

# Affordable neighbourhoods fit for the future

*What impact will the General Election have on  
funding and place-making for Welsh councils?*

**FREE**

for Wales  
members



**Wednesday 10 July**

Metropole Hotel, Llandrindodd Wells

# About

The Well-being of Future Generations Act gives local government the legal obligation to make a long-lasting, positive change to current and future generations. But what does that change look like in practice? Especially when it comes to managing acute funding pressures and the ability to deliver affordable housing and sustainable neighbourhoods.

Join APSE Wales for a special post General Election seminar and networking opportunity designed to help those in the sector discuss what lies ahead for Welsh local government...

## Speakers include:

	<p><b>Chris Llewelyn</b> Chief Executive Welsh Local Government Association (WLGA)</p>	
	<p><b>Reg Kilpatrick</b> Director of Local Government Welsh Government</p>	
	<p><b>Heledd Morgan</b> Director: Implementation and Impact Future Generations Commissioner for Wales</p>	
	<p><b>Cllr Andrea Lewis (Chair)</b> Deputy Leader and APSE Wales Chair Swansea Council</p>	
	<p><b>Cllr James Gibson-Watt</b> Leader Powys County Council</p>	
	<p><b>Mo Baines</b> Chief Executive Association for Public Service Excellence (APSE)</p>	

# Agenda

10:00 Registration and refreshments

**10:30 Welcome: Cllr James Gibson-Watt, Leader  
Powys County Council**

**10:35 Session One: Future Funding - Chaired by Cllr  
Andrea Lewis APSE Wales Chair**

## **Post-election: What is in store for local government?**

- The big policy conundrums
- Will there be extra resources?
- APSE's priorities for the frontline
- Housing, planning, environment and poverty actions

**Mo Baines, APSE Chief Executive**

## **Future funding scenario facing local councils**

- Wales' devolved public finances
- The future service pressures
- The implications of potential UK spending plans

**Chris Llewelyn, Chief Executive, Welsh Local  
Government Association (WLGA)**

## **Views from the Welsh Government**

- A changing national political context but the same problems
- Dealing with problems differently by working together
- Welsh Government policy reforms

**Reg Kilpatrick, Director of Local Government, Welsh  
Government**

## **Well-being of Future Generations Act**

- Cymru Can
- The relevance of the Act to housing
- Tools and resources to help you apply the Act

**Heledd Morgan, Director: Implementation  
and Impact, Office for the Future Generations  
Commissioner for Wales**

## *Audience question and answer session*

12:00 Comfort Break

**12:15 Session Two: Affordable Housing Roundtable**

## **Practical action on sustainable and affordable housing at a local level**

A roundtable discussion involving specialists from within the local government housing sector - Chaired by WLGA Housing spokesperson Cllr Andrea Lewis.

**13:00 APSE Wales AGM**

This short session provides an invaluable opportunity for APSE Wales to review its activities over the last year. This meeting will also provide a critical role in ensuring that any identified future goals and objectives of the Association continue to be directly linked to the views of the membership moving forward.

13:20 Networking lunch

**14.30 Seminar close**

# Venue

## Metropole Hotel

Temple St, Llandrindod Wells  
LD1 5DY

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# Networking

## Your chance to talk directly with your peers in local government

This event provides an excellent opportunity to network with your peers in local government; affording delegates a unique chance to share innovation and case studies in success as well as identify areas for improvement.

**FREE for APSE member councils!**



# Booking

## Packages Exclusive of VAT

APSE member delegate fee: **FREE**

Non member delegate fee: **£175+VAT**

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