MOTION ON NOTICE

City Council



Waspi

This motion seeks to build on the cross-party support previously shown by Plymouth City Council for the campaign for Fair Transitional State Pension Arrangements for 1950s Women (Waspi).

The Waspi group campaigns against the inequalities caused by the way pension changes for women born in the 1950s were implemented and we now acknowledge and uphold the findings by the Parliamentary Ombudsman in July 2021, that maladministration occurred in the way this change was communicated. The Waspi women were right and we should congratulate them on their continuing, unrelenting campaign nationally and here in Plymouth and we believe the women affected should be compensated for this maladministration

This council asks the Leader of the Council to:-

Write to our three MPs to ask the Secretary of State to acknowledge and act on the findings of the Parliamentary Ombudsman.

Proposed by: Councillor Jemima Laing

Signature: Approved by email

Seconded by: Councillor Sally Cresswell

Signature: Approved by email