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Dear Neighbour,

Last week the Prime Minister, Theresa May, announced that there would be a General Election on the 8th June. We need an election now to secure the strong and stable leadership the country needs to see us through Brexit and beyond. The choice is between strong and stable leadership in the national interest with Theresa May and the Conservatives – or a weak and chaotic coalition led by Jeremy Corbyn.

I have lived in this constituency all my life with my family, and it has been a great honour to represent my local area in Parliament for the last twelve years. I am an MP who cares deeply about our area, works hard and seeks to serve you and your best interests in the best way I can.

Last year's referendum result was a defining time for our country. In March, Conservative and Labour MPs voted overwhelmingly to respect the decision last June and to begin our departure from the EU.

Whether we voted Leave or Remain, we now need to move forward to get the best Brexit deal through the strong leadership of Theresa May. You also need a strong local voice in Parliament.

I have made it clear that it would be unjust and unacceptable not to guarantee the rights of EU citizens living in the UK. We owe it to our neighbours, friends and family who have contributed so much. I pledge to ensure that EU citizens living in the UK have their existing rights guaranteed.

I have been a leading voice in Parliament on many issues since the last election. I successfully led the opposition to extending Sunday Trading hours that would have

put small businesses and family life at risk. I have also championed laws to ban the supply of 'legal highs' that have put vulnerable and young people in danger. I led a cross party campaign to make relationship education a compulsory and integral part of every child's school education. Last week, this law was introduced as part of the Children and Social Work Act.

During my time in Parliament, I have championed those most in need. Last year I secured changes to Universal Credit which means a £700 million tax cut for low income families by 2021/22. Following up my changes to knife sentencing laws, the Government has agreed to my campaign to restrict online sales of knives. I have also obtained additional help for the disabled. I have led changes to the law for the homeless and refugees. Following my local campaign, the Government is now looking to increase the price of cheap and dangerous "white cider".

Finally, I am a champion of many local causes and issues such as the redevelopment of Chase Farm Hospital, fair funding for schools and healthcare, challenging Cycle Enfield, and seeking improvements to our tube and train travel.

I look forward to seeing you during the campaign. However, if we miss each other, please contact me to raise any local or national issues, or to get involved in my campaign! It would be really helpful if you could email me to confirm your support at david@davidburrowes.com.

I hope you will vote for me on June 8th - for strong leadership and a strong local voice!

With best wishes,



David Burrowes
Conservative Parliamentary Candidate for Enfield Southgate

~A strong local voice for Enfield Southgate~