

FOCUS

on South Huntingdon



COUNTY COUNCIL ELECTION AND ELECTION FOR THE MAYOR OF CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH
THURSDAY 4TH MAY 2017



Dear residents,

I am delighted to be standing to continue serving you on Cambridgeshire County Council. Over the last four years, Mike Shellens and I have worked hard to represent local people and try and ensure the county council provides essential services as efficiently and cost-effectively as possible.

The boundaries for the County Council divisions are changing this year and in this area we will have one councillor instead of two.

Mike is standing for the County in 'Hartford and Huntingdon North'. I live in Godmanchester and so am standing for the new division of 'Godmanchester and Huntingdon South'. Mike Shellens and Ste Greenall will continue to be your District Councillors and be as active here as they have been in the past.

*If there is anything you would like to discuss with me before the election, please give me a ring on 412747 **Graham***

I care about this community and have lived here for over 30 years

My wife Sarah and I have lived in Godmanchester since 1985. We are both on the Town Council as we are committed to trying to improve the town. I was particularly honoured to be Mayor in 2008. I was elected to the County Council in 2009 and am currently the Lib Dem lead on adult social care.



Graham and Sarah on their new allotment!

My wife Sarah is a health visitor. Our children, Clare and Simon, were pupils at Hinchingsbrooke School.

An active and experienced County Councillor

Lib Dem councillors listen and fight for local issues. For example, we have:

- Distributed regular Focus leaflets to keep you informed
- Dealt with issues from our monthly surgeries outside the Huntingdon Town Hall
- Helped people get the right care and services they are entitled to
- Stopped, or at least delayed, proposals for a road across the Ouse valley from Hartford to Godmanchester to serve the new development at Wyton
- Got potholes fixed and reported many others on pavements and roads; and I persuaded the county council to invest an extra £90m in road maintenance over five years
- Helped resolve some parking problems and raised others with officers such as around the Hartford Road area, at Mill Common and inside the ring road

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CAMPAIGNING ON THE THINGS THAT MATTER TO YOU

A great team working for and with you all year round

County Council

At present the Conservatives are the largest party on the County Council and have imposed massive cuts in services in the last few years as seen by the state of our roads and other services. The county council needs to find another £101 million in savings in the next few years due in large part to the cuts in Conservative Government funding and local Tory unwillingness to face up to the challenges ahead.

In opposition, we work hard to try to find the best solutions to the many challenges faced by the County Council.

Your current county councillors



From left to right: County Councillors Graham Wilson and Mike Shellens

County Councillor Mike Shellens says:

"Graham has been a great ambassador for Godmanchester and Huntingdon East on the County Council for the last 8 years and I am very pleased he is standing again. He has tremendous energy and experience and between Graham, Ste Greenall and myself we share experiences and contacts and, using our different specialist skills, try to help people and make a real difference to people in Huntingdon."

Liberal Democrat priorities for difficult times

- ✓ Help all children get a good start in life
- ✓ Support the elderly to live safely and happily, and in their own homes for as long as possible
- ✓ Keep our roads and pavements safe, well maintained, properly lit and gritted
- ✓ Invest in public transport to reduce isolation in rural areas
- ✓ Make local government more cost-effective by reducing the number of councils
- ✓ Keep council taxes as low as possible

Please look on at our web site www.huntingdonlibdems.org.uk to read our manifesto in full

Election for Mayor of Cambridgeshire and Peterborough

Don't miss out on voting



The new "Combined Authority" of Cambridgeshire and Peterborough needs a competent and experienced leader. You will hear more from Rod separately. He is determined to make the best of this new development, for the good of the many, not just the few. Find out about his ideas on-line: www.rod.org

If you would find it easier or more convenient, you can still register for a postal vote. Forms can be obtained from Electoral Services at Huntingdonshire District Council, phone 388388 or download a form from www.huntingdonshire.gov.uk

**ON THURSDAY
4TH MAY**

**FOCUS ON
GODMANCHESTER &
HUNTINGDON SOUTH**

For the County Council, please vote:

For the Mayor of Cambridgeshire and Peterborough, vote:

WILSON, Graham Liberal Democrat		X	CANTRILL, Rod Liberal Democrat		1
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