

COUNCIL:

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PUBLIC QUESTION FROM BRONWEN DAVIES

**QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR LYNDA THORNE
(CABINET MEMBER FOR HOUSING AND COMMUNITIES)**

The Safe & Legal Project is a Heritage Lottery funded project which has collected documents, materials and oral histories relating to the struggle to defend and extend women's right to abortion in Cardiff 1967-2017. The Project Group asked in summer 2017 whether a small exhibition, showcasing some of the findings from the project, could be hosted at the Cardiff Central Library Hub. Although the group were aware that similar exhibitions had been hosted there earlier in the year, our request was turned down. Further enquiries to discover the reason for this decision have eventually resulted in a letter dated 23 May 2018 from Councillor Lynda Thorne, stating that the pressures on space means that the Council are currently reviewing their position with regard to holding exhibitions in the building in the future. That being so, can the Council supply a list of alternative Council venues where the Safe & Legal Exhibition can be displayed, together with the details of to whom we should apply to arrange this?

SUPPORTING INFORMATION