

Appendix 1 – Ceredigion County Council

Malfeasance, Lies and Police/Council Corruption and Collusion.

25/07/2011 John Deans, Coast/Countryside Ranger (CCC) agreed their copy of OS map is incorrect.

2012 OS maps updated

2015 October Extensive damage to lower footpath by council. Several beech trees in row cut down, etc., branches thrown on top of newly planted trees. Council contacted by phone, assurance given it would not happen again.

15 Nov 2015 Sarah Pinnell. ROW & Countryside Ranger, had an unnecessary 'site visit' (they have both the incorrect map and the correct definitive map in their possession). She failed in every respect to perform her job except in being confrontational, obstructive, evasive and deceitful with no intention of remedying the problem caused by CCC.

21 April 2016 Asked Pinnell about progress, no reply.

29 Nov 2016 Eifion Jones, Public Rights of Way Officer [incorrectly] claimed maps had been updated and that the CCC map is from, and updated by an external source. (It is an internal map, on failed subscription from OS.)

5 Dec 2016 Eifion Jones [incorrectly] claims the CCC maps are external again. Mapping 'officer' failed to carry out task "to the check whether we have the most up to date external OS mapping" (Ceredigion County Council failed to renew their subscription to Ordnance Survey).

January 2018, illegal break into woodland, fence taken down, criminal damage and disturbance to badger setts undertaken by CCC. Emailed CCC on 4th. Photographic evidence sent to CCC 08/02/18.

Statement: During January 2018 Ceredigion County Council negligently used an out of date incorrect map, which had been pointed out to CCC multiple times (2011, 2015, 2016 along with three site visits) to take fence down breaking into and illegally cut back and cut down (using chainsaws) numerous trees forming a new meandering path following a badger track some 600meters long through a private woodland over active badgers setts with no consultation, leaving sharp tree stumps, trip hazards and felled trees along with signs nailed into trees

designating it a public footpath.

8 Jan 2018 Eifion Jones: " we have a duty inspect the footpath(s) in order to properly evaluate the extent of the damage and its location in order that a more considered response can be prepared."

No damage has occurred to any footpath – so they intend to waste public funds investigating nothing – Eifion Jones knows this; he is the one that caused the damage in my private Wildlife Conservation Woodland.

9 Feb 2018 Gordon Street, Customer Service Adviser, OS, confirmed map updated in 2012 and CCC copy of maps are out of date. Copy received and forwarded to CCC.

9 Feb 2018 Having solved CCC map problem for them, Eifion Jones wants site meeting - "as its all getting a bit confusing" and:

"We will arrange to come by in the next couple of weeks and hopefully we'll be able to get to the bottom of the alignment issue." - Which is a giant step back to 2011. The man is an utter idiot.

Clearly no resolution to the illegal invasion / criminal damage / apology and way forward.

13 Feb 2018 Reported to police. An amicable resolution with suggestions to prevent re-occurrence has not been possible.

14 Feb 2018 PC Adrian Ward failed to keep appointment.

Council park vehicle on drive blocking it whilst unnecessarily inspecting footpaths for no reason whatsoever.

Police appear to have colluded with suspects during site visit without ever speaking to me searching an area where no crimes had been committed.

5 Mar 2018 Write to **PC Adrian Ward** about progress, none – **called me a liar**, no response to questions posed. ("Three of us attended and failed to find anything we would class as badger sett disturbance or in fact damage to woodland. We walked the footpath by your property ") Failed to reply to subsequent questions re 'attending'.

PC Adrian Ward investigated somewhere else without seeing me at all, he disliked my comment "you may as well walked around Tesco" issuing a threat. He obviously colluded with the criminal. I was taken aback by this.

Mar 2018 Ceredigion County Council were informed: *“Ceredigion County Council (CCC) employees, any others acting on CCC’s behalf or volunteering for CCC are not allowed on my property in any capacity, private or business, except to pass and repass on any public rights of way on my property. It should be noted that CCC and the ‘public’ do not own public rights of way”.*

26 Mar 2018 Official complaints made to CCC and D-P Police. Which got nowhere except more lies.
Criminal damage was found as confirmed by Sgt Marshall and Insp Griffith.

6 June 2018 Marie-Neige Hadfield (Ceredigion County Council’s Complaints and FOI Manager) blatantly lied, misrepresented their six month rule and closed the case.

10 June 2018 Insp Katherin Griffiths phoned: “Eifion Jones claims the issue was being dealt with amicably (lie).”

[replied, “no they’ve closed the case”] – ignored.

“we can’t prosecute an authority” – lie: were given and know the names.

She knew I knew she was lying; obviously should a named employee of the Council deliberately kill me during work hours under her understanding there would be no prosecution for murder. The culprits were individually named. Pure corruption.

“Is there anything else you want from me?”

Outright corruption. All I wanted was an apology and confirmation it won’t happen again (it has).

Four months later we have a complete waste of time, and the criminals get away scott free.

Eifion Jones then embarked weekly harassing me until Nov 2023 (yes – four years!) when I complained to the council about Eifion Jones’ activities: signs uprooted [**minor vandalism**], weekly [**harassment**] cutting down a fence [**criminal damage**] in order to trespass [**breaking and entering**].

These activities was conducted in work time using publicly funded vehicles and equipment.

He ceased from that moment on, except of course the two policemen that moved in down the valley ramped up their many illegal activities in my woodland (including threats to kill me) which Sgt Celt Thomas threatened me with “serious action” for filming [on my land].

11 Aug 2026

Caroline W decides to re-open old wounds by sending:

Your message

To: DHPW complaints.dhpw

Subject: criminal activity at Mabws Lodge wood

Sent: 26/03/2018 12:37

was deleted without being read on 11/08/2026 10:40.

I replied suggesting she not harass me further over this incident.

Corrupt and incompetent public sector employees below.

Photo's from their own social media.



Eifion Jones - let's not forget this incompetent, malicious, vindictive, lying simpleton is still employed by Ceredigion County Council, referring to himself as an 'Officer'. He is known to talk derogatively about local taxpayers/residents to his colleagues.



Sarah Pinnal



Insp Katherin Griffith



PC Adrian Ward.

The identity the Ordnance Survey employee that gradually altered the path route into the wood during the late '70s is known, but I have no proof, he does live locally.

His motive is unknown.