LOCAL GOVERNMENT WEEK REPORT

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My experience at local government week was a very good one.

The importance of catching up with other local government members and hearing stories of some things other councillors are experiencing and how they have solved many issues was once again very rewarding and having a conference full of experienced people was amazing.

I was unable to attend certain early talks but was filled in by people who had attended with full notes and explanations. Although I have dealt with a lot of issues on council many things are always changing.

I was able to attend the Emergency Management !Let the locals lead This item talked about the extensive cost and repercussions to a small community. After many disasters we have had in York it was very informative.

Changing the face of tourism was also another exciting presentation which of course affects our town on a great scale.

Childcare in regional WA was very interesting and also Emergency a fantastic 5alk. I spoke with many people on youth issues in their towns after this and some with brilliant ideas

It was also important to me to speak about our health system which is very important in York.

The Trade fair is always a good place to catch up with others and never enough time in between talks.

This is important to have every year even if it's just to keep councillors aware of changes in our local government laws.

Kind regards

Cr Trevor Randell