

Payments to Members 2007 - 2008

Belfast City Councillors are listed in the order of the electoral areas to which they were elected. Information is provided of payments and reimbursements made during the financial year 1 April 2007 - 31 March 2008.

All the payments detailed here are made in accordance with the relevant legislation and council policies and procedures and are subject to any appropriate deduction of Income Tax and National Insurance contributions.

Allowances

Basic Allowance: (an amount, determined by law, to which all councillors are entitled)

Special Responsibility Allowance: (paid to those members who undertake special responsibilities: e.g. chairmanship of a committee)

Note: The recorded allowance payments are gross amounts prior to the deduction of income tax and national insurance contributions.

Expenses

In addition, the council has authority to pay certain expenses:

Travel to and from meetings: (the reimbursement of public transport costs or car allowances for travelling to and from approved duties, such as meetings of committees, working groups and outside bodies)

Expenses associated with attending conferences or visits: (information is provided relating to payments made by the council in respect of members who attended approved conferences and visits during 2007 - 2008.)

Expenditure incurred is associated with the costs of attending the conference or visit and is not a financial benefit to members.

Details of the conferences or visits attended by each councillor are provided under the following headings:

Date (refers to the date the conference or visit commenced)

Description (name and location of conference)

Conference Fees

Travel Costs

Subsistence (includes accommodation costs, meals and out of pocket expenses)

Balmoral Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Tom Ekin	£225.00	£283.40	£120.00	£628.40	Belgium/France	28/06/07	Somme Pilgrimage	Special responsibility	£1,875.00
	£0.00	£175.13	£0.00	£175.13	Glasgow	23/08/07	International Rose Trials 2007	Total	£11,375.00
	£578.19	£0.00	£484.76	£1,062.95	Dublin	03/09/07	21st IFPRA World Congress		
	£0.00	£0.00	£199.00	£199.00	Londonderry	07/02/08	NILGA Annual Conference	Travel to meetings	£275.61

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Carmel Hanna	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00				Special responsibility	£0.00
								Total	£9,500.00
								Travel to meetings	£83.28

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Bernie Kelly	£743.00	£1,820.00	£0.00	£2,563.00	Portland USA	02/05/07	Linkages with Portland Oregon	Special responsibility	£2,109.16
	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	Dublin	11/10/07	Dinner Hosted by Lord Mayor of Dublin	Total	£11,609.16
								Travel to meetings	£153.10

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Jim Kirkpatrick	£182.62	£53.30	£0.00	£235.92	London	19/07/07	Garden Party at Buckingham Palace	Special responsibility	£4,264.36
	£33.85	£112.85	£410.00	£556.70	Bristol	18/11/07	Institute of Licensing Annual Conference	Total	£13,764.36
	£0.00	£0.00	£199.00	£199.00	Londonderry	07/02/08	NILGA Annual Conference		
	£5.21	£226.00	£375.00	£606.21	Stratford upon Avon	28/02/08	CIEH/LACORS Conference	Travel to meetings	£324.86

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
Ruth Patterson	£873.04	£1,820.00	£0.00	£2,693.04	Portland USA	02/05/07	Linkages with Portland Oregon	£9,500.00	£517.66
								Total	£10,017.66
								Travel to meetings	£77.45

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
Bob Stoker	£225.00	£283.40	£120.00	£628.40	Belgium/France	28/06/07	Somme Pilgrimage	£9,500.00	£6,934.36
	£300.00	£0.00	£304.00	£604.00	Belgium	05/10/07	Journey of Remembering-Pathfinders Conference	Total	£16,434.36
	£173.00	£108.82	£100.00	£381.82	Dublin	01/12/07	A Journey of Remembering		
								Travel to meetings	£252.91

Castle Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
David Browne	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00				£9,500.00	£3,910.99
								Total	£13,410.99
								Travel to meetings	£158.59

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
Patrick Convery	£130.00	£140.28	£295.00	£565.28	Blackpool	29/02/08	Delivering Safer Communities - Tackling Disorder	£9,500.00	£3,589.46
								Total	£13,089.46
								Travel to meetings	£34.92

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Ian Crozier	£285.80	£126.00	£0.00	£411.80	Gdansk, Poland	21/11/07	Eurocities Conference and AGM 2007	Special responsibility	£2,250.00
								Total	£11,750.00
								Travel to meetings	£33.62

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Tierna Cunningham	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00				Special responsibility	£97.66
								Total	£9,597.66
								Travel to meetings	£0.00

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Nigel Dodds	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00				Special responsibility	£0.00
								Total	£9,500.00
								Travel to meetings	£27.20

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Cathal Mullaghan	£72.34	£39.06	£216.00	£327.40	Newcastle, Co. Down	25/04/07	CIWM Conference	Special responsibility	£4,474.36
	£303.13	£186.96	£495.00	£985.09	Southampton	19/06/07	APHA Annual Conference 2007	Total	£13,974.36
	£0.00	£0.00	£494.02	£494.02	Sheffield	02/07/07	Arc 21 Study Visit to Sheffield		
	£55.80	£62.93	£245.00	£363.73	Gateshead	19/09/07	APSE Award Ceremony	Travel to meetings	£1,114.50
	£644.22	£237.00	£0.00	£881.22	France	09/10/07	Healthy Cities Meeting		
	£16.23	£275.40	£0.00	£291.63	London	09/11/07	Green Apple Awards		

	£226.70	£0.00	£36.12	£262.82	Westport, Co.Mayo	10/11/07	Pride of Place Awards Ceremony
	£0.00	£0.00	£199.00	£199.00	Londonderry	07/02/08	NILGA Annual Conference
	£0.00	£0.00	£330.00	£330.00	Greenmount Agriculture College	11/02/08	Emergency Management for Elected Members

Court Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
Diane Dodds	£642.76	£4,969.00	£0.00	£5,611.76	Washington	22/06/07	Participation in Smithsonian Event	£9,500.00	
								Special responsibility	£4,400.86
								Total	£13,900.86
								Travel to meetings	£790.54

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
William Humphrey	£75.00	£272.87	£0.00	£347.87	London	10/11/07	World Travel Market	£9,500.00	
	£0.00	£166.61	£0.00	£166.61	Glasgow	02/02/08	Presentation to Royal Scottish Pipe Band Association	Special responsibility	£1,875.00
	£1,042.76	£831.20	£0.00	£1,873.96	Nashville, Texas USA	08/03/08	Nashville Visit / South by South West 2008	Total	£11,375.00
								Travel to meetings	£208.08

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
Frank McCoubrey								£9,500.00	
								Special responsibility	£0.00
								Total	£9,500.00
								Travel to meetings	£49.94

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
								£9,500.00	

Elaine McMillen									Special responsibility	£0.00
									Total	£9,500.00
									Travel to meetings	£5.58

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings		
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance		
Hugh Smyth	£1,069.88	£322.62	£0.00	£1,392.50	Lisbon, Portugal	02/10/07	Waterfront Expo, 2007		£9,500.00	
									Special responsibility	£2,622.60
									Total	£12,122.60
									Travel to meetings	£240.72

Laganbank Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings		
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance		
Alex Maskey									£9,500.00	
									Special responsibility	£420.00
									Total	£9,920.00
									Travel to meetings	£0.00

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	
Patrick McCarthy	£235.00	£345.51	£167.74	£748.25	Killarney	12/04/07	LAMA Annual Spring Conference		£9,500.00
	£1,130.00	£4,708.30	£0.00	£5,838.30	China	20/04/07	Civic Visit to China	Special responsibility	£0.00
	£240.00	£335.20	£120.00	£695.20	Belgium/France	28/06/07	Somme Pilgrimage	Total	£9,500.00
	£125.00	£114.26	£0.00	£239.26	Trim Co. Meath	15/02/08	The Association of Municipal Authorities	Travel to meetings	£144.55
	£145.00	£139.29	£0.00	£284.29	Trim Co. Meath	27/03/08	LAMA - Annual Spring Seminar 2008		

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
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Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Michael McGimpsey								Special responsibility	£0.00
								Total	£9,500.00
								Travel to meetings	£266.15

Conferences/Visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and Travel to Meetings	
Name of Councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference Fees	Overall Totals	Venue	Date	Nature of Conference/Visit	Basic Allowance	£9,500.00
Peter O'Reilly	£120.00	£201.76	£221.00	£542.76	Basel	21/05/07	Study Seminar	Special Responsibility	£420.00
	£0.00	£100.12	£0.00	£100.12	Fermanagh	22/11/07	Building Control Convention 2007	Total	£9,920.00
	£125.00	£116.44	£0.00	£241.44	Trim Co. Meath	15/02/08	The Association of Municipal Authorities		
								Travel to Meetings	£184.43

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008								Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Christopher Stalford	£225.00	£306.30	£120.00	£651.30	Belgium/France	28/06/07	Somme Pilgrimage	Special responsibility	£234.16
								Total	£9,734.16
								Travel to meetings	£49.60

Lower Falls Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Janice Austin								Special responsibility	£0.00
								Total	£9,500.00
								Travel to meetings	£246.50

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Máire Cush								£9,500.00	
								Special responsibility	£234.16
								Total	£9,734.16
								Travel to meetings	£0.00

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Tom Hartley								£9,500.00	
								Special responsibility	£1,972.66
								Total	£11,472.66
								Travel to meetings	£103.00

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Francis McCann	£365.25	£62.00	£0.00	£427.25	Wexford	25/09/07	Biennial National Social Housing Conference	£9,500.00	
	£135.00	£0.00	£0.00	£135.00	Trim Co. Meath	15/02/08	The Association of Municipal Authorities	Special responsibility	£97.66
								Total	£9,597.66
								Travel to meetings	£204.23

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Marie Moore								£9,500.00	
								Special responsibility	£97.66
								Total	£9,597.66
								Travel to meetings	£2,135.26

Oldpark Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Fred Cobain								£9,500.00	
								£234.16	
								£9,734.16	
								£441.85	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Danny Lavery	£0.00	£0.00	£90.00	£90.00	Belfast	22/05/07	Building Capacity for Change Conference	£9,500.00	
	£376.25	£172.22	£0.00	£548.47	Wexford	25/09/07	Biennial National Social Housing Conference	£6,650.86	
	£1,041.85	£322.62	£0.00	£1,364.47	Lisbon, Portugal	02/10/07	Waterfront Expo, 2007	£16,150.86	
	£170.00	£108.82	£0.00	£278.82	Trim Co. Meath	15/02/08	The Association of Municipal Authorities		
	£145.00	£108.82	£0.00	£253.82	Trim Co. Meath	27/03/08	LAMA - Annual Spring Seminar 2008	£307.82	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Alban Maginness								£9,500.00	
								£623.36	
								£10,123.36	
								£0.00	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Conor Maskey								£7,125.00	
								£0.00	
								£7,125.00	
								£125.00	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Nelson McCausland								Special responsibility	£420.00
								Total	£9,920.00
								Travel to meetings	£244.69

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Margaret McClenaghan								Special responsibility	£1,875.00
								Total	£11,375.00
								Travel to meetings	£95.31

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£3,166.68
Carál Ní Chuilín								Special responsibility	£0.00
								Total	£3,166.68
								Travel to meetings	£0.00

Pottinger Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
May Campbell	£86.59	£50.44	£216.00	£353.03	Newcastle, Co. Down	25/04/07	CIWM Conference		
	£120.00	£272.91	£221.00	£613.91	Basel	21/05/07	Study Seminar	Special responsibility	£2,347.66
	£0.00	£0.00	£494.02	£494.02	Sheffield	02/07/07	Arc 21 Study Visit to Sheffield	Total	£11,847.66
	£0.00	£0.00	£199.00	£199.00	Londonderry	07/02/08	NILGA Annual Conference		
								Travel to meetings	£228.87

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Reg Empey								£9,500.00	
								£0.00	
								£9,500.00	
								£60.54	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Maire Hendron								£9,500.00	
								£0.00	
								£9,500.00	
								£248.37	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
John Kyle								£9,500.00	
								£0.00	
								£9,500.00	
								£196.21	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Margaret McKenzie	£0.00	£0.00	£494.02	£494.02	Sheffield	02/07/07	Arc 21 Study Visit to Sheffield	£9,500.00	
								£0.00	
								£9,500.00	
								£104.62	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Sammy Wilson								Special responsibility	£0.00
								Total	£9,500.00
								Travel to meetings	£1,053.10

Upper Falls Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Tim Attwood	£21.95	£115.93	£410.00	£547.88	Bristol	18/11/07	Institute of Licensing Annual Conference	Special responsibility	£2,109.16
								Total	£11,609.16
								Travel to meetings	£92.48

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Michael Browne	£1,046.13	£823.94	£753.12	£2,623.19	Washington DC	19/06/07	Creative Belfast in Washington DC	Special responsibility	£8,172.10
	£984.66	£499.55	£0.00	£1,484.21	Brussels	07/10/07	Regional Open Days	Total	£17,672.10
	£522.36	£158.34	£0.00	£680.70	Gdansk, Poland	21/11/07	Eurocities Conference and AGM 2007		
	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	Antrim	01/02/08	Antrim Tourism Conference		
	£125.00	£108.82	£0.00	£233.82	Trim Co. Meath	15/02/08	The Association of Municipal Authorities	Travel to meetings	£958.68
	£1,033.44	£857.26	£0.00	£1,890.70	Nashville, Texas USA	08/03/08	Nashville Visit / South by South West 2008		
	£145.00	£108.82	£0.00	£253.82	Trim Co. Meath	27/03/08	LAMA - Annual Spring Seminar 2008		

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Paul Maskey								Special responsibility	£3,546.60

Total	£13,046.60
Travel to meetings	£170.18

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Chrissie Mhic Giolla Mhin								£9,500.00	
								£0.00	
								£9,500.00	
								£277.32	

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Gerard O'Neill								£9,500.00	
								£210.00	
								£9,710.00	
								£306.32	

Victoria Area

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	
Ian Adamson	£0.00	£0.00	£216.00	£216.00	Newcastle, Co. Down	25/04/07	CIWM Conference	£9,500.00	
	£0.00	£390.50	£0.00	£390.50	London	26/04/07	APHA Imported Food Committee	£2,085.00	
	£144.00	£0.00	£562.00	£706.00	Torbay	12/06/07	CIWM 2007 Conference		£11,585.00
	£225.00	£154.38	£495.00	£874.38	Southampton	19/06/07	APHA Annual Conference 2007		
	£0.00	£53.00	£0.00	£53.00	London	19/07/07	APHA Imported Feed and Food Committee Meeting	£393.19	
	£10.63	£312.30	£0.00	£322.93	London	24/10/07	APHA Executive Board Meeting		
	£8.25	£240.20	£0.00	£248.45	London	08/11/07	APHA Imported Feed & Food Committee Meeting		
	£0.00	£108.28	£0.00	£108.28	Fermanagh	22/11/07	Building Control Convention 2007		
	£6.26	£431.40	£0.00	£437.66	London	27/02/08	APHA Executive Board Meeting		

£0.00	£432.40	£0.00	£432.40	London	06/03/08	APHA Imported Feed & Food Meeting
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Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Wallace Browne								Special responsibility	£97.66
								Total	£9,597.66
								Travel to meetings	£151.52

Conferences/Visits 2007 - 2008

Name of Councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference Fees	Overall Totals	Venue	Date	Nature of Conference/Visit	Allowances and Travel to Meetings	
								Basic Allowance	£9,500.00
Mervyn Jones	£239.90	£337.35	£167.74	£744.99	Killarney	12/04/07	LAMA Annual Spring Conference	Special Responsibility	£234.16
	£72.34	£0.00	£216.00	£288.34	Newcastle, Co. Down	25/04/07	CIWM Conference	Total	£9,734.16
	£0.00	£0.00	£175.00	£175.00	Bangor	05/10/07	NAC General Meeting & Conference		
	£0.00	£0.00	£345.00	£345.00	Belfast	16/11/07	NAC- Power to the People Working with Local Communities Conf	Travel to Meetings	£118.84
	£125.00	£114.26	£0.00	£239.26	Trim Co. Meath	15/02/08	The Association of Municipal Authorities		
	£163.00	£123.91	£0.00	£286.91	Trim Co. Meath	27/03/08	LAMA - Annual Spring Seminar 2008		

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Name of councillor	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
Naomi Long								Special responsibility	£2,995.08
								Total	£12,495.08
								Travel to meetings	£168.85

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit
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Name of councillor Robin Newton								Allowances and travel to meetings	
								Basic allowance	£9,500.00
								Special responsibility	£5,107.52
								Total	£14,607.52
								Travel to meetings	£432.24

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	£683.24	£4,729.95	£0.00	£5,413.19	Washington	22/06/07	Participation in Smithsonian Event		
Jim Rodgers	£140.81	£156.45	£0.00	£297.26	Edinburgh	10/08/07	Edinburgh International Festival Opening Weekend	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
	£127.00	£147.29	£0.00	£274.29	Glasgow	23/08/07	International Rose Trials 2007	Special responsibility	£234.16
	£78.33	£0.00	£0.00	£78.33	Dublin	08/10/07	Dinner Hosted by Lord Mayor of Dublin	Total	£9,734.16
	£162.76	£179.61	£0.00	£342.37	Glasgow	25/01/08	Civic Visit to Glasgow		
	£0.00	£35.00	£0.00	£35.00	Glasgow	02/02/08	Presentation to Royal Scottish Pipe Band Association	Travel to meetings	£415.91
	£0.00	£0.00	£199.00	£199.00	Londonderry	07/02/08	NILGA Annual Conference		
	£375.00	£2,893.50	£0.00	£3,268.50	Nashville, Texas USA	08/03/08	Nashville Visit / South by South West 2008		
	£4.23	£235.10	£0.00	£239.33	London	15/03/08	Commemoration of 70th Anniversary of Launch of HMS Belfast		

Conferences and visits 2007 - 2008

	Subsistence	Travel	Conference fees	Overall totals	Venue	Date	Nature of conference or visit	Allowances and travel to meetings	
Name of councillor	£220.00	£356.39	£167.75	£744.14	Killarney	12/04/07	LAMA Annual Spring Conference		
David Rodway	£743.00	£1,820.00	£0.00	£2,563.00	Portland USA	02/05/07	Linkages with Portland Oregon	Basic allowance	£9,500.00
	£300.00	£0.00	£304.00	£604.00	Belgium	05/10/07	Journey of Remembering-Pathfinders Conference	Special responsibility	£210.00
	£130.00	£152.28	£295.00	£577.28	Blackpool	29/02/08	Delivering Safer Communities - Tackling Disorder	Total	£9,710.00
								Travel to meetings	£1,342.71