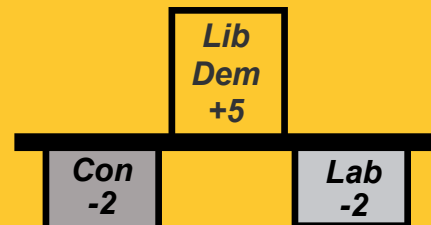


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How the number of Borough Councillors changed in May 2007

Malcolm Taylor

Fighting Tory Plans for up to 6000 Extra Houses Locally



Former Chairman of Broomfield Parish Council Malcolm Taylor is the Lib Dem candidate at the Borough Council by-election on Tuesday 11th. September. The election will be an opportunity for local residents to have their say on Conservative plans for up to 6000 new houses in this area. Our villages are not safe under the Tories.

The Borough Council by-election on Tuesday 11th. September will be a chance for local voters to have their say on Tory plans for huge housing development right on our doorstep and the threat to our river valley.

Well-respected former chairman of Broomfield Parish Council, Malcolm Taylor, is standing for the Liberal Democrats to fight the Conservative plans.

The Lib Dems are campaigning for green fields on the edge of Chelmsford to be protected to stop urban sprawl. They want previously-used land to be used before green fields.

NO to a road across the valley

Malcolm Taylor and the Lib Dems support a sustainable new development with shops, a school, a doctors' surgery and rail station north of the railway/A12 on the old gravel workings north of Boreham.

Malcolm Taylor says "The Tory Borough Council has ignored the consistently expressed wishes of local residents, our parish councils and the Chelmsford North Action Group. The Borough plans and a road across the valley will affect our villages fundamentally and for the worse. Our Tory Borough Councillors have misled us and that's simply unacceptable."

- Only Lib Dem Malcolm Taylor can beat the Tory candidate here on Tuesday September 11th.
- Our villages, our green fields and our river valley are not safe in Tory hands.
- The other parties can't win here. They have no Borough Councillors in our area.

The Best Choice for our Borough Councillor on Tuesday September 11th is ...

Malcolm Taylor



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More threats to our post offices



Liberal Democrat Malcolm Taylor says "Only the Liberal Democrats have a policy that will provide the essential investment for the Post Office network. All that the other parties can offer is crocodile tears."

Gordon Brown's Labour government is pressing ahead with plans to close 2500 more post offices. We oppose that absolutely, and helped the one on Broomfield Parade to re-open. And we say "No" to moving the town centre post office into WH Smiths.

The Lib Dem Plan To Save The Post Office

1. Keep Post Office Ltd in the public sector but split it away from the Royal Mail.
2. Raise £2 billion from the sale of a minority of shares in Royal Mail and invest this money in the Post Office network, to enable it to grow.
3. Axe the red tape which stops branches trying out new business opportunities.

Better Recycling Needed

Local Conservatives have consistently rejected the Liberal Democrats' plans for more recycling. Liberal Democrats want to protect the environment and save money on your Council Tax: **more recycling means less landfill tax.** Malcolm Taylor writes "The Liberal Democrats support weekly collection of kitchen waste, and significantly raising Chelmsford's recycling targets and performance."

Get traffic off village roads!

Despite 30mph limits and direction signs, **too much traffic – fast cars or heavy goods vehicles or both – is still plaguing our villages.** The Lib Dems are calling for:

- the long-promised down-grading of the A130 through from Great Waltham to Dunmow, so that more traffic heading to and from Stansted and beyond will use the A131 and A120
- immediate action to get park-and-ride up and running from the North of Chelmsford, including the servicing of Broomfield Hospital. To the south, Park and Ride is a dramatic success. Time to address our problems here!
- consideration to be given to the installation of attractive village gateways to discourage, and to slow down, traffic.

Malcolm Talyor says: "Why are our Conservative Councillors not forcing these things to the top of the agenda? Our villages are not safe in their hands."



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