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A RECORD OF ACTION - A PROMISE OF MORE

MAY 2015

YOUR CLEAR CHOICE ON THURSDAY: YOUR HARD-WORKING LOCAL LIB DEM TEAM...



The hard working balanced Lib Dem team of Melvin Caton and Lori Flawn have both lived locally for over 30 years so they have day to day knowledge of the problems facing local residents. Melvin lives in West Road in the Stoney Common area of Stansted and Lori in nearby Takeley. Lori will be especially vigilant to the constant threat of Stansted Airport expansion. "I see my role to safeguard Stansted's and Birchanger's separate identities and the Green Belt between them. The airport boosts the local economy but it shouldn't be at the cost of the quality of life in our villages" she said.

Melvin will work with Lori and Stansted Parish Council to get long promised road safety measures e.g. parking restrictions on Walson Way and the speed limit on Forest Hall Park installed by the Tory controlled Essex County Council and to ensure that the green belt between Forest Hall Park and Birchanger remains in any new Local Plan.

Forest Hall Park has a choice between Melvin and Lori...

...OR THE FARAWAY TORIES

Both Conservative candidates live 14 miles from the ward - one on the way to Chelmsford, the other beyond Thaxted. They do not face the day to day problems of living in our village.

One runs a business that is clearly associated with the airport- Stansted Airport Lettings. Will he stand up for local people against future airport plans to expand?

Similarly, other fringe candidates lack local knowledge as they do not live anywhere near Birchanger or Stansted.

The Conservative-run district council spent £2m and wasted eight years producing a Local Plan that was thrown out by the planning inspector because they hadn't listened to local people saying that the local road network couldn't cope with the extra traffic.

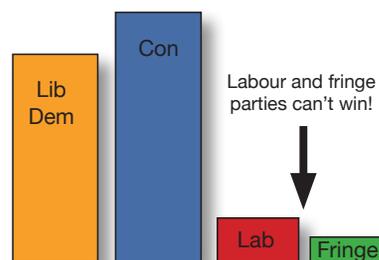
JUNCTION 8 THREAT

The new housing planned by Uttlesford and East Herts district councils in the area will cause Junction 8 on the M11 to seize up, say highway engineers. This is one of the reasons why the government inspector rejected Uttlesford's Local Plan and its inaccessible new town at Elsenham.

Plans are being made to increase the capacity of Junction 8 which will mean the loss of countryside between Forest Hall Park and Birchanger to make way for more roads. One more reason why the new town planned by the Tories in the Elsenham area is a terrible mistake. The Lib Dems have committed to producing a new and better plan.

VOTING IN UTTLESFORD

Uttlesford elections are always a close race between Conservatives and Lib Dems. Labour and fringe parties such as UKIP and the Greens can not win in elections here. Voting for them just helps the Tories win.



Melvin
CATON



Lori
FLAWN



STANDING UP FOR FOREST HALL PARK



Liberal Democrats

LIB DEM TEAM NEGOTIATES HEALTH CENTRE PARKING



The Lib Dem team successfully negotiated parking for patients at the new health centre currently being built in Lower Street in Stansted. 33 spaces in the Lower Street car park will be marked out for the health centre, with around half for medical and administrative staff and half for patients. So despite earlier reports that parking at the new health centre would be more difficult and costly than at the St. John's Road surgery, it is likely to be better.

Patients who have to drive to the health centre will not have to compete with commuters, shoppers and local workers for a place to park and they won't have to pay to see the doctor. The long-awaited health centre

is currently expected to open in September 2016.

ACTION

on Stansted Airport

Your local Lib Dem team opposes any expansion of Stansted Airport beyond what is currently permitted and want to see an end to night flights.

ACTION

on school places

The Lib Dems want the third primary school in Stansted properly planned for the likely number of future pupils in the village.

THREE REASONS TO VOTE LIB DEM ON THURSDAY

- Your hard-working Lib Dem team always keeps in touch all year round
- Both Tory and all fringe party candidates live miles away from Forest Hall Park. Your Lib Dem team live locally and understand the day to day issues facing Forest Hall Park residents
- We can't afford another £2m and eight years wasted on preparing another rejected Tory Local Plan. The Lib Dems will help fix it.

MIKE HIBBS SAYS



Standing up for where we live: For years the outcome of the general election in the Saffron Walden constituency, which includes Stansted and Birchanger, has been a foregone conclusion. Many now say we need someone willing to stand up for our area with a strong voice. As a Liberal Democrat I will protect the places we all know and love, and the unique character and sense of community that make our part of North West Essex so special.

Standing up for everyone: Life should be fairer for everyone in our community. The Liberal Democrats have worked from within the coalition to make society fairer and the economy stronger. We have taken 4 million low-paid workers out of income tax, introduced the Pupil Premium, committed to an £8bn increase for the NHS and restored the link between pensions and earnings.

Standing up for our future: Liberal Democrats are fighting for more housing that young families and key workers can afford, with low carbon emissions and low energy use. We will encourage new businesses into our area to bring in more well-paid local jobs, so people who live in our towns can work nearer home.

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