

THE GWYNEDD STANDARD.

This document explains the standard of conduct expected from Gwynedd Council's councillors in dealing with each other. It should be read in conjunction with the Members Code of Conduct and the Protocol Member-Officer Relations. It adds to those documents and not detract from them.

Gwynedd Council members are expected to :-

Public behaviour:

- Show respect to each other
- Not to make personal abusive comments about each other.
- Not to publish anything insulting about each other.
- Not to make malicious allegations against each other.
- Not to publish or spread any false information about each other.

Behaviour in committees:

- Behave with dignity in the Chamber.
- Show respect to the Chairman and obey his decisions.
- Not to use indecent language nor make racial remarks or remarks which prejudice any section of society.

Confidentiality:

- Keep the confidentiality of exempt papers and any other documents which are not public.
- Not to release confidential information to the press or the public.
- Return confidential papers or destroy them.

Local members

- Work with members of adjoining wards for the benefit of the locality.
- Inform the local member if dealing with any matter relating to his/her constituency.