Mayor of the County Borough of Merthyr Tydfil 2010 - 2011

Councillor Clive Tovey

Clive was born in Cwmbran and went to West Monmouth School in Pontypool. He initially did a Degree in Pharmacy at Manchester University.

As he wanted to see some of the World Clive went to Australia in 1981 and worked as a Pharmacist in such places as Kalgoorlie, Alice Springs and Thursday Island.

After 18 months in Australia he did a Master's Degree in Pharmacy at Queensland University, Brisbane. He subsequently studied medicine at Queensland University. After qualifying as a doctor he left Surfer's Paradise in January 1989 and started work a few days later in Prince Charles Hospital.

After leaving Merthyr Tydfil he worked around the UK (mainly in South Wales) and qualified as an A & E Consultant in 1996. He returned to Merthyr Tydfil to work as an A & E Consultant in November 2000 in Prince Charles Hospital.

Clive was first elected as a Councillor for the Vaynor Ward in 2004 and now represents the citizens of the Gurnos Ward on the council.