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## **QUESTIONS AT ANY TIME TO CABINET PORTFOLIO HOLDERS**

<b>Question From:</b>	County Councillor Matthew Dorrance
<b>Subject:</b>	Child poverty in Powys
<b>Question To:</b>	County Councillor Rosemarie Harris Leader

### **Question:**

New data from The End Child Poverty Coalition shows that child poverty in Powys is increasing with 30% of our children now living below the poverty line.

This is unacceptable and the Council must respond by putting in place funding and plans to eradicate child poverty.

Therefore, will the Leader:

1. Advise what her assessment of the new data is;
2. Explain why none of her Cabinet Members have the responsibility for delivering a policy agenda to tackle child poverty;
3. Task a Cabinet Member with the responsibility for tackling child poverty;
4. Convene a cross party summit with key partners to develop proposals; and
5. Bring forward funded interventions to eradicate child poverty in Powys.