyn	Thomas	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
Rhiannon	Wade	Active Travel Officer (Schools)	Cardiff Council
Tom	Wells	Proprietor	bikebikebike

#### Summary of issues discussed:

The meeting was the inaugural meeting of the Group, following the Senedd elections. The meeting elected a Chair and Secretary, agreed the Formal Statement of Purpose of the Group and discussed a future work programme for the group. The

main business of the meeting was a question and answer session with Lee Waters MS, Deputy Minister for Climate Change.

#### Meeting 2.

Meeting date: December 1st, 2021 Meeting held via Microsoft Teams.

#### Attendees:

First Name	Surname	Job Title	Organisation
Rhun	ap Iorwerth	Aelod Seneddol	Senedd Cymru
Ken	Barker		Cycling UK
Ruth	Billingham	Head of Campaigns & Public Affairs	Living Streets
Christine	Boston	Director	Sustrans Cymru
Rebecca	Brough	Policy and Advocacy Manager	Ramblers Cymru
Richard	Brunstrom		Cycling UK North Wales
Nancy	Cavill	Senior Adviser	Julie Morgan MS
Teresa	Ciano	Partnership Manager	GoSafe, Road Safety Wales
Helen	Cunningham	MSS	John Griffiths MS
Sian	Donovan	Director	Pedal Power
Ryland	Doyle	Communications and Research Officer	Mike Hedges MS
David	Edwards		Casnewydd Community Cycling
Ryan	Ellis	Communications Officer	Janet Finch-Saunders MS
Hazel	Evans	Cabinet Member for Environment	Carmarthenshire County Council
Ken	Evans	Chair	ICE Wales Cymru
Richard	Evans	Chair	Cycle Training Wales
Christine	Farr	Senior Health Promotion Specialist - Healthy Schools	Welsh Network of Healthy Schools
Janet	Finch- Saunders	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
Matthew	Gilbert	Active Travel Lead	Transport for Wales
Danny	Grehan	MSS	Heledd Fychan MS
Owain	Griffiths		Cardiff Cycle City
Heulwen	Hulme	Portfolio Holder for Environment	Powys County Council
Brian	Jones	Lead Member for Waste, Transport and the Environment	Denbighshire County Council
Peter	King	Cabinet Member for Neighbourhood Services and Transport	Vale of Glamorgan Council
Gareth	Morgan	Acting Chief Inspector	South Wales Police
Amy	Nicholas		Active Travel West Wales
Gwenda	Owen	Engagement Officer - Wales	Cycling UK
Matt	Perry	Head of Highways, Transport & Recycling	Powys County Council
Amy	Preece	Rheolwr Prosiect / Project Manager	Newport Council
Dareyoush	Rassi	Secretary	Wheelrights

Jenny	Rathbone	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
Ross	Ringham	Director of Communications for Europe, Middle East and Asia	Superpedestrian
Chris	Roberts	Secretary	CPGATA
Heledd	Roberts	MSS	Rhun ap Iorwerth MS
Geoff	Rone		Carmarthenshire Cycle Forum
Emma	Sandrey	County Councillor	Cardiff Council
John	Sayce	Chair	Wheelrights
Gwyn	Smith	South Wales Network Development Manager	Sustrans
Phil	Snaith	Secretary	Carmarthenshire Cycle Forum
Paul	Streets	Schools Officer	Cardiff Cycle City
Paul	Sullivan	Youth, Sport and Active Travel Manager	MonLife, Monmouthshire County Council
Mark	Thomas	Cabinet Member for Environment Enhancement & Infrastructure Management	City & County of Swansea
Stuart	Thomas	Health and Safety SLA Manager	Cardiff Council
Dafydd	Trystan	Chair	Welsh Govt. Active Travel Board
Tom	Wells		Active Travel West Wales

#### Summary of issues discussed:

The meeting was chaired by Rhun ap Iorweth MS, it featured a discussion on escooters with presentations from Acting Chief Inspector Gareth Morgan of the South Wales Police and Ross Ringham, Director of Communications for Europe, Middle East and Asia for Superpedestrian, a global micro mobility company. The meeting agreed to conduct a review of the operation of the Active Travel Act, in advance of the statutory review, and agreed the terms of reference for an expert panel that would carry out the review. Sian Donovan gave a presentation on Pedal Power's SeE Cycling Differently scheme which made e-bikes and e-trikes available to a wide range of people. The Chair reported on the launch of the Group's Active Travel to School Toolkit, which was now available online.

#### Meeting 3.

**Meeting date:** 21<sup>st</sup> June 2021 Meeting held via Microsoft Teams.

#### Attendees:

First Name	Surname	Job Title	Organisation
Ken	Barker		Cycling UK
Ruth	Billingham	Head of Campaigns & Public Affairs	Living Streets
Rebecca	Brough	Policy and Advocacy Manager	Ramblers Cymru
Richard	Brunstrom		Cycling UK North Wales
Joseph	Carter	Head of Devolved Nations	British Lung Foundation
Dan	Coast	Secretary	Cycling Newport

Stephen	Cunnah	Community Liaison Officer	Mark Drakeford MS
Dan	De'Ath	Cabinet Member for Strategic	Cardiff Council
		Planning & Transport	
Duncan	Dollimore	Head of Advocacy and Campaigns	Cycling UK
Sian	Donovan	Director	Pedal Power
Ryland	Doyle	Communications and Research Officer	Mike Hedges MS
David	Edwards		Casnewydd Community Cycling
Hazel	Evans	Cabinet Member for Environment	Carmarthenshire County Council
Rhiannon	Hardiman	Wales Manager	Living Streets
Stephen	Hughes		
Huw	Irranca- Davies	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
Keith	Jones	Director	ICE Wales Cymru
Hugh	Mackay		Cycling UK VofG
John	Mather		Cycling UK (N Wales)
Andrew	Minnis	Research Team Leader	Senedd Cymru
Charlotte	Morgan	Policy and Public Affairs Co- ordinator	British Heart Foundation Cymru
Gwenda	Owen	Engagement Officer - Wales	Cycling UK
Gareth	Price	Clerk	Senedd Cymru
Matt	Price	Team Leader, Transport Vision, Policy and Strategy	Cardiff Council
Chris	Roberts	Secretary	CPGATA
Joe	Rossiter	Policy and External Affairs Manager	Sustrans Cymru
Kaarina	Ruta	Transport Assistant	WLGA
John	Sayce	Chair	Wheelrights
Shah	Shumon	Communications Officer	John Griffiths MS
Luke	Stacey	Access Development and Public Rights of Way Officer	Newport Council
Paul	Sullivan	Youth, Sport and Active Travel Manager	MonLife, Monmouthshire County Council
Alan	Тарр	Professor of Social Marketing	UWE
Alison	Taylor	Cabinet Support Office	Cardiff Council
Carolyn	Thomas	Member of the Senedd	Senedd Cymru
Will	Thomas	Councillor	City & County of Swansea
Nick	Tulp	Active Travel Officer	MonLife, Monmouthshire County Council
Tom	Wells		Active Travel West Wales
Roisin	Willmott	Director	RTPI Cymru
Yasmin	Zahra	Community Liaison Officer	Luke Fletcher MS

#### Summary of issues discussed:

Annual Meeting: the meeting re-elected Huw Irranca-Davies MS as Chair and Chris Roberts as Secretary. Ordinary Meeting: the meeting considered and agreed the report on the review of the Active travel Act from the Expert Panel. Matt Price of

Cardiff Council gave a presentation on the council's Bike Fleet, which provided high quality bikes for schools to use for cycle training and associated activities.

## 3. Professional lobbyists, voluntary organisations and charities with whom the Group has met during the preceding year.

The Group has not met with any professional lobbyists during the year.

The Group meetings are attended by representatives of a number of organisations and charities. The details for each meeting are listed above. The following organisations were invited to give presentations to the Group:

#### **Cardiff Council**

County Hall, Cardiff CF10 4UW

#### **Pedal Power**

Off, Dogo St, Cardiff CF11 9LB

#### **South Wales Police**

Cowbridge Road, Bridgend CF31 3SU

#### Superpedestrian

Superpedestrian HQ 84 Hamilton St, Cambridge, MA 02139 United States

### **Annual Financial Statement**

## 27th June 2022

## Cross Party Group on the Active Travel Act.

**Chair: Huw Irranca-Davies MS** 

Secretary: Chris Roberts (Office of Huw Irranca-Davies MS)

		42.22
Group's Expenses.	None.	£0.00
Costs of all goods.	Translation of the Group's	£800.00
Costs of all goods.	Active Travel to School	2000.00
	Toolkit	
Benefits received by the	Donations of £200 each	£800.00
group or individual	from Cycling UK, Living	2000.00
Members from outside	Streets, Sustrans Cymru	
bodies.	and Welsh Cycling to	
	cover the costs of the	
	Toolkit translation. The	
	payments were made	
	directly to the translator	
Any secretariat or other	No financial support	£0.00
support.	received.	
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Services provided to the C	roup such as hospitality.	
All refreshments paid for by	7: No refreshments provided	
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Date	Description and name of	Cost
	provider	
5 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	RTPI Cymru: refreshments	£25.00
3 May 2022	at a meeting of the	223.00
	Group's Expert Panel for	
	the Review of the Active	
	Travel Act.	
	Total cost	£25.00