

## WORKING WITH THE TRUST TO GAIN A BETTER DEAL

A working relationship has been confirmed to ensure the best healthcare for Welshpool and to ensure residents of Welshpool are well informed and consulted on matters regarding health. In particular the Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital discussions.

The Mayor Cllr Stephen Kaye and Robert Robinson Town Clerk met with Simon Wright Chief Executive and Julie Clark Director of Corporate Governance of the Shrewsbury Telford Trust.

The two organisations are planning to work together on the Shrewsbury Telford Hospital Issues.

The working relationship will have three main objectives:

- i) A bespoke web site administered by the Town Council will full and accurate information on future health services for local residents.
- ii) Information though the media and newsletters to inform residents of any plans for health care in Mid Wales.
- iii) Ensuring that Welshpool residents will be consulted in the early autumn on any future plans.

The Town Council allocated funds at its Full Council Meeting on 25<sup>th</sup> May to support the working relationship and ensure that the residents are fully informed and consulted.

Working with the Trust does in any way mean the Town Council will do anything other than supports its residents views and wishes.

The new web site will be found at [www.midwaleshealth.org.uk](http://www.midwaleshealth.org.uk) and will be up and running by the end of May 2016.