



Ein cyf/Our ref: WQ90818, 90820, 90830, 90832, 90834

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18 March 2024

Dear Andrew,

I write in response to the following WQs:

WQ90818: What plans does the Welsh Government have for securing the long-term future of the Green Man Festival in Wales?

WQ90820: What activities, if any, will be viable for the Green Man Festival to implement at Gilestone Farm going forward?

WQ90830: What other sites, if any, has the Welsh Government considered as alternative sites for Green Man, now that Gilestone Farm has been ruled out for many activities?

WQ90832: Does the Welsh Government intend to find and purchase another site for Green Man to rent, as they did with Gilestone Farm?

WQ90834: What discussions has the Welsh Government had with representatives from Green Man about future potential activities at Gilestone Farm or on any other current or future Welsh Government-owned land?

Green Man is a great commercial and cultural asset for Wales. The multi-award-winning, independent Welsh business, that is dedicated to sustainability, is a firm partner of the Welsh Government and we are excited about the opportunities we have to align the strength of their brand with an expanded business vision. We are committed to continuing our work with Green Man to help the company secure a suitable long-term base in Wales, where its strong potential can be realised; my officials will continue to work with them and our wider partners to help achieve this aim, just as we work with a broad range of other key Welsh and overseas investors in regions across Wales.

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We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Vaughan Gething". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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