

**Policy Forum for Wales Keynote Seminar:
Delivering the City Deal and developing the Swansea Bay City Region**

Timing: Morning, Thursday, 26th October 2017

Venue: Swansea Marriott Hotel, Maritime Quarter, Swansea SA1 3SS

Agenda subject to change



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- 8.00 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Geraint Davies MP, Member, Welsh Affairs Select Committee and Member of Parliament for Swansea West
- 9.05 - 9.35 **The vision for the Swansea Bay City Region**
Jane Hutt AM, Leader of the House and Chief Whip, Welsh Government
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.35 - 10.30 **Realising the vision: utilising the City Deal to spur regeneration, enterprise and innovation**
Professor Richard Davies, Vice-Chancellor, Swansea University
Alec Don, Chief Executive, Port of Milford Haven
Professor Hamish Laing, Executive Medical Director and Chief Information Officer, Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board
Lee Davies, Service Design Consultant, Gofore
Harri Lloyd-Davies, Acting Vice President, South and Mid Wales Chambers of Commerce
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.30 - 10.35 **Chair's closing remarks**
Geraint Davies MP, Member, Welsh Affairs Select Committee and Member of Parliament for Swansea West
- 10.35 - 11.10 Coffee
- 11.10 - 11.15 **Chair's opening remarks**
Adam Price AM, Member, Economy, Infrastructure and Skills Committee and Assembly Member for Carmarthen East and Dinefwr
- 11.15 - 11.45 **Policy priorities for the Swansea City Deal**
Rt Hon Alun Cairns MP, Secretary of State for Wales
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.45 - 12.30 **Delivering the City Deal and what next for the Swansea City Region? - finance, planning and next steps for the Tidal Lagoon**
Graham Hillier, Managing Director for Development, Tidal Lagoon Power
Rosemary Morgan, Director and Solicitor, Morgan LaRoche
Mark Wright, Partner, Trebor Developments
Mark Ellis, Senior Partner, Swansea, PwC
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.30 - 12.55 **Making the deal work for the whole region**
Councillor Rob Stewart, Leader, City and County of Swansea Council
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Policy Forum for Wales closing remarks**
Adam Price AM, Member, Economy, Infrastructure and Skills Committee and Assembly Member for Carmarthen East and Dinefwr
Peter van Gelder, Director, Policy Forum for Wales