

Mike Hedges

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Welsh Labour  Llafur Cymru

Mike Hedges calls for the banning of release of raw and untreated sewage into the River Tawe

Speaking after the Senedd debate, local Swansea East MS Mike Hedges said 'It is vital that we stop the release of raw sewage into our rivers as a matter of urgency. Many constituents have complained to me about material in the Water to the South of the Trebanos Treatment works.

Welsh Water say that they are permitted to manage sewage in this way and they are likely to continue with the practice for as long as they are allowed; the way to stop this practice is through legislation enforceable in law. For this reason, I was delighted to support my colleague Alun Davies who tabled this debate. I welcome the news from Julie James, the Minister that she is going to introduce legislation and I look forward to supporting it'

Welsh Government will provide £4m in financial and humanitarian aid.



WELSH GOVERNMENT TO PROVIDE £4M OF AID TO UKRAINE

I am pleased that the Welsh Government will be providing £4m in financial and humanitarian aid to Ukraine.

This will help to provide crucial support to many people who are in desperate need.

The Welsh Government is also assessing what surplus medical equipment could usefully be sent to the country.

Wales, as a Nation of Sanctuary, stands ready to welcome people fleeing Ukraine.

I stand in support of the Ukrainian people who are bravely resisting this unprovoked and brutal act of war. The UK Government must honour its duty to seek safety in situations like this.

Mike Hedges MS welcomes news that solar farm powers Morrison Hospital during the winter months

Speaking from his Morrison Office, local MS, Mike Hedges said 'It is marvellous to see this type of investment helping Morrison Hospital to reduce its Carbon Footprint and save an anticipated £500,000 per year when it is fully operational. I have spoken at the Senedd many times on the benefits of Invest to Save schemes and it is good to see this having such an impact in Swansea East.'

THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY MILLION POUNDS TO TACKLE THE TORY COST OF LIVING CRISIS DELIVERED BY YOUR WELSH LABOUR GOVERNMENT

COST-OF-LIVING: PACKAGE OF EXPANDED MEASURES

Families in Swansea East are facing a Tory cost-of-living crisis.

To support families further, the Welsh Labour Government will be providing all households in council tax bands A-D with a £150 cost-of-living

payment. Recipients of the council tax reduction in all bands will also receive the payment.

At a time where people need support, the Tories are failing families. This package of support is larger than support

provided in England.

I welcome the additional support from the Welsh Government to help with heating and eating pressures – they're doing all they can within their powers and budget to support families.

Articles Published in March

- 1st March- Wilia- Menter iaith
- 3rd March – Evening Post- Politically speaking trees
- 9th March- Welsh Fabians- Low pay and poverty
- 11th March- Evening post- Housing
- 18th March- Labour Hub- devolving policing
- 25th March- Welsh Fabians- devolving policing

Surgeries in April

- 1 April – Brynhyfryd Library (3-4 PM) 21 April – St Thomas Library (3-3.30 PM)
- 8 April -Morryston Library (3-4 pm) 22 April – Llansamlet Library (3-4 PM)

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Bishop Vaughan Q+A with 6th form pupils

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