Harry McGuigan





CoSLA Spokesperson for Community Safety and Wellbeing

Harry is VAV's biggest ally in CoSLA which is the organisation that represents local authorities in Scotland. He organises a CoSLA group which looks at Community Wellbeing and Safety e.g. things like housing, the police, poverty and domestic abuse. He used to be a physics teacher before he became a politician and he believes young people should have a say in decisions made by local politicians.

Funding/Influence Power:



He doesn't have much money power except in his own local authority (North Lanarkshire) but he has a huge amount of influence with Government and with all local authorities in Scotland.

Weakness/Resistances:

He is interested in what local authorities can do to help children affected by domestic abuse. Ask him how he can use his influence with local authorities to make the changes you want to happen. He might not have a great deal of funding power but he will definitely champion your cause!