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Dear Chair and Clerk

Mark Drakeford AM, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Local Government has announced an agenda for action to help build resilience and renewal in community and town councils.

Please see leaflet attached to support your council in your efforts to raise awareness and encourage participation in the local government elections in May 2017. You may wish to publish the leaflet on your council website.

Link to FAQs below:

<http://gov.wales/topics/localgovernment/communitytowncouncils/faqs/?lang=en>

Please view the Diversity in Democracy page for more information

<http://gov.wales/topics/localgovernment/diversity-in-democracy/?lang=en> or contact the Local Government Partnerships mail box. [LGPartnerships@wales.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:LGPartnerships@wales.gsi.gov.uk) if you have any queries.

Best wishes

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