

Welsh Local By-Elections 2012 – 2017

A summary of the local by-elections held in Wales since the last local elections in 2012

Local By-Elections in 2012

Buttrills (Lab defence) on Vale of Glamorgan on August 2nd 2012

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	90	503		541			82		
% Votes	7%	41%		45%			7%		
Change	-6%	-8%		+16%			-3%		

Plaid Cymru GAIN from Labour with a majority of 38 (4%) on a swing of 12% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Bettws (Lab defence) on Bridgend on August 30th 2012

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	12	494				16	96		
% Votes	2%	80%				3%	16%		
Change		+4%				-21%			

Labour HOLD with a majority of 398 (64%) on a swing of 6% from Labour to Independent

New Tredegar (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on October 25th 2012

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	24	692		95					
% Votes	3%	85%		12%					
Change		+13%							

Labour HOLD with a majority of 597 (73%) on a swing of 0.5% from Plaid Cymru to Labour

Deganwy (Ind defence) on Conwy on November 15th 2012

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	437	142	53	327	57		74	49	
% Votes	38%	13%	5%	29%	5%		7%	4%	
Change	+2%		-10%				-43%		

Conservative GAIN from Independent with a majority of 110 (9%) on a notional swing of 13.5% from Conservative to Plaid Cymru

Cyfartha (Merthyr Independents defence) on Merthyr Tydfil on November 15th 2012

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	26	385		101			364	289	
% Votes	2%	33%		9%			31%	25%	
Change		-5%		-9%					

Labour GAIN from Merthyr Tydfil Independents with a majority of 21 (2%)

Neath South (Lab defence) on Neath and Port Talbot on December 6th 2012

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		399	130						
% Votes		75%	25%						
Change		+9%							

Labour HOLD with a majority of 269 (50%)

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	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	589	2,615	183	1,064	57	16	616	338	
% Votes	11%	48%	3%	19%	1%	0%	11%	6%	
Change	+1	Unchanged	Unchanged	+1	Unchanged	Unchanged	-1	-1	

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Bryncoch (Lab defence) on Bridgend on January 31st 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		222	24	54			41	14	
% Votes		63%	7%	15%			12%	4%	
Change		-12%	-19%						

Labour HOLD with a majority of 168 (48%)

Burton (Independent defence) on Pembrokeshire April 11th 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	166	162					291	46	
% Votes	25%	24%					44%	7%	
Change							-56%		

Independent HOLD with a majority of 125 (19%)

Llangewydd and Brynhyfryd (Lab defence) on Bridgend on May 2nd 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	44	281	143	34			66		
% Votes	8%	50%	25%	6%			12%		
Change		-17%	-1%				+4%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 138 (25%) on a swing of 8% from Labour to Liberal Democrat

Risca East (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on May 2nd 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	36	529		119			299	209	
% Votes	3%	44%		10%			25%	18%	
Change		-13%		-9%			+1%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 230 (19%) on a swing of 7% from Labour to Independent

Llansamlet (Lab defence) on Swansea on July 4th 2003

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	236	1,368	113						108
% Votes	13%	75%	6%						6%
Change	+3%	+12%							

Labour HOLD with a majority of 1,132 (62%) on a swing of 4.5% from Conservative to Labour

Caerhun (Con defence) on Conwy on July 11th 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	170	109		162			321		
% Votes	22%	14%		21%			42%		
Change	-18%			+2%			+2%		

Independent GAIN from Conservative with a majority of 151 (20%) on a swing of 10% from Conservative to Independent

Connah's Quay, Golftyn (Lab defence) on Flintshire on July 18th 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	34	386					285		
% Votes	5%	55%					40%		
Change		-6%					+1%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 101 (15%) on a swing of 3.5% from Labour to Independent

Penyrheol (Plaid defence) on Caerphilly on August 1st 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	135	554		929					173
% Votes	8%	31%		52%					10%
Change		-5%		+7%					+4%

Plaid Cymru HOLD with a majority of 375 (21%) on a swing of 6% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Sandsfield East (Lab defence) on Neath and Port Talbot on October 17th 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	40	718		69	154				222
% Votes	3%	60%		6%	13%				19%
Change		+30%							

Labour HOLD with a majority of 496 (41%)

Pillgwenlly (Lab defence) on Newport on October 31st 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	155	500	233	167					
% Votes	15%	47%	22%	16%					
Change	-6%	-3%	+12%	-3%					

Labour HOLD with a majority of 267 (25%) on a swing of 7.5% from Labour to Liberal Democrat

Riverside (Lab defence) on Cardiff on December 5th 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	107	1,120	58	773	97				70
% Votes	5%	50%	3%	35%	4%				3%
Change	-3%	+4%	-1%	+4%					+1%

Labour HOLD with a majority of 347 (15%) with no swing between Plaid Cymru and Labour

Splott (Lab defence) on Cardiff on December 5th 2013

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	86	706	604		209		94		80
% Votes	5%	39%	34%		12%		5%		6%
Change	+1%	-9%	+4%						+3%

Labour HOLD with a majority of 102 (5%) on a swing of 6.5% from Labour to Liberal Democrat

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	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	1,209	6,655	1,175	2,307	460		1,397	269	653
% Votes	9%	47%	8%	16%	3%		10%	2%	5%
Change	-1	Unchanged	Unchanged	Unchanged	Unchanged	Unchanged	+1	Unchanged	Unchanged

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Betws yn Rhos (Ind defence) on Conwy on February 6th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	83			197			347	127	
% Votes	11%			26%			46%	17%	
Change				-2%			+3%	-5%	

Independent HOLD with a majority of 150 (20%) on a swing of 1.5% from Plaid to Independent

Canton (Lab defence) on Cardiff on February 20th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	381	1,201	80	972		148			101
% Votes	13%	42%	3%	34%		5%			4%
Change	+2%	-6%	Unchanged	+14%		-11%			+2%

Labour HOLD with a majority of 229 (8%) on a swing of 10% from Labour to Plaid

Flint, Trelawny (Lab defence) on Flintshire on April 10th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	54	350			261		242		
% Votes	6%	39%			29%		27%		
Change		-18%					-3%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 89 (10%) on a notional swing of 23.5% from Labour to United Kingdom Independence Party

Blackwood (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on April 24th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	68	620		349			477		
% Votes	5%	41%		23%			32%		
Change	-1%	+6%		+12%			+6%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 143 (9%) on 0.3% swing from Independent to Labour

Aberaman North (Lab defence) on Rhondda, Cynon, Taff on July 24th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	20	356		228			276		23
% Votes	2%	39%		25%			31%		3%
Change		-30%		-5%					

Labour HOLD with a majority of 80 (8%) on a notional swing of 30.5% from Labour to Independent

Mostyn (Ind defence) on Flintshire on July 31st 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	27	191			90		205		
% Votes	5%	37%			18%		40%		
Change		+4%					-27%		

Independent HOLD with a majority of 14 (3%) on a swing of 15.5% from Independent to Labour

Penydarren (UKIP defence) on Merthyr Tydfil on July 31st 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	40	257	62				235	228	
% Votes	5%	31%	8%				29%	28%	
Change		Unchanged					-8%		

Labour GAIN from United Kingdom Independence Party with a majority of 22 (2%) on a notional swing of 4% from Independent to Labour

Abergele, Pensarn (Lab defence) on Conwy on September 18th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	54	160			129		134	74	66
% Votes	9%	26%			21%		25%	12%	11%
Change	-11%	-29%					-4%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 26 (1%) on a swing of 12.5% from Labour to Independent

Llandaff North (Lab defence) on Cardiff on October 2nd 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	136	898	134		204		419		
% Votes	8%	50%	8%		11%		23%		
Change	+2%	+3%	-7%				Unchanged		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 479 (27%) on a swing of 1.5% from Independent to Labour

Towyn (Con defence) on Conwy on October 16th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	143	98					116	104	112
% Votes	25%	17%					20%	18%	20%

Conservative HOLD with a majority of 27 (5%). Conservative elected unopposed in 2012

Sandsfield East (Lab defence) on Neath and Port Talbot on October 30th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	47	641			361				
% Votes	5%	61%			34%				
Change		+24%							

Labour HOLD with a majority of 280 (27%) on a notional swing of 5% from Labour to United Kingdom Independence Party

Uplands (Lab defence) on Swansea on November 20th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	154	553	215	104		179	671		31
% Votes	8%	27%	10%	5%		9%	33%		2%
Change	-2%	-12%	-22%			-10%			

Independent GAIN from Labour with a majority of 118 (6%) on a notional swing of 22.5% from Labour to Independent

Trelech (Ind defence) on Carmarthenshire on December 11th 2014

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast			96	598			181		
% Votes			11%	68%			21%		
Change			-3%	+34%			-30%		

Plaid Cymru GAIN from Independent with a majority of 417 (47%) on a swing of 32% from Independent to Plaid

Bowydd and Rhiw (Plaid defence) on Gwynedd on December 18th 2014

Plaid HOLD in an unopposed election

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	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	1,124	5,305	587	2,470	1,045	327	4,105		313
% Votes	7%	35%	4%	16%	7%	2%	27%		2%
Change	Unchanged	Unchanged	Unchanged	+1	-1	Unchanged	Unchanged	Unchanged	Unchanged

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Hengoed (Lab defence) on Carmarthenshire on February 19th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	54	335		313	152		76		80
% Votes	5%	33%		31%	15%		8%		8%
Change		+7%		+7%					-26%

Labour HOLD with a majority of 22 (2%) on a swing of 0.2% from Plaid Cymru to Labour

Rhyl South West (Lab defence) on Denbighshire on March 19th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	131	474	26	62			52		
% Votes	18%	64%	4%	8%			7%		
Change	+8%	-5%	-3%						

Labour HOLD with a majority of 343 (46%) on a swing of 6.5% from Labour to Conservative

Llantwit Major (Llantwit Major Independent defence) on Vale of Glamorgan on March 26th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	1,016	378		95			1,004		
% Votes	41%	15%		4%			40%		
Change	+19%	+1%		-4%			-16%		

Conservative GAIN from Llantwit Major Independent with a majority of 12 (1%) on a swing of 17.5% from Llantwit Major Independent to Conservative

Cadant (Plaid defence) on Gwynedd on April 2nd 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	22	233		185			94		148
% Votes	3%	34%		27%			14%		22%
Change		-6%		-33%					

Labour GAIN from Plaid Cymru with a majority of 48 (7%) on a swing of 13.5% from Plaid Cymru to Labour

Gurnos (Lab defence) on Merthyr Tydfil on May 7th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		706					698	340	
% Votes		41%					40%	20%	
Change		-14%					-6%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 8 (1%) on a swing of 4% from Labour to Independent

Town (Lab defence) on Merthyr Tydfil on May 7th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		2,182	1,126						
% Votes		66%	34%						
Change		+24%	+14%						

Labour HOLD with a majority of 1,058 (32%) on a swing of 5% from Liberal Democrat to Labour

Cwmllynfell (Lab defence) on Neath and Port Talbot on May 7th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		365		22		52			
% Votes		83%		5%		12%			
Change		+9%		-20%					

Labour HOLD with a majority of 313 (71%) on a notional swing of 1.5% from Labour to Green

Cockett (Lab defence) on Swansea on May 7th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	899	2,741	776	1,345		314	128		
% Votes	15%	44%	13%	22%		5%	2%		
Change	+10%	-4%	-6%	-1%			-4%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 1,396 (22%) on a swing of 1.5% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Morrison (Lab defence) on Swansea on May 7th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	1,469	3,988	372	1,344					
% Votes	21%	56%	5%	19%					
Change	+11%	+5%	-2%	+3%					

Labour HOLD with a majority of 2,519 (35%) on a swing of 3% from Labour to Conservative

Townhill (Lab defence) on Swansea on May 7th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	143	1,773	82	153	523	130	56		
% Votes	5%	62%	3%	5%	18%	5%	2%		
Change	+1%	-9%	-9%				-13%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 1,250 (44%) on a notional swing of 13.5% from Labour to United Kingdom Independence Party

Pentyrch (Con defence) on Cardiff on June 30th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	561	234	10	543		22	24		
% Votes	41%	17%	1%	39%		2%	2%		
Change	-13%	-13%	-1%	+27%		-1%			

Conservative HOLD with a majority of 18 (2%) on a swing of 20% from Conservative to Plaid Cymru

Morfa Nefyn (Plaid defence) on Gwynedd on July 9th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast				315					123
% Votes				72%					28%
Change				-6%					+6%

Plaid Cymru HOLD with a majority of 192 (44%) on a swing of 6% from Plaid Cymru to Llais Gwynedd

Prestatyn East (Con defence) on Denbighshire on July 16th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	528	373		60			76		
% Votes	51%	36%		6%			7%		
Change	+17%	+13%							

Conservative HOLD with a majority of 155 (15%) on a swing of 2% from Labour to Conservative

Llay (Lab defence) on Wrexham on July 16th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	64	353	700		60		124	41	
% Votes	5%	26%	52%		5%		9%	3%	
Change		-35%							

Liberal Democrat GAIN from Labour with a majority of 347 (26%) on a notional swing of 43.5% from Labour to Liberal Democrat

New Tredegar (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on July 23rd 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	47	648			90				
% Votes	6%	83%			12%				
Change		+10%							

Labour HOLD with a majority of 558 (71%) on a notional swing of 1% from Labour to United Kingdom Independence Party

Crosskeys (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on August 13th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		354		179	166				
% Votes		51%		26%	24%				
Change		-4%		+13%					

Labour HOLD with a majority of 175 (25%) on a swing of 8.5% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Glasbury (Con defence) on Powys on August 13th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	415		457			52	106		
% Votes	40%		44%			5%	10%		
Change	-11%						-20%		

Liberal Democrat GAIN from Conservative with a majority of 42 (4%) on a notional swing of 27.5% from Conservative to Liberal Democrat

Bedwas, Trethomas and Machen (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on September 3rd 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	119	1,002		509	223		184	106	
% Votes	6%	47%		24%	11%		9%	5%	
Change		-15%		+2%	+10%				

Labour HOLD with a majority of 493 (23%) on a swing of 8.5% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Riverside (Lab defence) on Cardiff on October 7th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	155	1,071	85	780	110	109			21
% Votes	7%	46%	4%	34%	5%	5%			1%
Change	-1%	-1%	Unchanged	+2%		-3%			-2%

Labour HOLD with a majority of 291 (12%) on a swing of 1.5% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Ogmore Vale (Ind defence) on Bridgend on November 12th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	47	365		101	32		203		
% Votes	6%	49%		14%	4%		27%		
Change		+4%							

Labour GAIN from Independent with a majority of 162 (22%) on a notional swing of 11.5% from Labour to Independent

Eglwysbach (Plaid defence) on Conwy on November 12th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	54			369					
% Votes	13%			87%					
Change				-13%					

Plaid Cymru HOLD with a majority of 315 (74%) on a notional swing of 13% from Plaid Cymru to Conservative

Kidwelly (Lab defence) on Carmarthenshire on November 19th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	53	288		248			177	28	58
% Votes	6%	34%		29%			21%	3%	7%
Change		-11%					+2%		-17%

Labour HOLD with a majority of 40 (5%) on a notional swing of 20% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Dewi (Plaid defence) on Gwynedd on November 19th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		110	19	189					
% Votes		35%	6%	59%					
Change		Unchanged	-2%	+2%					

Plaid Cymru HOLD with a majority of 79 (24%) on a swing of 1% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Llanaelhaern (Llais Gwynedd defence) on Gwynedd on November 19th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast				200			99		112
% Votes				49%			24%		27%
Change				+37%					-23%

Plaid Cymru GAIN from Llais Gwynedd with a majority of 88 (22%) on a swing of 30% from Llais Gwynedd to Plaid Cymru

Pwllhelli South (Llais Gwynedd defence) on Gwynedd on November 26th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast				168			106	269	49
% Votes				29%			18%	45%	8%
Change				-12%					-52%

Non-Party Independent GAIN from Llais Gwynedd with a majority of 101 (16%) on a notional swing of 48.5% from Llais Gwynedd to Non Party Independent

Bettws (Independent defence) on Newport on November 26th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	114	294	7			29	336	275	
% Votes	11%	28%	1%			3%	32%	26%	
Change		-10%							

Independent HOLD with a majority of 42 (4%) on a notional swing of 21% from Labour to Independent

Gogarth (Con defence) on Conwy on December 16th 2015

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	318	187	49	167			28		
% Votes	43%	25%	7%	22%			4%		
Change	+16%	+1%		+4%					

Conservative HOLD with a majority of 131 (18%) on a swing of 7.5% from Labour to Conservative

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	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	5,507	14,271	1,419	7,548	1,206	627	3,571	1,059	591
% Votes	15%	40%	4%	21%	3%	2%	10%	3%	2%
Change	Unchanged	+1	+2	Unchanged	Unchanged	Unchanged	-1	+1	-3

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New Brighton (Lib Dem defence) on Flintshire on February 18th 2016

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	141	221	385				65		
% Votes	17%	27%	47%				8%		
Change	-5%	-5%	+2%						

Liberal Democrat HOLD with a majority of 164 (20%) on a swing of 3.5% from Labour to Liberal Democrat

Moriah (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on March 31st 2016

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	7	464			77		196	89	
% Votes	1%	56%			9%		24%	11%	
Change		+9%							

Labour HOLD with a majority of 268 (32%) on a notional swing of 7.5% from Labour to Independent

Ynysddu (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on April 7th 2016

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		502	36	134	180				
% Votes		59%	4%	16%	21%				
Change		-3%		-17%					

Labour HOLD with a majority of 322 (48%) on a notional swing of 12% from Labour to United Kingdom Independence Party

Mynyddbach (Lab defence) on Swansea on May 5th 2016

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	321	1,525	120	340			263	82	
% Votes	21%	58%	5%	13%			10%	3%	
Change	+6%	+15%	-2%				-12%	-19%	

Labour HOLD with a majority of 1,185 (37%) on a swing of 4.5% from Conservative to Labour

Denbigh Lower (Ind defence) on Denbighshire on June 2nd 2016

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	159	108	101	315			389		
% Votes	15%	10%	9%	29%			36%		
Change	+10%		+5%	+16%			+19%		

Independent HOLD with a majority of 74 (7%) on a swing of 1.5% from Plaid Cymru to Independent

Dyserth (Con defence) on Denbighshire on June 2nd 2016

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	140	87	107	21			177	159	
% Votes	20%	13%	16%	3%			26%	23%	
Change	-30%	-25%	+4%						

Independent GAIN from Conservative with a majority of 18 (3%) on a notional swing of 1.5% from Non Party Independent to Independent

European Union Membership Referendum: Welsh Result REMAIN 772,347 votes (47%) LEAVE 854,572 votes (53%) on a turnout of 72%

Rhoose (Ind defence) on the Vale of Glamorgan on June 30th 2016

Vale of Glamorgan Referendum Result: REMAIN 36,681 votes (51%) LEAVE 35,628 votes (49%) on a turnout of 76%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	520	401	24	104			598	399	4
% Votes	25%	20%	1%	5%			29%	20%	0%
Change	-8%	-10%							

Independent HOLD with a majority of 79 (4%) on a notional swing of 18.5% from Conservative to Independent

Mostyn (Lab defence) on Conwy on July 7th 2016

Conwy Referendum Result: REMAIN 30,147 votes (46%) LEAVE 35,357 votes (54%) on a turnout of 72%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	200	248	126		75		88	27	
% Votes	26%	33%	17%		10%		12%	4%	
Change	+3%	-9%	+4%				-12%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 48 (7%) on a swing of 6% from Labour to Conservative

Marchog (Ind defence on Gwynedd) on July 14th 2016

Gwynedd Referendum Result: REMAIN 35,517 votes (58%) LEAVE 25,665 votes (42%) on a turnout of 72%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		112					211		
% Votes		35%					65%		
Change		-3%							

Independent HOLD with a majority of 99 (30%) on a notional swing of 34% from Labour to Independent

Y Felinheli (Plaid defence) on Gwynedd on July 14th 2016

Gwynedd Referendum Result: **REMAIN 35,517 votes (58%) LEAVE 25,665 votes (42%)** on a turnout of 72%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	49			614					
% Votes	7%			93%					

Plaid Cymru HOLD with a majority of 565 (86%). Plaid Cymru elected unopposed in 2012

Waunfawr (Plaid defence) on Gwynedd on July 21st 2016

Gwynedd Referendum Result: **REMAIN 35,517 votes (58%) LEAVE 25,665 votes (42%)** on a turnout of 72%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		114		358					
% Votes		24%		76%					
Change				+19%					

Plaid Cymru HOLD with a majority of 244 (52%) on a notional swing of 2.5% from Plaid Cymru to Labour

St. Julians (Lib Dem defence) on Newport on July 28th 2016

Newport Referendum Result: **REMAIN 32,413 votes (44%) LEAVE 41,236 votes (56%)** on a turnout of 70%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	135	432	948	71	156	25			
% Votes	8%	24%	54%	7%	9%	1%			
Change	-5%	-21%	+12%	+4%					

Liberal Democrat HOLD with a majority of 516 (30%) on a swing of 16.5% from Labour to Liberal Democrat

Plasnewydd (Lab defence) on Cardiff on September 20th 2016

Cardiff Referendum Result: **REMAIN 101,788 votes (60%) LEAVE 67,816 votes (40%)** on a turnout of 70%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	115	910	1,258	177	62	93			
% Votes	4%	35%	48%	7%	2%	4%			
Change	-6%	Unchanged	+17%	-5%		-9%			

Liberal Democrat GAIN from Labour with a majority of 348 (13%) on a swing of 8.5% from Labour to Liberal Democrat

Cilycwm (Ind defence) on Carmarthenshire on September 22nd 2016

Carmarthenshire Referendum Result: **REMAIN 47,654 votes (46%)** **LEAVE 55,381 votes (54%)** on a turnout of 74%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	15	123	62	201			151	106	64
% Votes	2%	17%	9%	28%			21%	15%	9%
Change	-17%								

Plaid Cymru GAIN from Independent with a majority of 50 (7%) on a notional swing of 3.5% from Independent to Plaid Cymru

Brynmawr (Ind defence) on Blaenau Gwent on September 29th 2016

Blaenau Gwent Referendum Result: **REMAIN 13,215 votes (38%)** **LEAVE 21,587 votes (62%)** on a turnout of 68%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		270					1,085		
% Votes		20%					80%		
Change		-16%					+16%		

Independent HOLD with a majority of 815 (60%) on a swing of 16% from Labour to Independent

Gilfach (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on October 6th 2016

Caerphilly Referendum Result: **REMAIN 39,178 votes (42%)** **LEAVE 53,295 votes (58%)** on a turnout of 71%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		254		150	28	7			
% Votes		58%		34%	6%	2%			
Change		-28%		+20%					

Labour HOLD with a majority of 104 (24%) on a swing of 24% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Risca East (Lab defence) on Caerphilly on October 6th 2016

Caerphilly Referendum Result: **REMAIN 39,178 votes (42%)** **LEAVE 53,295 votes (58%)** on a turnout of 71%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast		400	32	120	117				
% Votes		60%	5%	18%	17%				
Change		-8%		-3%					

Labour HOLD with a majority of 280 (42%) on a swing of 2.5% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Abergele, Pansarn (Lab defence) on Conwy on October 20th 2016

Conwy Referendum Result: **REMAIN 30,147 votes (46%) LEAVE 35,357 votes (54%)** on a turnout of 72%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	87	136					316		
% Votes	16%	25%					59%		
Change on 12	-4%	-30%					+34%		
Change on 14	+7%	-1%					+34%		

Independent GAIN from Labour with a majority of 180 (34%) on a swing of 32% from Labour to Independent since 2012

Independent GAIN from Labour with a majority of 180 (34%) on a swing of 17.5% from Labour to Independent since 2014

Blaengwrach (Lab defence) on Neath and Port Talbot on October 20th 2016

Neath and Port Talbot Referendum Result: **REMAIN 35,651 votes (43%) LEAVE 43,001 votes (57%)** on a turnout of 72%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	4	143		225	39		58		
% Votes	1%	30%		48%	8%		12%		
Change		-26%		+4%					

Plaid Cymru GAIN from Labour with a majority of 82 (18%) on a swing of 15% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Rhyl West (Lab defence) on Denbighshire on October 27th 2016

Denbighshire Referendum Result: **REMAIN 23,955 votes (46%) LEAVE 28,117 votes (54%)** on a turnout of 69%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	93	199	26				97		
% Votes	22%	48%	6%				23%		
Change	-3%	+5%					+6%		

Labour HOLD with a majority of 102 (25%) on a swing of 0.5% from Labour to Independent

Grangetown (Lab defence) on Cardiff on November 3rd 2016

Cardiff Referendum Result: **REMAIN 101,788 votes (60%) LEAVE 67,816 votes (40%)** on a turnout of 70%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	287	1,049	187	1,163	141				
% Votes	10%	37%	7%	41%	5%				
Change	+3%	-5%	-5%	+6%					

Plaid Cymru GAIN from Labour with a majority of 114 (4%) on a swing of 5.5% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Gibbonsdown (Lab defence) on the Vale of Glamorgan on November 3rd 2016

Vale of Glamorgan Referendum Result: **REMAIN 36,681 votes (51%)** **LEAVE 35,628 votes (49%)** on a turnout of 76%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	104	404	7	161	54		113		
% Votes	12%	48%	1%	19%	6%		13%		
Change	+3%	-14%		+13%			-11%		

Labour **HOLD** with a majority of 243 (29%) on a swing of 13.5% from Labour to Plaid Cymru

Welshpool, Llanerchtydol (Ind defence) on Powys on December 15th 2016

Powys Referendum Result: **REMAIN 36,762 votes (46%)** **LEAVE 42,707 votes (54%)** on a turnout of 77%

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	126		212				323		
% Votes	19%		32%				49%		
Change			-18%				-1%		

Independent **HOLD** with a majority of 111 (17%) on a swing of 8.5% from Liberal Democrat to Independent

2016 Welsh Local By-Election Summary

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Votes Cast	2,503	8,122	3,611	4,133	867	146	4,130	862	64
% Votes	10%	34%	14%	17%	4%	1%	16%	4%	0%
Change	-1	-4	+1	+3	Unchanged	Unchanged	+1	Unchanged	Unchanged

Grand Total 2012 – 2016 Welsh Local By-Elections

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
2012	589	2,615	183	1,064	57	16	616	338	
2013	1,209	6,655	1,175	2,307	460		1,397	269	653
2014	1,124	5,305	587	2,470	1,045	327	4,105		313
2015	5,507	14,271	1,419	7,548	1,206	627	3,571	1,059	591
2016	2,503	8,122	3,611	4,133	867	146	4,130	862	64
Votes Cast	10,932	36,968	6,975	17,522	3,635	1,116	13,819	2,528	1,621
% Votes Cast	11%	39%	7%	19%	4%	1%	14%	3%	2%
% Votes 2012	13%	42%	8%	14%	0%	1%	14%	3%	5%
% Change	-2%	-3%	-1%	+5%	+4%	Unchanged	Unchanged	Unchanged	-2%

Forecast Welsh Local Elections 2017

	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Plaid	UKIP	Green	Ind	NPI	Others
Blaenau Gwent		32					9	1	
Bridgend	1	39	2	1			10	1	
Caerphilly		41		29			3		
Cardiff	3	45	10	9		2	3		2
Carmarthenshire	11			46			16		1
Ceredigion		1	5	25			7	3	1
Conwy	9	9	4	17			19	1	
Denbighshire	7	19		10			7	4	
Flintshire	6	31	7	1			19	4	1
Gwynedd		1	1	46			8	4	15
Merthyr Tydfil		22			1		7		3
Monmouthshire	16	13	3				11		
Neath		35		17			2		7
Newport	9	39					2		
Pembrokeshire	1	9	1	8			23	16	2
Powys	10	6	9				37	10	
Rhondda	1	46	1	23			4		
Swansea	2	52	9				1	2	6
Torfaen	4	27	3				9		
Vale of Glam	10	22		7	1		3		4
Wrexham	5	20	4	6			15	2	
Ynys Môn		1	1	15	1		11	1	
Totals	95	510	60	260	3	2	226	49	42
Change on 2012	-9	-67	-12	+102	+1	+2	+4	-7	+13