

**CYNGOR SIR POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL**

**County Council  
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**SUBJECT: Question from County Councillor Gary Price**

**How many staff employed by Powys County Council receive a hourly rate  
below that of the Living Wage?  
How much extra would it cost Powys County Council to pay those employees  
the Living wage?**

Total Number of Positions            1099

Total Number of People                923

The total cost of implementing the Living wage based on the June 2014 Payroll run would be approximately £402k (inclusive of on-costs). The large proportion of employees (70%) would be in the job categories of Cleaners and General Kitchen Assistants.