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**CEREDIGION**  
County Council

# **Datganiad Polisi Rheoli Perfformiad a Hunanasesia /** Performance Management Policy Statement and Self-Assessment

**Pwyllgor Cydlynu Trosolwg a Chraffu /**  
Overview and Scrutiny Coordinating Committee

**15 Mehefin 2022 /**  
15 June 2022



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# Proses Amlinellol Hunanasesiad / Self-Assessment Outline Process

TROSOLWG A  
CHRAFFU

GWEITHDY I'R GRŴP  
ARWEINIOL

CASGLU  
TYSTIOLAETH

GRŴP  
ARWEINIOL I  
ADOLYGU'R  
ADRODDIAD  
DRAFFT

PWYLLGOR  
LLYWODRAETHU  
AC ARCHWILIO  
I ADOLYGU'R  
ADRODDIAD  
DRAFFT

CYHOEDDI'R  
HUNANASESIAD



OVERVIEW &  
SCRUTINY

LEADERSHIP  
GROUP  
WORKSHOP

COLLATE  
EVIDENCE

LEADERSHIP  
GROUP  
REVIEW DRAFT  
REPORT

GOVERNANCE  
AND AUDIT  
COMMITTEE  
REVIEW DRAFT  
REPORT

PUBLISH SELF-  
ASSESSMENT

# Llinellau Ymholi Allweddol / Key Lines of Enquiry

Performance Requirements of the Act	Theme	Key Line of Enquiry	Current Assessment				Future Planning and Delivery		
			How well are we doing and how do we know?				What and how can we do better?		
			Evidence	What's working Well?	What are you worried about?	Score	Where do we need to be?	What do we need to do to get there?	What will tell us we have got there? i.e. the "so what"
<b>Exercising its functions effectively</b>	<b>How well is the Council delivering improved outcomes for people in the local area?</b>	1) Does the Council have a set of corporate and service strategies in place which set out the Council's vision and priorities?							
		2) Are these strategies delivering their aims and objectives?							
		3) Are these strategies sustainable in adapting to the future needs of the organisation?							
		4) Does the Council have an effective performance management framework and democratic scrutiny in place to support delivery of the Council's vision and priorities?							
		5) Are Service Business Plans delivering their objectives and performance targets?							

# Ymarfer Myfyriol / Reflective Practice

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# Llinell Amser / Timeline

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June - July

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July - August

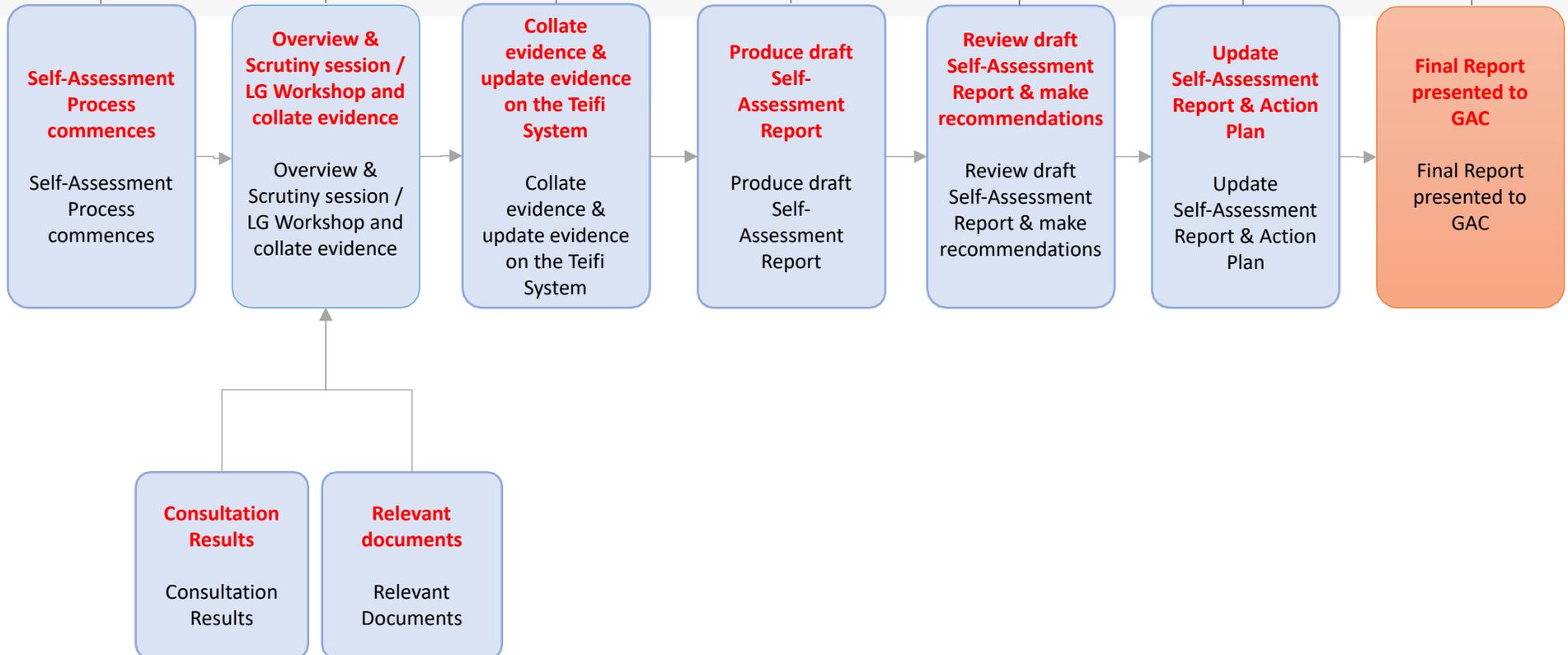
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September

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October

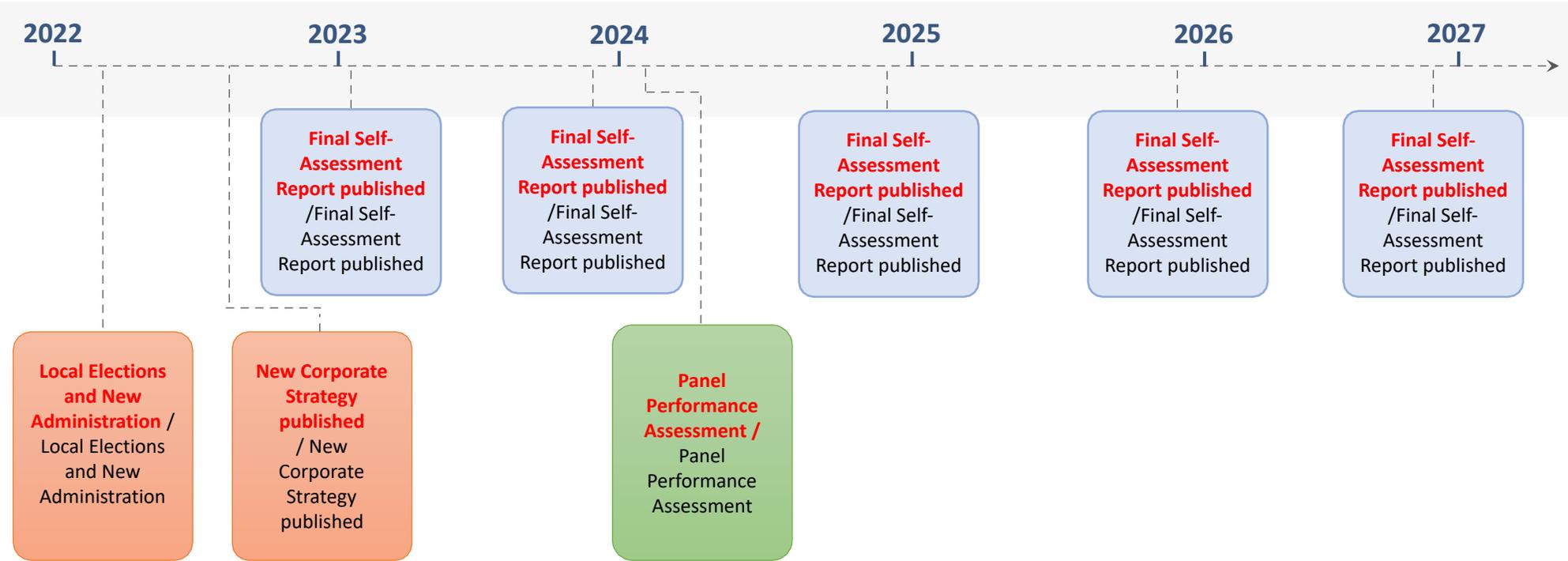
Tachwedd /  
November

Ebrill /  
April

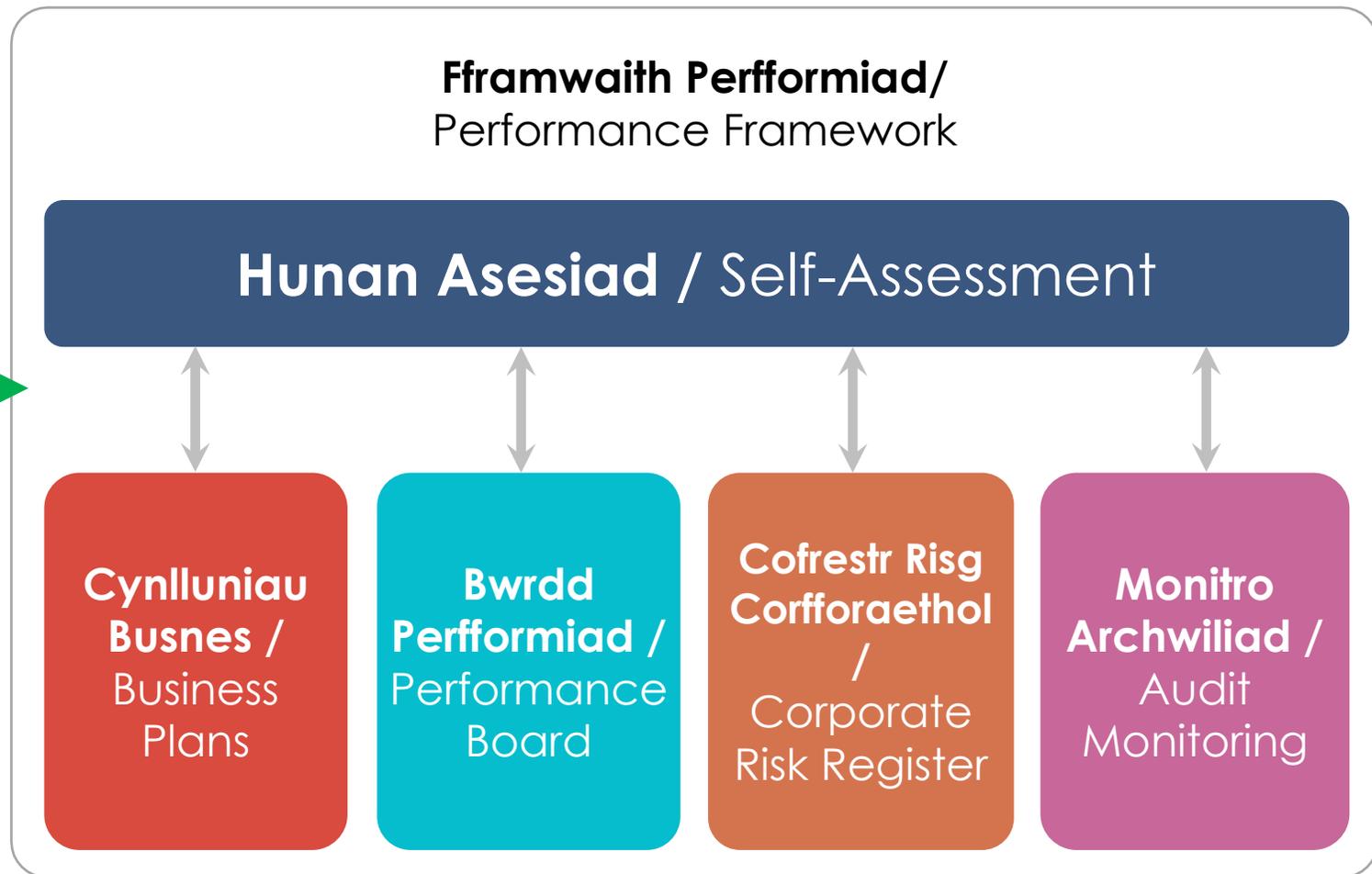
Ebrill – Mai/  
April - May



# Cylch Etholiad 2022-27 / Election Cycle 2022-27



# Integreiddio gyda'r Fframwaith Perfformiad / Integrating with the Performance Framework



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# Adolygwch / Recap:

## Beth mae'n ei olygu i'r Pwyllgor Cydlynu Trosolwg a Chraffu? /

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