

## The Economy, Trade and Rural Affairs Committee Forward Work Programme

### Spring-Summer 22

Please note this programme is subject to change at the Committee's discretion. More details will be made available on the Committee's website ahead of each meeting.

<b>Meeting Date</b>	<b>Committee business</b>
Thursday 28 April	<p>Short Inquiry into Bovine Tuberculosis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Exploring Welsh Government's consultative proposals for a new Bovine TB strategy (evidence from academics, farming unions and RSPCA Cymru)</li></ul> <p>Private session: Members' Briefing on Agriculture and Fisheries</p>
Wednesday 11 May	<p>Review of the Water Resources (Control of Agricultural Pollution) (Wales) Regulations 2021</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Final evidence session with the Minister for Rural Affairs and North Wales, and Trefnydd</li></ul>
Thursday 26 May	<p>Cost of Living - Inquiry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Three one hour panels exploring the impact of the cost of living crisis on businesses, the workforce and rural communities</li></ul> <p>UK-New Zealand Free Trade Agreement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Exploring the impact on Wales with trade experts, farming unions and Meat Promotion Wales</li></ul>
<b>Monday 30 May - Sunday 5 June: Whitsun recess</b>	
Wednesday 15 June	UK-New Zealand Free Trade Agreement

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exploring the impact on Wales - session to be confirmed</li> </ul> <p>Minister for Economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• General Ministerial Scrutiny including on Cost of Living</li> </ul> <p>Minister for Rural Affairs and North Wales, and Trefnydd</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• General Ministerial Scrutiny including on Cost of Living</li> </ul>
Thursday 30 June	<p>Committee Visit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fact-finding visit to farms and food emporium in Carmarthenshire (programme details tbc)</li> </ul>
Wednesday 15 July	TBC
<b>Monday 18 July – Sunday 11 September: Summer recess</b>	
w/c 18 July	Royal Welsh Show - stakeholder engagement - details TBC
Thursday 22 September	TBC