Report from Cllr Justine Peberdy – Ward Councillor Ledbury South

I am delighted to have been elected and offer my sincere thanks to Philip Howells for the work he has done looking after Ledbury West. I am grateful for the kindness and support he showed me during the campaign and election period.

Over the last few weeks I have attended council training sessions and arranged meetings with various local groups and individuals to bring me up to speed on many aspects of Ledbury life.

I have joined the new Ledbury Health Partnership Patient Participation Group. I've met with Andy Braithwaite from the Herefordshire and Gloucestershire Canal Trust to learn about Bloor Homes' commitment to finance the restoration of the canal on the site of the viaduct development.

I have been contacted by residents on a variety of matters including broken fences, verge mowing, planning applications, community gardens, bus services, and access to platform 2 at Ledbury station. And then embarked on a precipitous learning curve to equip myself with the knowledge required to answer their questions.

I will shortly be delivering a newsletter to all Ledbury West residents with an update on my work in the ward and my contact details.

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