

INADMISSIBLE PETITION LIST

Date	Title	Petition wording	Reason
March 2011	Ty Mawr Residential Home to stay open	If you feel it appropriate I would be grateful if you could sign this petition. Ty Mawr is a warm and welcoming home and it would be a travesty to lose such a place in our community.	Local authority decision.
March 2011	Say NO to Controversial Gas Drilling in the Vale Countryside	A planning application has been submitted to turn Llandow in the Vale of Glamorgan into a highly controversial toxic gas drilling area. The initial application is to undertake tests to determine whether the ground is suitable for drilling. If it is found to be, then the next stage will be to apply for planning to drill and this would have catastrophic effects.Help us say NO and oppose this application NOW.	Local authority decision. Individual planning applications are the responsibility of the relevant planning authority.
May 2011	Request for a dedicated Assembly channel	We, the undersigned, call upon the National Assembly for Wales, the Welsh Government, the BBC Trust and S4C to provide a dedicated channel that will screen the workings of the National Assembly in the same way as BBC Parliament covers the Westminster Parliament.	Non-devolved. Powers for broadcasting are retained at Westminster.
May 2011	Stop the Newport Incinerator	We the undersigned, call on the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Assembly Government to intervene to stop the incinerator scheme being proposed at Newport. As residents of Wales, we	The Assembly couldn't take any action as the

		believe this scheme will be detrimental to the health and well-being of ourselves and our children.	decision hadn't been made about the location of a possible incineration site.
June 2011	No to the Bodelwyddan Housing Development	We call on the National Assembly of Wales to reject a recent decision made by Denbighshire County Council to build up to 2,000 new homes in Bodelwyddan. The plan if implemented: will lead to a three fold increase in the size of the village is contrary to the wishes of the local people will contribute to the destruction of the cultural identity and the social life of the community	Substantially the same to another petition which was collecting signatures at the time.
June 2011	Say no to pylons	Don't ruin a rural landscape on a doubtful source of energy supply.	Substantially the same to another petition which was collecting signatures at the time.
June 2011	No wind turbines on Llanllwni Mountain	These turbines will destroy a very well used area for walking, horseriding, mountain biking and enduro motor bikes. It also has beautiful views over the Teifi valley, on clear days you can see the Brecon Beacons and the Black mountains. Why destroy all this for turbines that only produce electricity for 22% of the time.	Local authority decision. Individual planning applications are the responsibility of the relevant planning

			authority.
June 2011	Redraw preserved counties to match Historic Counties	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh government to instruct the Local Government Boundary Commission for Wales to conduct a review of preserved county boundaries in Wales with the intention of amending the existing preserved county boundaries to match the boundaries of the 13 historic shires.	Did not collect minimum number of signatures (10)
June 2011	Natural Bodybuilding Encouraging Health in Wales	We, the undersigned, call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to recognise that natural bodybuilding not only encourages teenagers and young people to take pride in their physical health, but can also be used to prevent youth crime and urge the Welsh Government to actively promote the sport as a possible candidate for inclusion in any Welsh bid for the Commonwealth Games	Did not collect minimum number of signatures (10)
July 2011	Flintshire Council attacks Welsh medium teaching	Threat to Welsh Language Teaching in Flintshire. The future of Welsh language schools in Flintshire is under threat. Of the county's five Welsh-medium schools, two are directly threatened (with one – Ysgol Terrig in Treuddyn – immediately at risk); the long-term future of the others is in doubt. Flintshire council intend to cut costs by merging or federating Welsh-medium schools with English-medium schools, putting their identity- as places where Welsh language and culture is taught – in danger. The Council's policies	Local authority decision. Decisions about individual schools are the responsibility of the relevant local authority.

		will inevitably weaken the provision of Welsh language teaching in the county. This is against the strategy of the Welsh Assembly; it is against the Council's own research; and it is against the policies of other Welsh Councils – who are actively engaged in building new Welsh-medium language schools. We the undersigned call on Flintshire Council to protect and strengthen Welsh-medium provision in the county.	
July 2011	Car parking in Monmouth	People from outside of Monmouth, working the in the town are parking their car all day long on Somerset Road and Galwall Lane with the result that local people cannot park outside their homes or go to their local shops. We request that actions are taken to prevent such inconsiderate parking.	Local authority decision. Parking policy and decisions are the responsibility of individual local authorities.
July 2011	Electoral reform	No specific wording provided, but general advice sought on whether a petition calling for the establishment of a committee to consider the implications of changes to the Westminster electoral system for the National Assembly would be admissible.	Non-devolved. Electoral reform remains the responsibility of the UK Government and Westminster. Petitions which call

			for indirect action on issues which are non-devolved (such as changes to the electoral system for the National Assembly) are not admissible.
July 2011	Say No to Methane Coal Bed Capture	The local community is filing this petition, regarding the intended capture of coal bed methane by Coastal Oil and Gas Ltd. The issue of coal bed capture is important to the community as it affects our Roads, Wildlife including Rivers, Tranquil Atmosphere such as increase in Noise, and the fact that this will be going on for 15 years. It directly affects the community and you: 1) Increasing the amount of large industrial vehicles that use our local road network, these large vehicles block our single track lanes and prevent access to home for local residents and emergency services2) Contamination of rivers as already seen by our normally clean rivers which ran milky for two days after initial drilling began. The company states that all contaminated water would be removed and there is no risk to local rivers but even more planning has been granted and this has been ignored.3) Increase in noise pollution from the drilling which	Non-devolved. Oil and Gas remains the responsibility of Westminster.

		will be active 24 hours a day.	
July 2011	Parking Rights of Welsh Residents	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to provide statutory guidance to local authorities concerning the parking rights of residents in Welsh town centres. This is in order to balance the need to attract shoppers and visitors to busy retail premises and town centres throughout Wales – a crucial aspect of regeneration strategy aimed at ensuring our town centres thrive – with the rights of local residents who should be disadvantaged with the inevitable increase in congestion and parking inconveniences that such developments bring	Local authority decision. Parking policy and decisions are the responsibility of individual local authorities.
August 2011	Push for a Proper Parliament for Wales	Even after the referendum vote, Wales is still well behind Scotland and Northern Ireland. We are still not an equal partner to the devolved UK nations. We call the Welsh government to push Westminster to create a proper Parliament for Wales, placing Wales in a position where it can enjoy the same beneficial system as Scotland. Its now time for a Welsh legal Jurisdiction and to devolve Policing and Criminal Justice to Wales. Wales deserves a Proper Parliament.	Petitions which call for representations to be made to the UK Government on non-devolved issues (such as changes to the devolution settlement) are not admissible.
August	Devolution of	That the Welsh Assembly, as a matter of urgency, seeks to assume	Non-devolved.

2011	Police and Criminal Justice to Wales	responsibility for Police and Criminal Justice.	Decisions about the areas the National Assembly has powers for are the responsibility of the UK Government and Westminster.
August 2011	'Stop Cuts on British Police Forces' Petition to Welsh Senedd & British Parliament	The British Home Secretary should change course urgently please and stop police cuts. British Police Forces can make efficiency savings, however their Budgets are being cut far too much and fast so police forces do not have time to plan plus deliver sustainable change, instead the frontline is being hit. British Police Forces should deliver consistent high quality services every year and this will not be achieved by central dictat. It should be local people who judge whether services received are sufficiently adequate, through the Police & Crime Commissioners.	Non-devolved. Powers for policing are retained at Westminster.
August 2011	Officially recognise Cawl Cymreig as our national dish	We call on the National Assembly to urge the Welsh Government to recognise "Cawl Cymreig" as our National Dish alongside other national dishes such as Irish Stew for Ireland and Haggis for Scotland	Did not collect minimum number of signatures (10).
September	A Children's	With so many children being denied access to the people they love	Petitioner was

2011	Contract	<p>children need decisions taken before they are born about their future care, so that the eventualities that can happen in the life of a child are written and supported in law. There are too many decisions taken in the lives of children that deny their grandparents or extended family any say in the lives of the children when parents are unable to make those decisions. A children's contract clearly explaining what would happen to the child in the event of the parents separating or early death of one or both parents would form the basis of the Child's Contract and the funding for the child's wellbeing would be determined according to the circumstances of the parents.</p>	<p>seeking this to be incorporated as part of the Grandchildren's Charter which does not currently exist, and which the Committee is already considering a petition on.</p>
September 2011	Clarification of bi-lingual road signs	<p>We call upon the Welsh Assembly Government to improve the readability of bi-lingual road signs for all users. The current format of bi-lingual road signs in Wales is confusing for both English and Welsh speakers and even more so for overseas visitors. The adoption of a different font or colour for the text of the Welsh version would make it much easier for road users to identify the version they wish to read and thus contribute towards an improvement in road safety. For example, in Brittany, the Breton version is italicised whilst the French version is in normal text. We urge the Welsh Assembly Government to progressively introduce a</p>	<p>Non-devolved. Powers on road signs and fonts on signs are the responsibility of Westminster and the UK Government.</p>

		similar scheme in Wales. To minimise cost, the scheme should only be adopted for new and replacement signs.	
September 2011	Make St Davids Day a Public Holiday	We the undersigned petition to have St. David's Day made a Public Holiday with in Wales. Previous petitions have proved this to be in demand by the public (details below)Cross-party support resulted in the National Assembly for Wales voting unanimously to make St. David's Day a public holiday in 2000, a stance supported by the Wales TUC.[2] A poll conducted for Saint David's Day in 2006 found that 87% of people in Wales wanted it to be a bank holiday, with 65% prepared to sacrifice a different bank holiday to ensure this.[3] A petition in 2007 to make St. David's Day a bank holiday was rejected by office of the then British Prime Minister, Tony Blair.[4] (source: wikipedia)	Non-devolved. Powers on bank holidays are the responsibility of Westminster and the UK Government.
October 2011	Communication masts	No wording provided, but guidance sought on a petition about the erection of communication masts by National Rail within 500m of residential properties.	Non-devolved. Such communication masts remain the responsibility of Westminster and the UK Government.
October	Stop Severn	Removal of Severn Bridge Crossing M4 Tolls for private cars and	Substantially the

2011	Bridge Tolls	motorbikes.	same as a petition already under consideration.
October 2011	Referendum for Independence	Calling the Honorable National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to consider a referendum for Welsh independence.	Non-devolved. The devolution settlement remains the responsibility of Westminster and the UK Government.
October 2011	Village Green Status for Swansea Recreation Ground	The Recreation Ground (Mumbles Road) was ceded to the people of Swansea to be used in perpetuity by them for leisure activities. Several years ago by reason of constant use 50% of the Recreation Ground was converted in to a car park. In April 2011 local Councillors proposed the remaining portion of the ground should be granted 'Village Green Status' However in June 2011 considerable disquiet was aroused by the inclusion of the Recreation Ground in the L.D.P. The possibility of further development on the Recreation Ground would seriously impact on the leisure facilities available for all members of the community. We therefore ask the Assembly to support the people of Swansea in retaining the Recreation Ground as an open and green space.	Local authority decision. Local authority is responsible for applications to designate an area as a village green.

<p>October 2011</p>	<p>Cannabis Law Reform</p>	<p>To end the prohibition of cannabis. Prohibition is a big, dumb, and very expensive failure. It is brutal. It puts prejudice before people. The 'war on drugs' is responsible for more death, destruction and despair than any other war. History has shown that prohibition creates far more problems than it solves. In the 21st century we should expect far better solutions from our policy makers and governments.</p>	<p>Non-devolved. Powers on controlled drugs remain the responsibility of Westminster and the UK Government.</p>
<p>October 2011</p>	<p>House of Lords for Wales</p>	<p>We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to create a second chamber where Appointed Members could use their knowledge and experience gained within relevant fields to best scrutinise the work of the Welsh Assembly Government. Further to this, we call upon the Assembly to ensure that all future legislation is approved by both the Assembly and the new second chamber prior to it becoming law.</p>	<p>Non-devolved. Powers on the devolution settlement remain the responsibility of Westminster and the UK Government.</p>
<p>October 2011</p>	<p>Stand up and say no</p>	<p>Equal access to justice is the foundation of a civilised society. The Government intends to achieve a reduction of £350 million in the Legal Aid budget by removing advice completely for welfare benefit advice, employment, and the majority of debt and housing advice. For each £1 'saved' removing preventative advice, the Welsh Local Authorities will be hit with £8 in crisis management at local government level. The most vulnerable people in Wales will lose</p>	<p>Non-devolved. Legal aid remains the responsibility of Westminster and the UK Government.</p>

		<p>their access to justice. Citizen's Advice Bureaus will lose funding, law centres will close, and a social welfare legal advice desert will be created throughout a 1/3 of England and Wales. We invite you to show your support in fighting against these proposed legal aid cuts and aiming to ensure equal access to justice for all.</p>	
October 2011	Literary Protection	<p>Calling the Honorable National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to consider the guidance issued to the educational authorities and the institutes on the literature made available in the libraries.</p>	<p>Did not collect minimum number of signatures (10).</p>
November 2011	The restoration of dignity to the history of Wales	<p>We, the undersigned, call upon the Welsh Government to ensure that Welsh history is treated with respect and dignity, and ask that the exhibition about the Princes of Gwynedd placed in the public lavatory at Abergwynnregyn be removed immediately, as it degrades Wales and its history by its poor presentation and totally unsuitable location.</p>	<p>The exhibition was organised by a local community group, so the Assembly had no powers relating to the exhibition.</p>
November 2011	Keep Welsh Medium Sixth Form Education at Llanfyllin High School	<p>We the undersigned, object to Powys County Council's plans to withdraw from Llanfyllin High School the right to provide Welsh medium sixth form education. This act would have a destructive effect on the Welsh language in North Montgomeryshire, and shows complete discrimination against Welsh speaking students.</p>	<p>Local Authority decision. Individual school closures are the responsibility of the</p>

			individual local authority.
November 2011	Withdraw from EU	Dear AMs, Wales is it's own Country & even though we're part of UK we should be able to show we have bottle to move away from England laws & push for independence for the future of the welsh people & welsh jobs not overseas!!!!	Non-devolved. Membership of the European Union remains the responsibility of Westminster.
November 2011	Stop Pencae becoming all Welsh	we the undersigned believe that Ysgol Pencae should be kept as dual language stream to reflect the needs and first languages of the community in Penmaenmawr. We believe that to make it fully Welsh speaking would be to discriminate against and disadvantage unfairly a significant number of children	Local Authority decision. Decisions on the language designation of schools are the responsibility of the local authority.
December 2011	Petition to allow us to decorate graves	We would like Pembrokeshire County Council to allow the families of City Road cemetery to decorate their loved one's graves without restriction. Especially those of young children, lots through miscarriage, stillbirth and neonatal death. On the understanding that the plots and kept well, grass cut etc.	Local Authority decision. Cemetery management is responsibility of the individual local authority.
February	Business Rates	We, the undersigned representatives, petition the National Assembly	Did not collect

2012	for Guest Accommodation	<p>for Wales to introduce a commercial rating system for temporary guest accommodation such as hotels, guest houses, holiday accommodation, etc., that is based on actual occupancy, not maximum capacity. This, we believe, would be a fairer system since it would reflect the actual burden on the communal facilities, rather than the potential burden were the accommodation to be fully let increasingly unlikely in the current economic climate.</p> <p>Currently, guest accommodation is rated according to the number of bed spaces available. Since the facilities and services that are funded through the collection of business rates are only being used when guests are present, the rates for such businesses should be reduced to a standing charge which relates to funding the base infrastructure for public services, plus a sales tax applicable when a bed space has actually been sold. This will:(a) reduce the considerable financial burden on businesses who are struggling due to the current economic climate, and (b) enable new businesses to afford accommodation provision that, until the business grows, is under utilised and, therefore, not cost-effective.</p>	minimum number of signatures (10).
February 2012	Datganoli Cyfrifoldeb dros	Sicrhau bod yr un drefn yma yng Nghymru yr un fath ag y mae yn yr Alban a Gogledd Iwerddon.	Non-devolved. Decisions about the

	Ynni Cymru i'r Cynulliad.		powers which the National Assembly has are the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
February 2012	Hay on Wye Primary School	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to ensure that the building of a new school in Hay-on-Wye is funded through the public purse and not by a property development/supermarket deal".	Local authority decision.
March 2012	SOS Ponty Paddling Pool	Whilst fully in support of the RCT bid to the Heritage Lottery Fund to restore the Ynysangharad Park & Lido, we the undersigned believe that the current free to use paddling pool in Ponty's park is just as much a part of Ynysangharad War Memorial Park's heritage and history and should remain as and where it is.	Local authority decision.
March 2012	No to nuclear energy	EON and RWE were prohibited from building nuclear power stations in Germany because of the dangers involved. Despite that, lead by the Westminster Government and supported by the Government of Wales, there is an intention there is an intention to build the largest nuclear reactors in Europe at Wylfa, Anglesey, posing a threat to the	Non-devolved. Powers on nuclear power are retained by Westminster / UK Government.

		land, language, environment and health of the people of Wales. We call on the Government of Wales to concentrate on its policy of developing a renewable energy programme and to reverse its decision to support nuclear energy	
March 2012	Welsh Independence in the Eurovision Song Contest	I would like to petition for the National Assembly for Wales to put pressure on the BBC and Eurovision Song Contest for there no longer to be a 'United Kingdom' entry into the Eurovision Song Contest but instead for Wales, England, Scotland and Northern Ireland to be represented separately.	Non-devolved. Powers on broadcasting are retained at Westminster / UK Government.
March 2012	Right to collective worship	As a former teacher I am aware of the fact that collective worship in schools enriches the lives of the pupils and on no account should it be abolished. We should take every opportunity to nurture the spiritual lives of our young people.	Substantially the same as a petition already collecting signatures.
March 2012	More Powers for Wales	Petition calling upon the Honorable Members of the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to negotiate with the UK Government for more powers for the National Assembly for Wales.	Non-devolved. Powers on the devolution settlement remain the responsibility of Westminster.

<p>March 2012</p>	<p>Equal Rights for the Welsh Language</p>	<p>There are many cases where individuals have been dismissed for using the Welsh language at work, or have been banned from speaking the language in their workplace. This is unacceptable and a change is needed.</p> <p>This is important for the language to survive, and if people are allowed to do this, they will see the language as a joke and take advantage of the situation. Anyone should have the right to speak their own language anywhere.</p>	<p>Did not collect minimum number of signatures (10)</p>
<p>March 2012</p>	<p>A better road from North Wales to Cardiff</p>	<p>Build a better, smoother and straighter road all the way from north Wales to Cardiff. Many people complain about the A470 road. With a better quality road, that's straighter, it's possible to have a more comfortable and quicker journey.</p> <p>This is important as it stops people from visiting south Wales more often, and it's also very expensive to travel by train or to fly. It's important for people to be able to visit their capital city with ease.</p>	<p>Did not collect minimum number of signatures (10)</p>
<p>April 2012</p>	<p>Petition for a Land Act for Wales</p>	<p>In view of the fact that our Cymric land is being desecrated by rapacious landlords, hereditary aristocrats, the English Crown and Corporate Utility Companies this Petition demands of the</p>	<p>Non-devolved. The Assembly does not have powers for</p>

		Westminster Parliament and the Welsh Government the restoration of the land, by compulsory purchase, to its rightful owner, the People of Cymru, in order to preserve our heritage, the great beauty of this land and the common right of our people to access and make use of it until perpetuity.	compulsory purchase of such land.
April 2012	Gas shale fracking in Wales	We the undersigned urge the National Assembly for Wales to totally ban the practice of shale gas fracking.	Non-devolved. Powers on oil and gas are the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
May 2012	Save Holyhead Harbour	This petition is to oppose the Stena-Conygar plans for the development of Holyhead Harbour which would have a detrimental affect on the community, tourism and the Welsh language.	Local authority decision. Planning application to be decided by the local authority.
May 2012	Save Holyhead Harbour	Stena-Conygar have plans to develop the scenic harbour at Newry into apartments where only the rich from away would benefit. The locals would not benefit from it at all. They wish to this despite the fact that more important things such as much needed repairs and maintenance of the towns historic breakwater which has been	Local authority decision. Planning application to be decided by the local authority.

		severely neglected over the years and the fish dock which needs serious repairs	
May 2012	Welsh government push for ownership of natural resources	We would like the Labour led Welsh Government to go against Labour and Coalition government policy of controlling Welsh natural resources to the detriment of the people, economy and environment of Wales. We call for the Welsh government to push for devolved powers on par with Northern Ireland and Scotland. As at the moment it is members of the UK government who are allowing the building of wind farms all over Wales to supply England with energy while at the same time destroying our countryside and our tourism industry. There is no reason why we should give away our natural resources for free, if other nations in the UK are not.	Non-devolved. Powers on the devolution settlement remain the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
May 2012	We call upon the Government to exclude the Menai Straits from the proposed Marine Conservation Zones	We Call upon the Welsh Assembly Government NOT to include the MENAI STRAITS within the Marine Conservation Zones Save the Straits. Like us on www.facebook.com/savethestraits	Substantially the same to another petition which was collecting signatures at the time.

May 2012	Bring Back Butlins	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to bring back Butlins to Barry Island. It will bring more tourists to South Wales, boosting the economy, creating jobs and improving the local area.	Such a decision is the responsibility of Butlins. The Assembly has no powers to make a company do something.
May 2012	Collective worship in schools.	Collective worship does matter to a great many people.	Substantially the same to another petition which was collecting signatures at the time.
June 2012	The New Lido "What People Want"	We are the people of Port Talbot, and we are sick of being 2nd best, we voted the council in to work for us, each one receives £1000's of tax payers money to represent each and every one of us. We want a Lido to be proud of.	Local Authority decision.
June 2012	Port Talbot People Against Inferior Rebuild of Afan Lido	We the undersigned agree with the campaign Port Talbot People Against Inferior Rebuild of Afan Lido and demand:	Local Authority decision.
July 2012	No building on	We the undersigned, oppose the proposed plans to build 18,000	Local Authority

	Greenfield sites of Cardiff and it's suburbs	homes (i.e. 40% of 45,000 homes proposed in total) on greenfield sites in Cardiff and its suburbs.	decision.
August 2012	Porthcawl Regeneration	We the undersigned believe that the residents of Porthcawl and the immediate surrounding area deserve to be consulted on and have input to all aspects regarding the regeneration of their town. In addition there should be complete openness and transparency of the proposals accompanied by monthly updates via newsletters and other social media.	Local Authority decision.
September 2012	Welsh Government to remove and Ban the film 'Innocence-muslim-everywhere movie from youtube.'	In YouTube the film "Innocence of Muslims" has been launched recently against Islam .We condemn the loss of innocent lives during the protests against this film. Muslims respect all the religions and Holy Prophets. We have seen in the past that sometimes, cartoons of Holy Prophet Muhammad (May peace and blessings of Almighty Allah be upon Him) have been made which has hurt the feelings of millions of Muslims as well as other people all over the world. We strongly condemn the making of such cartoons and films and demand that appropriate laws should be made by the international community to stop this happening again in the future. We therefore call on welsh Government to Ask Google to remove and Ban this movie from those site ASAP.	Broadcasting is non-devolved, and the Assembly has no powers in relation to the operation of Youtube.

September 2012	Make St David's Cross the true flag of Wales	With more support for an independent Wales it is understandable that Wales have its own flag. The current 'Dragon' flag, does not suffice to serve as an independent nation considering it shows how Wales is underfoot of St George, who slew that Dragon, according to legend. It is a sign that Wales will never be independent and always subject to the laws of England and the insignificant part of a crumbling union. The promotion of St David's Cross as the official flag of Wales will allow all Welsh people to unite under on flag and truly feel Welsh. The Cross is a flag of the Britons, of whom the Welsh originate.	Non-devolved. Flags are the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
September 2012	Wind turbines on Anglesey	I am writing to object to the proposal to erect numerous wind turbines on Anglesey. These machines are expensive, inefficient, and blight the landscape. In addition they cause distress to local residents and certainly downgrade their property values.	Local authority decision. Planning application to be decided by the local authority.
September 2012	Try to save Bryntirion Jur	We want to set up a petition to save the school from closure its sad for parents and kids who are in the school and to merge with another school which is full is terrible.	Local authority decision. Planning application to be decided by the local authority.

September 2012	Raise the legal drinking age	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh government to raise the legal drinking age in Wales to 20 years of age. We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to abolish the laws that allow people aged between 5 and 17 years can legally drink alcohol at home or at a friend's house with the permission of a parent or legal guardian. The other law that needs to be abolished is the law that allows 16 – 17 year old to consume wine, beer or cider on licensed premises when buying a meal.	Non-devolved. Licensing and criminal law are the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
October 2012	The Welsh Pound	We call on the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to introduce the "Welsh Pound" in a similar fashion that the City of Bristol has recently done with the "Bristol Pound". We are a Country yet we do not have our own Banknote, yet Scotland has. Even a City such as Bristol has done it to try and get people to spend within their city. So If we in Wales could have this implemented here then hopefully it could help boost the Welsh Economy. Take a look at the Bristol Pound website for ideas of how it can be done.	Non-devolved. Banking is the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
October 2012	Assisted Suicide debate by WAG	The UK Government recently debated the case for and against changing the laws regarding assisted suicide. Anna Soubry MP has called for a change while Margot McDonald MSP is facilitating a	Non-devolved. Criminal law is the responsibility of

		debate in Scotland. Why should Assisted Death only be available to those who can afford £10,000 to go to Switzerland? Why cannot sufferers die in their own homes with their family around them? Do they decide to die too early because they have to be fit to travel to Switzerland? LET WELSH AMs DEBATE THIS IN CARDIFF.	Westminster / UK Government.
October 2012	Fat Tax	Due to a number of historical and current factors, NHS spending in Wales is higher than other parts of the UK. There has been much talk recently of introducing a FAT tax which would be levied against junk food. This would mean everybody pays the tax regardless of whether you are a sensible eater or an obese person. Go into any retail outlet and the price you pay for any article of clothing in the XS size is the same as the XXXL size. Obviously there is a lot more material and work required for something in the larger sizes so why is this not reflected in the prices? Surely a fairer way of levying a FAT Tax is to levy it on the larger sizes that obese people buy. Wales introduced the 5p levy on carrier bags, can we not introduce legislation to apply a levy on clothing required by obese people.	Non-devolved. Powers over taxation are retained at Westminster and pricing structures are the decision of individual clothing shops.
October 2012	Hay on Wye Supermarket	We, the undersigned, strongly oppose the building of a new supermarket/retail development to fund the new school Hay needs."	Local authority decision.
November 2012	To call for the placing of a large 'Senedd' /	We call on the National Assembly to urge the Welsh Government to insist on placing a large and prominent and impressive sign on the main public entrance of the Senedd building overlooking Cardiff Bay,	After discussion with the petitioner, became clear that the

	'Parliament' sign and Welsh flag on the public entrance of the Senedd	with large prominent lettering denoting 'Senedd Cymru' / 'Parliament of Wales' together with substantial and impressively centrally placed Welsh flag	petitioner was seeking a name change for the National Assembly. The powers to change the name of the National Assembly are retained at Westminster.
November 2012	Parking Brook Street Williams town	Provision of residents parking in Lower Brook Street	Local authority decision. Decisions on parking schemes are the responsibility of the individual local authority.
November 2012	Save Cwmcarn High School	This document will be used to petition Caerphilly County Council and the Welsh Assembly Government for guarantees that our school 'Cwmcarn High' will NOT close indefinitely.	Local authority decision. Decisions about individual schools are the responsibility of the relevant local

			authority.
November 2012	Please bring control of the Severn Bridges and their toll prices under the control of the Welsh Assembly	Due to increasingly high toll prices for crossing the Severn Bridges into Wales from England and the inherent worry about potential damage to businesses of all sizes in South Wales, as well as to people's personal finances, we call upon the Welsh Assembly to demand full control of both Severn Bridges be moved into the hands of the Welsh Assembly.	Non-devolved. Decisions on the powers the National Assembly has remain the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
November 2012	Stop tickets being bought, then sold for 500% of the original sale value.	Tickets for concerts, sports events or anything of that manner are being bought on ticket master for the sale price and then sold on additional sites for a considerable amount more money e.g for the asking Alexandria concert in Manchester the tickets are £15.40 and are being sold on www.getmein.com at £66-£85. Stop this from happening so that people that want to go and watch the concert can buy the tickets for the general on sale price.	Non-devolved. Consumer protection and regulations of ticket sales are the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
November 2012	Parking Brook Street Williamstown	Provision of residents parking in Lower Brook Street. No rear access for houses on one side of Lower Brook Street.	Local authority decision. Decisions about resident's parking schemes are the responsibility of the relevant local authority.

November 2012	POW Closure	I have two young children and would be devastated if They were not able to be treated at Bridgend. Going to Cardiff or Swansea could mean the difference of living or dying.	Substantially the same to another petition which was collecting signatures at the time.
November 2012	Reject application Access Road and Roundable on Penrhos Road, Bangor, Gwynedd	This roundabout and access road will be the only point of entry/exit onto Penrhos Road from the development of 245 housing units proposed by Redrow. This could potentially massively increase the already serious congestion problems on Penrhos Road, which in turn will increase the risk to pedestrians, further hinder the emergency services gaining access/exit to and from Ysbyty Gwynedd. The Traffic Impact assessment carried out by Redrow was done so in August 2012 and was not a true reflection of the volume and congestion as it was carried out during the summer holidays. It is imperative you sign this petition to prevent this application from being granted.	Local authority decision. Decisions about individual planning applications are the responsibility of the relevant local authority.
November 2012	Petition against planning application NO C12134725LL Development against LAND	RE:Petition against planning application APPLICATION NO: C12/1347/25/LL:Development against LAND NEAR FFORDD PENRHOS, BANGOR, GWYNEDD PROPOSAL: CONSTRUCTION OF 245HOUSING UNITS COMPRISING OF DETACHED, SEMI DETACHED AND APPARTMENTS (TO INCLUDE 86 AFFORDABLE UNITS) WITH ASSOCIATED PARKING	Local authority decision. Decisions about individual planning applications are the responsibility of the relevant local

	NEAR FFORDD PENRHOS, BANGOR	AND GARDEN AMENITIES, ASSOCIATED WORKS, ERECTION OF PUMPING STATION AND DEMOLITION OF SINGLE STOREY OUTBUILDING This is in reference to the planning application C12/1347/25/LL available on the Gwynedd Council website. I have certain concerns and objections to the proposed development 245 new Residential houses in the Goetre Uchaf area off Penrhosgarnedd.	authority.
November 2012	Maes Y Droell Quarry	We oppose the plan to site a building waste sorting/recycling facility at Maes Y Droell quarry. Whilst we recognise the need to fill in old quarry workings, it is wholly unsuitable to site an industrial processing facility in such a location, with such limited transport links and situated within a residential area.	Local authority decision. Decisions about individual planning applications are the responsibility of the relevant local authority.
November 2012	Petition against the vivisection at Cardiff University	I, the undersigned, call for the ending of cruel and unnecessary torture and deaths of animals used in Cardiff University. Vivisection is dangerous to humans; drugs that pass animal testing are found to be the cause of birth defects (Thalidomide) organ failure, and death. Vivisection needlessly kills hundreds of thousands of animals, 51 826 at Cardiff university alone each year. vivisection delays the safe advances in medical, surgical and veterinary progress. (The polio vaccine was delayed by 90 years following the	Non-devolved. Regulation of scientific or other experimental procedures on animals are the responsibility of Westminster / UK

		<p>inaccurate results of animal tests). Vivisection is a huge cost to tax payers, Cardiff University spent over £1.5million last year purchasing, housing, feeding, maintaining, and killing animals last year and the results of these experiments benefitted no-one, they were merely published in one of 33 journals. This is unacceptable as there are alternatives to vivisection that give far more accurate results than archaic, barbaric mutilation and suffering inflicted on innocent animals.</p>	<p>Government.</p>
<p>December 2012</p>	<p>People trafficking of Eritrean refugees in the Sinai Peninsula</p>	<p>We the undersigned, call upon the National Assembly of Wales to urge the Welsh Government to make representations to the UK Government and other bodies with a view to raising awareness of and seeking a solution to the ongoing tragedy of Eritrean refugees being kidnapped and held for ransom in the Sinai Peninsula.</p>	<p>Non-devolved. Foreign policy remains the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.</p> <p>Additionally petitions which call for representations to the UK Government on non-devolved issues are</p>

			inadmissible, because the call should be made to the body which has primary responsibility (in this case UK Government).
December 2012	Maintain all services at the Princess of Wales Hospital	I think with the population of Bridgend growing we need all the services available.	Substantially the same to another petition which was collecting signatures at the time.
December 2012	Air Ambulance should be funded by Assembly	Air ambulance should be funded by assembly. Why should this vital service purely be ran on charity this SHOULD be financed by the Welsh Assembly.	Substantially the same as a petition already under consideration.
December 2012	Renationalisation of power companies within Wales	We have the ability and infrastructure to generate and distribute gas and electricity throughout our country. We can do this far cheaper than the large companies. Cheaper power would make us more competitive within the manufacturing sector. Also with no shareholders, the burden of high bills and fuel poverty would be	Non-devolved. Responsibility for electricity, coal, oil and gas are retained at Westminster.

		relieved from welsh businesses and residents.	
December 2012	Save the Berwyn Centre	Request the Welsh Assembly Government to engage with Bridgend County Borough Council in order to persuade them to properly consult with the community of Nant-y-moel and with the Save the Berwyn Centre group to attempt to find a way to prevent the demolition of the Berwyn Centre in Nant-y-moel.	Local authority decision. Operational decision of the local authority.
January 2013	Bring Down the Curtain on this Farce	It now clear that devolution has failed to improve the lives of the vast majority of Welsh people. We therefore call on the Welsh Government to bring down the curtain ton this farce by leading the National Assembly for Wales into voluntary dissolution.	Non-devolved. Powers on the devolution settlement remain the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
January 2013	Free travel to Schools and Colleges	This is to make the bus to and from the places of education free.	Substantially the same as a petition already under consideration.
January 2013	Picket Mead Common	No wording provided, but advice sought as to whether a petition on proposed developments on Picket Mead Common would be admissible.	Local authority decision. Decisions about individual planning applications are the responsibility

			of the relevant local authority.
January 2013	Tenby Minor Injuries Unit	We ask the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Minister for Health and Social Services, Lesley Griffiths to call in for review the decision of the Hywel Dda Health Board to continue with its plans to close the Minor Injuries Unit in Tenby.	Substantially the same as a petition already under consideration.
January 2013	Save Cardiff Riding School	We urge Cardiff Council to re-consider the closure of Cardiff Riding School. Home to 50 horses whose future becomes very uncertain, and employer to many staff that are also under threat because of the Council's threat to close the school.	Local authority decision. Operational decision of the local authority.
February 2013	Storey Arms Outdoor Education Budget Cuts	Storey Arms Outdoor Education Centre is run by Cardiff County Council. Cardiff have proposed a removal 100% in the centres budget this April. Storey Arms has served Cardiff pupils and youth service for over 40 years. It's staff are renowned for their skills in using this outdoor and residential setting to increase their understanding of nature, their health and well-being and sustainable use of the fantastic Brecon Beacons National Park.	Local authority decision. Operational decision of the local authority.
February 2013	Ban Ritual Animal Slaughter	Wording not given, but advice sought on whether a petition seeking a ban on ritual animal slaughter would be admissible.	Substantially the same as a petition already under consideration.
February	Save the NHS in	I have read and listened to the various reports in the media	Substantially the

2013	North Wales	concerning the Betsi Cadwaladr University Health board and its consultation document, including its proposals to close Colwyn Bay Hospital's minor injuries unit and Ysbyty Glan Clwyd's specialist neo-natal unit. I want to support the action of Conwy County Borough Councillors in their move to debate a vote of no confidence in the Health Board. I further call upon the Health Board to reconsider their proposals in light of the public disquiet.	same to another petition which was collecting signatures at the time.
March 2013	Overdevelopment of Tanyfron's	Brymbo Developments Ltd have resubmitted a planning proposal to build on 'Green Barrier Land' (P/2012/0817 in WCBC planning Department) for outline planning of housing on a field adjoining the old Brymbo Steelworks site that has always been used by the community for recreational purposes. The Wrexham UDP, which is still currently in force as of March 2013, states that with respect to the 'urban village' areas such as Brymbo's environmental thresholds have been reached and services and facilities are under pressure. In addition, many of the urban villages are separated from each other by narrow areas of open countryside. The strategy aims to safeguard the individual character of the villages by maintaining these open areas and this is reflected in the allocation of land for development. It is therefore considered inadvisable to promote further major development on the edge of the urban villages beyond existing commitments.	Local authority decision. Decisions about individual planning applications are the responsibility of the relevant local authority.

March 2013	Make St David's day a national holiday in Wales	March 1 st is without doubt a special day for Welsh culture. Without question it should be granted National Holiday status by the Welsh Assembly, a Public Holiday. We must not continue to live with this vile residue of the Thatcher and imperialistic eras, that denies the school children and people of Wales that moment to savour the glory and pride of being Welsh ~ Make this Day of Welsh heritage a Public Holiday.	Non-devolved. Responsibility for designating bank holidays is retained by Westminster / UK Government.
March 2013	A second scrutinising chamber made up of Welsh citizens chosen at random in the jury style system.	We call on the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to establish a second scrutinising chamber / Ty'r bobol / Citizen House, made up of Welsh citizens chosen at random from all over Wales in the citizen jury style system. This as well as a mixed array of independent non party affiliated experts/spokespersons from all fields suggested by small to medium sized businesses, non charity community groups, schools and colleges that would be decided by drawing of lots. This system of demarchy would give Welsh politics a much-needed form of independent scrutiny and would make sure our government is more representative of the people and is able to be challenged and truly held to account when necessary.	Non-devolved. Powers on the devolution settlement remain the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
March 2013	A Welsh National Power Grid for	We call on the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to develop a unified Welsh power grid, joining the	Non-devolved. Powers on the

	Wales and the rightful control of all energy production to Wales.	currently unconnected electricity lines of north, mid and south Wales. This would that all of Wales' energy production is quantifiable and our abundant excess energy can be exported and regulated more effectively, boosting a sustainable Welsh economy and providing potentially thousands of new jobs. It is proposed that this could be done with specially designed pylons that blend in with the Welsh environment, by underground cables or by placing under-sea cables in Cardigan Bay.	generation, transmission and supply of electricity remain the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
April 2013	NO! NO! NO! To a minutes silence for Maggie	Thatcher is one of the most hated politicians the people of Wales ever had the misfortune to have been ruled by. We, the undersigned, demand that OUR Senedd does not demean itself in fake sycophancy by showing this enemy of Wales the slightest gram of attention in the wake of her overdue death. During her callous reign Thatcher systematically destroyed communities all over Wales as well as targeting the weakest in our society. We should afford her the same courtesy that she afforded us, NONE.	Decisions on tributes in Plenary are for the Presiding Officer to make, and not something that the Petitions Committee can consider.
April 2013	Barriers to further education	Barriers to young people who are estranged from their families for various reasons from gaining access to further education access.	Non-devolved. Powers on benefits remain the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.

May 2013	Legalisation of suicide booths / clinics	With the world getting as over populated as it is, the wars and conflicts are not decreasing the amount of humans as what they once did. Although it pains me to say it, the world is over-run too much by us. With a local professional suicide clinic. Although the escape button is not always the answer, help/advice & us a leaflet on the clinic would put people minds at rest. But give them peace of mind if they choose it.	Non-devolved. The Assembly does not have any powers on this issue.
May 2013	Control of PPI and other nuisance calls	We call on you to legislate to control the nuisance of PPI and other nuisance sales telephone calls.	Non-devolved. Powers on telecommunications remain the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
June 2013	St David's Channel - Culfor Dewi Sant	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to rename St George's Channel to St David's Channel.	Non-devolved.
June 2013	Petition against the policy change regarding business rates relief for charity	The Welsh Assembly wants to reduce business rate relief for charity shops in Wales, if this takes place then many charity shops will inevitably have to close. This will have a huge impact of our local communities and the charities that will be affected. Please sign this petitions against this policy change.	The same as another petition which was under consideration by the Committee.

	shops.		
June 2013	Not given	My daughter has complex chronic and life threatening health conditions and its very important that she gets to the hospital in an emergency. To have to go to another hospital could be life threatening to my daughter.	Committee was already considering a petition about this particular hospital site.
June 2013	Not given	We call upon the Welsh Assembly to urge the Welsh Government to take measure to ensure that no public contracts issued by them are awarded to companies who benefit from the illegal occupation of Palestinian land.	Non-devolved. Procurement law is the responsibility of the European Parliament.
July 2013	Welsh money for Welsh elections.	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to impose a ban on foreign funding for Wales only elections. If such a ban cannot be created then we urge the political parties in Wales to sign an agreement stating that only money from supporters in Wales will be used for Welsh Assembly Election campaigns.	Non-devolved. Electoral funding is the responsibility of Westminster / UK Government.
July 2013	Reverse the opt out of donating organs back to opt in	I call on the Welsh Assembly Government to reverse the decision, which means that people in Wales must opt out of donating organs upon their death back to an opt in process.	Substantially similar to a petition which had already been considered by the Committee

July 2013	pow a/e restricted closure	To even think of altering the POW facilities is madness. It is a main help feeder hospital for the valleys Bridgend and many more areas. Just look at the inconvenience to everyone including sick elderly etc. ok so you do have closures but what strain do you put on other hospitals, if not now but in the future.	Committee was already considering a petition about this issue.
August 2013	Not given	The families of pupils attending the new schools at Ebbw Vale request support in getting free transport to take the children to school as there are dangerous roads to cross and in bad weather the pupils will be in no fit state to comfortably attend classes, please help before there are any children hurt or abducted whilst walking to school. It will be too late to act once a tragedy has happened. PLEASE KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE	Operational responsibility of a Local Authority
August 2013	Fight for free transport for the children of Ebbw Fawr!	Blaenau Gwent council are refusing to provide school transport to a newly built school in Ebbw Vale to children living under 2 miles. We as parents believe that this should be an issue of safety not distance! To walk 1.9 miles takes 53 minutes! This means children walking almost an hour before and after school! In winter, it will be dark, wet with ungritted routes! Children will be sitting in soaked clothes for up to 9 hours a day! With the added congested traffic, some routes with no crossings, poorly lit, with the dark of a 7am winter morning children will not be safe. We ask for support in securing school buses on safety grounds not distance!	Operational responsibility of a Local Authority

September 2013	Where's the promised Welsh-medium primary school for Grangetown and Butetown?	We request that the National Assembly for Wales seeks clarification from Cardiff Council as to why the cabinet decided on 22 July 2013 to consult upon providing increased primary Welsh-medium education capacity for Grangetown, Cardiff, by expanding the distant Ysgol Gynradd Pwll Coch to 3FE, instead of building a new 1FE Welsh-medium primary school in Grangetown, in line with the strategic objectives enshrined in the WMES, and in particular the need to 'encourage increased access to WM early years and primary statutory provision within the child's community.' The council's current 21 st Century Schools Programme and Welsh Education Strategic Plan, both having been ratified by the Welsh Government clearly include a new funded school for Grangetown, not an expansion of Pwll Coch. We request that the National Assembly for Wales enquires of Cardiff Council why the cabinet's unexpected decision isn't consistent with the anticipated forward-planning of WM provision in this area as outlined and agreed upon in these current documents	Local authority decision. Decisions about individual schools are operational responsibility of a local authority.
September 2013	100% Reopen Grants	Re-instate Housing Renewal Grants	Operational Responsibility of Local Authority
September 2013	Save Nantyglo Leisure Centre	PLEASE RECONSIDER THE PLANNED CLOSURE OF OUR LOCAL NANTYGLO LEISURE CENTRE OPEN IT IS A MUCH NEEDED AND USED	Operational Responsibility of

		FACILITY,AND ITS CLOSURE WILL HAVE A IMPACT ON PEOPLES HEALTH AND GENERAL WELL BEING.	Local Authority
September 2013	Spare Room Subsidy (Bedroom Tax) Financial Support	With the implementation of the Spare Room Subsidy, more commonly known as the Bedroom Tax, came into effect in April 2013 many families have seen their livelihoods deteriorate drastically. As such we call upon the elected Welsh Government to help alleviate the unnecessary stress this burdensome and catastrophic policy has created. As there is nowhere near enough housing to accommodate the amount of people in Social Housing who are now only considered to be appropriate dwellers of 1 bedroom properties it is unfair and unreasonable that these tenants be forced to pay extra to live in a dwelling that they have dwelt in for many years and set roots and community. Therefore we demand the Welsh Assembly to request funding to completely alleviate and offset the burden of the Spare Room Subsidy or to scrap this poisonous and dangerous policy immediately	Non-devolved. The provision of social security benefits is a matter for the UK Government
October 2013	Visteon workers' pensions	We call on the National Assembly for Wales to carry out research as to the adverse impact upon over 700 former Visteon workers living in Swansea and surrounding areas caused by the loss of their pensions, and the knock-on effect to the economy of Swansea and surrounding areas caused by the loss of those Visteon pensions.	Occupational pensions are specifically excepted from the Assembly and Welsh Ministers' powers by Schedule

		We also call on the Welsh Government or a committee of the National Assembly for Wales to hold an inquiry into the impact of the loss of pensions to both the Visteon workers and the economy of the area in which they live.	7 of the Government of Wales Act 2006.
October 2013	Raise the alcohol drinking age to 21	I propose to the Welsh Assembly, that the age at which a person in Wales may buy and consume alcohol from an off license premise be raised to the age of 21. This will be of benefit for many reasons to the Welsh Economy, Health Service and society at large. 1. It will further prevent minors from buying and consuming alcohol and creating anti-social behaviour in the community. 2. It will cut the amount of alcohol related admissions to hospital for those under 21.3. It will lower the alcohol crime related levels in Wales for those under 21.	Non-devolved. The licensing of sale and supply of alcohol is a specific exception to the legislative powers of the National Assembly.
October 2013	Frack Free Wales	Evidence from the USA, Australia and elsewhere has shown that the extraction of gas from coal seams and shale beds through the processes of Underground Coal Gasification, Coal Bed Methane and 'fracking' for Shale Gas carries significant environmental and health-related risks The very use of the extracted gas would itself contribute to climate change from intensive energy use and the release of methane. We believe that the potential impacts of these processes upon the	Energy policy is largely non-devolved and the Welsh Government does not have the powers to place a moratorium on gas exploration. The Department of Energy and Climate

		<p>people of Wales and their environment could be considerable.</p> <p>We therefore call upon the Welsh Government to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Impose an immediate moratorium on the extraction of gas from Wales' shale formations and coal seams until all the impacts and associated risks are fully understood and processes proven safe. • Prioritise the development of renewable energy and energy efficiency measure. 	<p>Change issues the licences for shale gas exploration and local authorities are responsible under planning guidelines for determining where that exploration can take place. A petition on planning policy related to fracking was and is being considered by the Committee</p>
November 2013	Stop the extension of the special area of interest in Michaelston le Pit	<p>The extension of the special area of interest across Michaelston le Pit and other areas is detrimental to the local community of smallholders operating at Michaelston le Pit. This type of planning extension is not sustainable, is not needed and is not wanted by the local agricultural community. We want to halt the extension which will put people out of business and stop agricultural growth. We appeal to the Welsh Government to intervene immediately and halt</p>	<p>The designation of <i>Sites of Importance for Nature Conservation</i> (SINCs) falls within the operational responsibility of a</p>

		the extension over the lawns and Cwrt Ala Basin.	local authority.
November 2013	Support the request by Rhodri Glyn Thomas AM that the Welsh Assembly Government place Carmarthenshire County Council in "Special Measures"	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh government to act upon the recent request made by Rhodri Glyn Thomas AM that the Welsh government place Carmarthenshire County Council in "Special Measures" and "intervene in the way the county council conducts its affairs".	Petitions which call for the Welsh Government/National Assembly for Wales to intervene in the operational decisions or actions of local authorities are inadmissible for consideration
November 2013	An independent Welsh Government investigation in to stratospheric aerosol spraying also known as Chemtrails over Wales.	We call on the Welsh Assembly to urge the Welsh Government to urgently establish a full, independent and decisive investigation in to any injection of aerosols or other materials in to the skies over Wales by aircraft or by any other method. The UK Government has acknowledged a programme of Stratospheric Aerosol Geoengineering, also known as persistent jet trails, and evidence has been documented by tens of thousands of citizens throughout Britain and the world for over a decade now. Independent labs are also detecting toxic levels of aluminium, barium, magnesium and other high levels of conductive and heavy metals elements as well as	Powers in relation to aviation and air transport and vehicle emissions are not devolved to Welsh Ministers.

		<p>nano material in rainwater samples, whilst soil pH levels are reading lower than normal meaning a potential infertile soil. If true, these actions are being implemented outside of any national or international legal framework, without the knowledge or informed consent of the population and in violation of the elementary precautionary principle.</p>	
<p>November 2013</p>	<p>A full independent Welsh Government report in to the safety and effectiveness of all vaccines administered in Wales.</p>	<p>We call on the Welsh Assembly to urge the Welsh government to hold a full and independent investigation in to the safety and effectiveness of all vaccines and flu shots administered in Wales, to humans and to animals, whether compulsory or otherwise. A recent report by Lucija Tomljenovic, PhD of University of British Columbia raises crucial issues about transparency by the UK Department of Health and Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation (JCVI) She states that this could be considered as a form of ethical violation or misconduct. Her report also shows how Transcripts of the JCVI meetings also allegedly show that some of the Committee members had extensive ties to pharmaceutical companies and that the JCVI frequently co-operated with vaccine manufacturers on strategies aimed at boosting vaccine uptake and that "methodologically dubious studies" have been used whilst vaccine safety issues and concerns have been downplayed, ignoring the precautionary principle.</p>	<p>Powers in relation to the licencing of vaccines and the regulation and monitoring of vaccine safety are not devolved.</p>

November 2013	Stop Royal Mail Junk Mail	In light of local councils facing fines for low levels of recycling, i call on the welsh assembly to ban royal mail from posting junk mail to private addresses most of which go straight in the refuse bin and making further rubbish for the councils to collect and causing nuisance for residents, please stop unaddressed mail from the post man.	Powers relating to Royal Mail and postal services are not devolved.
November 2013	Protection of Bees and Pollinators	We call upon the National Assembly for Wales to ask the Welsh Government to implement a ban on neonicotinoid pesticides. These products; which are extremely hazardous to bees and beneficial insects, have been prohibited from use for a limited period within the EU. However, this ban does not extend to domestic use. Since these chemicals came into use there has been a marked and steep decline of our bee and pollinator populations. Natural bee and insect pollination is worth far more to Wales than the perceived benefits of these Nicotine based pesticides. Wales has a strong tradition of rural, and suburban gardens; with allotments being actively encouraged, as both hobby and family food source. These areas should be a safe and chemical free natural habitat for our most industrious and valuable insect allies. By allowing domestic use of neonicotinoid based products we will further reduce populations and invalidate research into the recovery of these important natural	Powers to ban neonicotinoid pesticides are not devolved.

		species.	
November 2013	Please say NO to a Gas Fired Power Station proposal for Wrexham	WRAPS, Wrexham Residents Against the Power Scheme was formed to represent the people of Wrexham in their fight to stop this proposal in it's tracks, please add your support with a signature, Thanks, it really does count!	Energy consent powers for the construction etc. of generating stations of more than 50 megawatts are not devolved to the Welsh Government.
December 2013	Maladministration of funds (Regeneration schemes and construction projects)	It's a petition for a public enquiry to achieve accountability for the number of employees in the construction industry in the Carmarthenshire area who have been made redundant and to the tenants of properties that have failed to have work completed due to negligent management of funds.	Sought clarity from the petitioner on whether Operational matter or decision for the local authority.
December 2013	Save our Special Events Team	Please help save our Special Events team & the Travel & Tourism department from Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council cut backs. We have little enough entertainment around our industrialised area, we need every light relief we can get in the county.	Operational matter or decision for the local authority.
January 2014	Lifejackets should be worn whilst	Fishing is one of the most dangerous occupations, however most fisherman don't wear this simple lifesaver at work – contributing to	The employment of personnel in the

	working on fishing boats.	hundreds of preventable deaths, for two reasons: Practicality: by law, a boat must have lifejackets, whilst the bulky foam-filled kind meet legal requirements, they are too bulky to wear whilst working. However, modern inflating lifejackets are much more compact, so this isn't a problem. Cost: modern life-jackets cost more than foam-filled lifejackets. In an industry where wages can be low, spending on PPE is not economically rational. Wearing a hardhat became compulsory for miners in 1954. 50 years on, I call upon the assembly to save lives, and do the same for lifejackets in 2014. I propose that: a) A fishing boat must carry modern inflating lifejackets for all crew, which must be suitable for wearing whilst working. b) The skipper must ensure that everyone on board is wearing lifejackets whilst working on deck (including him- or herself).	fishing industry and their health and safety is not devolved. Further, the 'technical and safety standards of vessels' is specifically excluded from the Assembly's legislative competence under paragraph 10 of Schedule 7 to GOWA.
January 2014	Save Llanafan Primary School	Llanafan Primary School is a small rural school in Mid Wales providing outstanding education and pupil support. Ceredigion County Council federated the school with Llanfihangel y Creuddyn with the view that this would ensure the survival of both schools. Suddenly, last year, Llanafan School was placed under review for closure. The school is not under 20 pupils, which is the normal review number, and the decision seems to be being bulldozed through with complete disregard for pupils, parents, and the local	School closures are the operational responsibility of individual local authorities

		community. Please help keep this small school open, our children and their communities in rural areas have suffered enough.	
February 2014		<p>We urge the Wales Government to consider the use of cannabidiol (CBD), the non psychoactive part of the cannabis plant, as an effective cancer treatment,</p> <p>and note that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a UK company, GW Pharmaceuticals is currently marketing Savitex, made from extracts from the cannabis plant, in the UK, for medicinal purposes. • the granting of such a license proves that the cannabis plant is not harmful to human health • patients and their families are being needlessly exposed to an unregulated, criminal-controlled economy. • cancer sufferers in Wales, who distil the CBD oil at home, are being wrongly criminalised • there is a huge body of work proving that CBD is a most effective form of cancer treatment • cancer sufferers in Wales urgently need safe access to safe medicine. 	The licencing of human medicines and medicinal products is not devolved.
February	Stop Fly Tipping –	Since the recent closing of the skip site at Blaina in Blaenau Gwent,	Operational

2014	re-open Blaina Skips and Recycling Point	the amount of fly-tipping in the area has increased dramatically. The skip at Blaina was well used by local residents and the council closed it. The resulting costs of picking up rubbish must justify the site being re-opened.	responsibility of the local authority.
February 2014	Keep Junctions 40 & 41 Open	We call upon the Welsh Government to ensure that M4 Motorway Junctions 40 & 41 remain open. We believe that any closure of either junction would have a detrimental effect on the local economy and hamper efforts to promote jobs and growth in the area. It would place undue pressure upon the local road network in Port Talbot and risk undermining the ongoing investment and regeneration schemes already planned in the town. It is important for the future viability of Port Talbot, particularly the Town Centre and our much valued local businesses, that both junctions stay open to provide direct access to and from the M4.	Committee currently considering a substantially similar petition.
March 2014	Making Recreational Sports and Martial Arts Safe	I propose to make sports safe for all. In the age of sex grooming and child sex offenders it has been brought to my attention that there are many martial arts clubs in the area and no one governs the clubs. They are not registered, no details on instructors are held on a database and not many have a disclosure certificate from the police. There are far too many small clubs popping up all over the place, and there seems to be no rules with the current system, no information on barred instructors, criminal records etc. are held on	Whilst the protection and well-being of children is devolved, the responsibility for Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) checks, previously known as CRB

		<p>a national database. At the moment if someone wanted to join a club they would probably have to go through the police.</p> <p>The Welsh Assembly need to step up and take control and govern the wild uncontrolled Wales.</p>	<p>checks, is not devolved to Wales. In addition, the Committee is currently considering a broader petition on strengthening child protection in relation to those who work with, or have charge of, children.</p>
<p>March 2014</p>	<p>Restoration of Welsh NHS to Westminster control</p>	<p>We, the undersigned, demand that control of the NHS in Wales (and all associated powers and funding) be returned to the United Kingdom Secretary of State for Health and Her Majesty's Government in Westminster in order to prevent the further deterioration of health provision within Wales.</p> <p>Since devolution health provision has steadily deteriorated in Wales with significantly increased waiting times for ambulances, A&E treatment, specialist care as well as higher than acceptable hospital mortality rates. In spite of this the WAG has refused to set up an independent enquiry and the wider Assembly has shown a complete</p>	<p>Matters relating to the devolution of powers rest with the UK Government.</p>

		<p>inability to hold the WAG to account for these and other failings in the provision of healthcare in Wales.</p>	
<p>March 2014</p>	<p>Restoration of Education in Wales to Westminster control</p>	<p>We, the undersigned, demand that control of Education in Wales (and all associated powers and funding) be returned to the United Kingdom Secretary of State for Education and Her Majesty's Government in Westminster in order to prevent the further deterioration of educational standards within Wales.</p> <p>Since devolution educational standards in Wales have declined dramatically with outcomes being some of the worst in the United Kingdom, and indeed the European Union. In spite of this the wider Assembly has shown a complete inability to hold the WAG to account for these and other failings in the provision of education in Wales.</p>	<p>Matters relating to the devolution of powers rest with the UK Government.</p>
<p>March 2014</p>	<p>Stop Merthyr Council Traffic Department killing our Town Centre Businesses</p>	<p>This petition is to ask The Welsh Assembly Government to step in and stop Merthyr Tydfil Council via "The South Wales Parking Group" from abusing their powers by the deliberate targeting of local businesses and individuals in the Borough who are struggling to keep their businesses afloat during these hard times. This petition is to also ask the Welsh Assembly Government to investigate "The South Wales Parking groups" appeal process which looks non-existent.</p>	<p>Operational responsibility of the local authority.</p>

<p>March 2014</p>	<p>Petition for Welsh Assembly Government Intervention in the running of Pembrokeshire County Council.</p>	<p>We the undersigned residents of Pembrokeshire request that the Welsh Assembly Government intervene in the local governance of Pembrokeshire. The Welsh Government should immediately install Commissioners to take over the running of PCC.</p> <p>There have been two very concerning Estyn reports, two CSSIW reports and two Wales Audit office reports and a Public Interest report from WAO. A police investigation by the Gloucester Constabulary has also been announced. PCC are not fit for purpose and are incapable and have lost public backing.</p>	<p>Operational responsibility of the local authority.</p>
<p>March 2014</p>	<p>Open a sufficient waste disposal and recycling site in the Ebbw Fach Valley, Blaenau Gwent</p>	<p>Due to recent budget cuts, the Ebbw Fach Valley (Brynmawr to Aberbeeg) has had its waste disposal site at Bournville, Blaina closed. This has led to an increase in fly tipping which is not only a danger to the public but an unsightly blemish on an area of Wales that is trying to establish itself as a tourism hot spot, to boost the local economy of this already deprived area. The Local council have also begun applying compulsory charges for collection of waste which is not affordable to a lot of people in the Ebbw Fach Valley – this accentuates a need for a sufficient waste disposal site, locally.</p> <p>I have tried to raise this petition with direct.gov but it is a devolved</p>	<p>Operational responsibility of the local authority.</p>

		matter. Therefore I would appreciate it if the assembly could publish this petition.	
March 2014	Stop NPTCBC destroying local league football	Under council cutbacks local league football is currently under threat due to the fact that permits to play on a council playing field are to rise from £45 per game to £150 or even more. If this happens then football at grass roots level will definitely become non-existent. This petition is to ask the Welsh Assembly to look at this issue and if possible help out in any way possible. There is money for new roads etc but maintaining a few football pitches should not be a problem. What about the Olympic legacy or giving young people something to do to keep them off the streets?	Operational responsibility of the local authority.
March 2014	Investigate Merthyr Councils Traffic Department	<p>Please sign this petition if you believe that Merthyr Council (South Wales Parking Group) should be investigated about the way they are treating the small businesses in the town. Also to investigate thoroughly the appeal process of the Councils traffic department.</p> <p>We think this petition is necessary as Merthyr Council is deliberately targeting the small businesses in the town to the point that its intolerable to be a business that has to deliver in the town centre. Also the need for the car park attendants to be re trained in customer relations.</p>	Operational responsibility of the local authority.
April 2014	Reinstate the	We call upon the Welsh Assembly to work with Ceredigion County	Operational

	CCTV provision across Aberystwyth and other affected towns in Ceredigion,	Council, Dyfed Powys Police and all interested parties to work together to reinstate the CCTV provision across Aberystwyth and other affected towns in Ceredigion, and to hold a public consultation on the matter including the areas key for surveillance.	responsibility of the local authority.
April 2014	Look Left/Right" at Crosswalks	A petition regarding markings on the roads in Wales, specifically "Look Left/Right" at crosswalks,	Powers relating to traffic signs and road are not devolved.
April 2014	Restore Llandudno Beach to its Former Glory	Llandudno once had a wonderful sandy beach. Conwy County Borough Council has progressively dumped thousands of tons of rock and cobble in the mistaken notion that this is the best way to prevent flooding from the sea. They have refused to look at other less-damaging sea defences, and what CCBC are doing is destroying both the tourism in the area and the livelihoods of local people. It has now become impossible to safely get down to the beach, and any sand that there is has been littered by these large rocks that have been moved by the tide. The people of Llandudno would like the rock and cobble removed, and the beach restored to the sandy beach for which Llandudno is famous. We would also request that should flood defences be required in this area, the work is done in a manner that is aesthetically in keeping with a beach holiday resort,	As worded the petition would be the operational responsibility of the local authority.

		and that this be done in full consultation with the residents of Llandudno.	
April 2014	To Ban The Sale Of Legal Highs And Legal High Shops Through Out Wales.	A group of more than 20 UK music festivals including T in the Park and Bestival have banned the sale of legal highs by traders at their events. Yet Our Local Councils Do not Have The Power To Ban These shops In Our local Towns and City With the Increase In Deaths Growing Yearly To 68 In 2012 Up From 10 In 2009 We Need To Ban Them Now.	Powers to legislate for 'misuse of and dealing in drugs' are not devolved.
April 2014	Awyrle Dewi Sant Airport	We the undersigned ask the Welsh Assembly Government to name the Welsh people's airport at Rhoose, ' Awyrle Dewi Sant Airport' in recognition of our patron Saint and his importance to our nation. R'ydydym ni, y bobl sydd wedi arwyddo'r ddeiseb yma yn galw ar Lywodraeth Cynulliad Cymru i alw awyrle pobol Cymru yn y Rhws, yn 'Awyrle Dewi Sant Airport', fel cydnabyddiaeth o Nawdd Sant Cymru a'i bwysicrwydd i ni fel cenedl.	The Committee had considered a substantially similar petition within the previous 12 months.
May 2014	Stop the news showing information about paedophile cases	We must stop the news relaying court information about child abuse cases on the TV as this is upsetting for victims and no child should hear what happened too another child in regards to sex abuse trails. I definitely do not want to know what an abuser have done to a child.	Powers relating to the media and broadcasting are wholly reserved to the UK Government.

May 2014	Bus and hgv medicals	<p>Against the new medical requirements for sight test for pcv and hgv drivers is not fair and biased.</p> <p>Additional Information: The new sight test for large vehicle drivers is on assumption rather than fact as it assumes people with the same prescription have the same sight problems which is not the case and should be properly checked on a case by case basis not on assumption that people see the same way with prescription lenses and if they lose their licence that there should be help if they lose their job through loss of licence</p>	Powers in relation to driver licencing are not devolved.
June 2014	Citizenship and Denizenship for Wales	<p>We, the undersigned, call upon the Welsh Assembly to urge the Welsh Government to create a new legal category of Welsh Denizenship, for residents in Wales falling outwith the category of full Welsh Citizenship.</p> <p>Denizens are residents of a nation who do not claim all of the rights and responsibilities of full citizenship of that nation. The Welsh Assembly has a duty to protect the services, infrastructure and wellbeing of Wales, and the creation of the new category of 'Welsh Denizen', would help safeguard, for example, the Welsh NHS, from misuse and eventual collapse due to over-capacity. We acknowledge that the Welsh Assembly has made some incremental changes in</p>	Matters of nationality are wholly reserved to the UK Government.

		<p>pursuit of a more progressive policy, relative to developments in England, and hereby invite the Welsh Government to protect the future of such policy differences via a deeper, legislative recognition of Welsh citizenship. The Welsh National Rights Movement campaigns to bring the Welsh Assembly up to speed with regards its obligations in safeguarding the wellbeing of Wales as a nation in, with all of the rights accrued to nations and peoples under International Law.</p>	
June 2014	<p>1. Call in the Nant Llesg Opencast Mining Application</p> <p>2. Refuse the Nant Llesg Opencast Mining Application</p>	<p>1. Call in the Nant Llesg Opencast Mining Application</p> <p>2. Refuse the Nant Llesg Opencast Mining Application</p> <p>Recently most households in the top end of the Rhymney Valley received a pamphlet from the Miller Argent group entitled Land Reclamation at Nant Llesg. This leaflet highlights a time line for their application programme of works and the 14 year open cast project they wish to start on Nnant Llesg. This has caused public outrage and therefore we wish to provide the council with this petition as a way of demonstrating public views.</p> <p>We the undersigned wish to state our objection and grave concerns regarding the prospective planning application that may be made by</p>	<p>Individual planning decisions are the operational responsibility of the local authority.</p> <p><i>[Petitioners subsequently submitted a broader petition calling on the Welsh Government to call in all opencast mining planning applications</i></p>

		Miller Argent to expand the open cast mine to the Nant Llesg site. This will have a devastating impact on our health (both physical and mental), community morale, our quality of life, local jobs (green), our protected, historic local landscape and our children's futures.	<i>over 10 years duration or over 350 hectares in size which was admissible.]</i>
July 2014	Low Flying Aircraft Over Darowen		Matters relating to defence and the armed forces are not devolved.
July 2014	Changes to A494/A470 Junction Dolgellau		Substantially similar petition already being considered by the Petitions Committee
July 2014	Help for Students	Help for Monmouthshire students, with the internal decision to stop our community education throughout all of Monmouthshire, leaving hundreds of students high and dry.	Operational responsibility of the local authority.
July 2014	Scrapping the Assembly	As we know the formation of the Welsh Assembly has been a huge mistake for Wales (outside of Cardiff). Economically our GDP gap has increased dramatically, our health service is in a mess and our education in PISA terms has also slipped.	Powers in relation to the devolution settlement rest with the UK Government.
August	Taxpayer Funds	We the undersigned call on the National Assembly for Wales to urge	Operational

2014	Most Expensive Contractor	the Welsh Government to instigate an investigation into the way in which the Local Authority is using tax payers money to fund the most expensive removal firm whom is contracted to store the property of homeless people in Wales when there is much cheaper in these ongoing times of austerity. The Vale of Glamorgan Council's Code of Conduct states. Verbatim 1,STANDARDS 7.Contractors "Orders and Contracts must be awarded on merit, by fair competition against other tenders and no favouritism" etc	responsibility of the local authority
August 2014	Save Cilmeri Monument	This monument is important to Welsh history.	Petition on substantively similar issue already being considered by the Committee
August 2014	Student Prices for Train Tickets	This petition proposes an introduction of a student train ticket – which would benefit 16–24 year olds, in full time education. The prices would be somewhere between current child and adult prices. The new prices would have a great influence on young people whom intend on traveling by train. It would introduce a similar system that is currently used on first buses, which offers a discounted price for 16–19 year olds, whom are no longer eligible for a child's ticket.	Petition on substantively similar issue already being considered by the Committee.
August 2014	Grant Money Distribution	To Share the EU grant money that is given to Wales through the whole of Wales and not, as is present, spend the vast bulk only in	The distribution of EU funds is governed

		Cardiff a town that seems to get more grants and state aid than the state of Israel.	by EU rules.
August 2014	Receiving Proceeds From 5p Carrier Bag Charge	Amlwch Age Well serves the local community by providing activities and social contact for the over 50's. Activities include:- Exercise classes, Falls Prevention clinic, indoor bowls, badminton etc. Weekly Local Walks, gardening, choir, band, whist, shopping trips, art classes, local history, Cornel Cymraig, Tai Chi, etc. We are self funding, relying on grants, donations and fund raising activities eg. Bethesda Zip Wire ride. Age Cymru set up the Age Well group but for over 12 months has had no funding for us. We pay rent for 4 days a week in our local hall and pay the wages of a Co-ordinator. We would like to petition for the moneys from the 5p charge on carrier bags in our local Co-operative and Spar stores to come to our Age Well in Amlwch.	Welsh Ministers cannot compel individual businesses or organisations to donate proceeds to specific causes.
September 2014	As an equal member of the UK we in Wales deserve a Referendum on Independence	With now almost 30% of Wales openly in favour of Independence, Wales now deserves the right to have a choice. We ask for a Referendum to be held in Wales with a Yes/No choice in 2017 so that Wales be given the same status as other countries within the present Union.	Powers relating to such Referenda are not devolved.
September 2014	Bench to be placed in memory	In January 2010 i went for a routine measuring scan to find out that my unborn son's heart had stopped beating. He had grown his	Such individual decisions are the

	<p>of babies/children taken to soon</p>	<p>wings too early.</p> <p>As you can imagine this was a very tough time in mine, my partner and the rest of the family's life. I tried my hardest to bring him closer to home and had him layed to rest in Bedwas cemetery. It was easier for the rest of the family to have him buried there. After everything had started to settle down in March 2010 my family and i thought it would be nice to have a bench put in the children's section of the cemetery so that the parents could spend more time with their child. Being disabled myself and my angels grandparents are also disabled they find it very hard to stand for long periods of time.</p> <p>We applied to the council to be told that we could not place a bench there as the cemetery has enough, (but NONE in the children's section).</p> <p>I have asked SANDS (STILLBIRTH AND NEONATEL DEATH CHARITY) to try and help and they have also been denied.</p> <p>I am not asking for the council to pay for the bench I am willing to pay for it myself. But to be denied to spend time down there because I cannot stand for too long. I think is awful. I went through the cemetery the other day and counted at least 17 benches but not 1 in the children's section. Why is this are we not entitled to spend time down there.</p>	<p>operational responsibility of each local authority.</p>
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		I just want to spend time even if it is just to get my thoughts and so the other families that have gone through similar can spend time down there to.	
September 2014	Bus Stop	As a tourist centre we are devoid of an official bus stop outside the museum on the road from the Dulais Valley to Neath, on the road from Neath we have a bus stop and shelter. We have contacted our local councillor (Crynant) but no joy there, as a last resort we are petitioning the Welsh Assembly for their support to help us in our endeavours. "A Tourist Centre needs a Bus Stop".	Bus stops on the local road network are the responsibility of each local authority.
September 2014	Frack Free Llantrisant	We, the people of Wales call on all our elected politicians to protect our country from fracking and drilling for unconventional extraction of gas. We demand renewable energy to be the priority now.	Committee is currently considering a petition on a substantially similar issue.
September 2014	Referendum on Income Tax Powers for Wales	We the undersigned demand that the Welsh Government and National Assembly for Wales do not put/push forward for plans to legislate for a referendum on income tax powers for Wales, following the passage of the Wales (Bill) in Westminster The Welsh Assembly should not seek further referendums on the	Not admissible as neither the Assembly nor the Welsh Government have the powers to call such a referendum.

		<p>constitutional nature of the institution for at least the next ten years.</p> <p>An increasingly apathetic public does not wish that the National Assembly holds referendums on constitutional matters, when it should be seeking clarity of its role in a future UK.</p> <p>We the Welsh public don't believe the National Assembly for Wales should have referendums for every issue under the sun, but on the big issues – like Independence or EU reform.</p>	
September 2014	Stop Forcing our Children to Learn Welsh	<p>I want my children to be given the option of learning Welsh. My nephew is not doing IT because of limited options as he is forced to take Welsh.</p> <p>Parents in the Swansea area I've spoken to are in favour of this being an option for GCSEs.</p> <p>Stop this totalitarian practice, I want wales to be a free democratic society.</p>	Petition is the same as, or substantially similar to, a petition which was closed less than a year before.
	The Creation of a Welsh Ice Centre	We, the undersigned, call upon the National Assembly for Wales to urge the Welsh Government to create a Welsh Ice Centre to train future Welsh athletes on ice.	Did not collect minimum number of signatures (10)

	Creu Canolfan Iâ Cymru	<p>Following the success of the British team at the Winter Olympics in Sochi (where a total of five medals were won, the highest in Great Britain's history at the Winter Olympics), we believe that Wales should be able to have a bigger influence in the future success of the British Winter Olympics team. Therefore we believe that the Welsh government should fund the creation of a Welsh Ice Centre which can oversee the recruitment of teams specialising in ice events (Long Track Speed Skating, Figure Skating, Luge / Skeleton and Bobsleigh, Curling and Short Track Speed Skating) with regional centres based in North, Mid and South Wales to ensure that all of the Welsh population have a chance to experience these sports and be able to train to Olympic standard.</p>	
October 2014	Say "NO" to closure of Tonmawr Primary School	<p>Tonmawr Primary is an Outstanding school, with the recent Estyn Report supporting this. We also have a specialised unit for children who have learning difficulties.</p> <p>The local authority Neath Port Talbot Council are proposing to close our school, along with 4 other schools within the Authority, at the end of this Academic year.</p> <p>NPTC want our children to attend an already over-crowded school, where the classroom staff to child ratio is already exceeding the</p>	Proposals in relation to school closures are the statutory responsibility of the local authority.

		<p>Welsh Assemblies recommendations. It is not yet known exactly where NPTC are planning to uproot and then place the children that use the special unit.</p> <p>We want to make a stand, and we want our children to be educated in their own community school, where they are very happy and very well educated, in a school that prides itself on their very many achievements. Please help us keep our treasure of a school open.</p>	
October 2014	School Meals for Welsh Pupils	<p>Why are the 4 to 7 year old school children in Wales not getting FREE school meals like their counterparts in England? A child is child no matter where they live in this country. I believe that Wales is experiencing being left behind in a lot of important matters across the UK. Now children in England aged 4 are to get the flu jab but again not in Wales. Why. Stop discriminating against us Welsh Assembly.</p>	<p>Substantially similar petition currently being considered by the Committee.</p>
October 2014	Prohibit Payday Lenders Operating in Wales	<p>Payday lenders have been criticised for targeting university students, trainee soldiers, football fans and other young adults. The OFT estimates that the market was worth between £2 to £2.2 billion in 2011/12, which corresponds to between 7.4 and 8.2 million new loans this is up from an estimated £900 million in 2008/09. There is no cap on interests on loan in the UK (compared to Germany or the US). Payday loans do not offer a short term solution. We therefore petition the Welsh government to find legislations to prohibit</p>	<p>Financial services and consumer protection are not devolved matters.</p>

		operating in Wales, this includes giving planning permissions to new offices.	
October 2014	Cancer Drugs Fund	<p>I've been friends with Ann Wilkinson and her husband Allan for over 20 years. 3 years ago Ann was diagnosed with bowel cancer and I've been at her side through rounds of chemo and each time she was told the cancer has spread.</p> <p>I was also with Ann and Allan when they received the news that Ann would not be given funding to receive a drug that could extend her life. I watched their tears of despair; the first time I had seen Ann cry in the 3 and half years she has been ill. That evening Allan had a heart attack.</p> <p>The Government has set up the Cancer Drug Fund to pay for treatment just like the treatment Ann needs. But only patients in England have access to it and we live in Wales. The Welsh Government has refused to set up a similar fund.</p> <p>It seems so unfair -- like Ann, the majority of patients believe that they have paid into a national health service all their lives, and therefore should receive parity of treatment. That's why I've started this petition calling for people in Wales to have the same access to cancer treatments as patients in England.</p> <p>This week the Government announced a further £80 million per year to the Cancer Drug Fund. The new money means the total amount</p>	Substantially similar petition being considered by the Committee

		<p>committed will be £1.16bn but it won't help Ann.</p> <p>Ann's case has been blighted by delays and mis-management. She faced rounds of chemo and now her tumours are not responding to treatment as well as we had been hoped. Her only option is to try the drug Avastin. It can extend the lives of bowel cancer patients by at least two years and often much longer.</p> <p>Avastin is expensive so it was not approved for free use on the NHS. That's why the Government set up the Cancer Drug Fund to help patients get access to drugs like Avastin. In Wales there is no such fund and requests go the Individual Patient Funding Request body, which deals with everything from plastic surgery to fat removal and does not include cancer specialists. The majority of requests for specialist and expensive cancer drugs are turned down.</p> <p>If Ann was living in England she would have access to the Cancer Drug Fund. Instead Ann is left to face the gruelling chemotherapy that is proving ineffective, and we, her family and friends, must come to terms with the reality that there are no other treatments available.</p> <p>We are all part of the National Health Service and I believe Welsh patients should have the same access to these drugs. Ann wants this campaign to succeed in order for others to have a better chance than she's been given. Please support us.</p>	
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<p>October 2014</p>	<p>Procurement Policy Relating to Settlements on occupied Palestinian Land</p>	<p>We call on the Welsh Government, in furtherance of its ethical procurement policy, not to issue contracts to companies providing goods and /or services to settlements on occupied Palestinian land. Such settlements are deemed illegal under international law and companies providing such goods and / or services can be construed as committing an act of grave misconduct under Regulation 23 of the Public contracts Regulations 2006”</p>	<p>Non-devolved. Procurement law is the responsibility of the European Parliament.</p>
<p>October 2014</p>	<p>Petition calling for The Welsh Assembly to declare the English government an occupying invasion force, and act on the liberation of Wales.</p>	<p>As an introduction, I consider the Welsh Assembly to be a puppet arm of London's imperial colonial empire, and as such neither organisation has any legitimate rule over Wales and her peoples, nor do I recognise their pseudo authority.</p> <p>Wales is and remains an independent nation whom have at no time in history submitted to english rule. Wales was annexed by the ruthless english dictator Henry the Eighth (popularised in history by the ruthless treatment and murder of his many wives, and a man whose vanity led him to proclaim himself head of the Church, i.e. someone comparable to God. History tells us this person more closely resembled the Devil, and it is from this tyrant the current royal family of england holds it's ancestry – not a person I personally would boast about being a long lost great, great uncle) in 1536, and this annexation is comparable to The Third Reichs annexation of</p>	<p>Non devolved – constitutional matter.</p>

		<p>Poland in 1939, in that the aggressors cannot offer any legitimate title or claim to the expansionist ambitions of their colonial outposts.</p> <p>I petition the National Assembly for Wales, to declare the english governments pseudo rule over Wales and her peoples, as an aggressive invasion force, and to call for the immediate liberation of Wales and her peoples, and foreign or alien interests and properties within Wales (including all english interests and properties, such as water supply reservoirs and pipe-lines), be immediately commandeered and the benefits of such interests and properties to be transferred to public ownership to the peoples of Wales.</p> <p>As part of the liberation of Wales, all imperial english systems of government (including the current Welsh government, National Assembly of Wales, Westminster government, House of Lords and the english Royal Family, and all Feudal titles such as Duke, Earl, Marquis etc), to be immediately abandoned, and Wales to have no further ties or affiliations with any form of governance or head of state of British or english origins, and any loyalties to such systems be outlawed and severed.</p>	
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