



Vote

**Phil Munday**



*for St Faiths Labour*

**You have three votes on 6<sup>th</sup> May.** Use your vote and use it well.

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Dear fellow resident,

So, why am I asking you to vote for me? Well firstly, because I care about Havant and want our town to be successful and thriving. Unlike the Conservative candidate, I am not a career politician but, as a retired headteacher I do have the experience of running a large school and managing a budget of around £4M. Having been a science teacher, I also have a strong interest in protecting both our blue and green environment. I belong to the Labour Party because I believe in open government, a more equal society and better protection of our health and education and care services.

### **AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNITY, I HAVE:**

- Taken up many issues raised by residents including litter and repair. After several requests I successfully got the pedestrian crossing on East Street repainted
- Challenged the proposed felling of 130 ash trees at Bosmere School. The application has been withdrawn.
- Supported Warblington School students by helping with Covid testing.
- Made a deputation to Havant Council on concerns about losing local control through increasing ties with East Hampshire District Council and the critical report on their governance.
- Contacted local ward Councillors about the essential need for a relief road from Bartons Road to the A27, to be built BEFORE the houses at Southleigh. The Council Development Housing Plan casts doubt on whether the road is needed at all!
- Delivered three local newsletters to all houses in St Faiths ward to keep residents informed of the important issues under discussion.



Currently our Council is run by the Conservatives who hold a majority of **33 out of 38 seats**. We need a strong opposition to hold the Council to account on any failures:

- This year they are the only council in Hampshire to fail to achieve the Government's Housing Delivery Test of 75% of the target for homes built. This means that even more of our local green field sites are threatened with development because HBC have now lost the power to stop development outside of the Local Plan.
- They failed on their regeneration strategy – the housing development on the Council's Civic Plaza car park has fallen through with £3.4M funding lost.
- Increasingly aligned with East Hants District Council despite a very critical report this year on behaviour and process in that local authority.
- Made no effort to provide environmentally friendly projects such as food waste recycling.
- Twelve years on there is still no extra care housing for older residents or nursing care facility on the Oak Park site.
- Failed to resolve parking problems in residential roads, including West Street.
- Failed to look after and value conservation areas such as East Street.
- Despite years of promises, there is still no pedestrian railway bridge at Warblington Station

## IF ELECTED I WILL:

- **Inform local residents** on planning and infrastructure issues through regular newsletters and follow up on issues raised, including concerns about the impact of all the new houses on our local roads, parking, and medical services.
- **Support our local shops** and traders after the impact of the pandemic by demanding free parking in our local shopping centres to attract residents back.
- **Challenge the proposal** to build a warehousing and distribution business on the old Pfizer site in New Lane because of its impact on our road system.
- Demand that we really do **build back greener** by supporting the fitting of solar panels to all new homes.



Vote on May 6<sup>th</sup> and make your vote count!

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