

Dear neighbour,

**FIVE PLEDGES FROM YOUR SUDBURY LABOUR CANDIDATES  
VOTE LABOUR ON THURSDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> MAY, 2018**

As your three local Labour candidates in this year's local elections, **which are just around the corner on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May**, we thought we should let you know about our plans for a cleaner, greener, safer Sudbury.

We want to say a huge thank you to everyone in Sudbury who's talked to us over the past year. We've spoken with thousands of Sudbury people and have heard a wide range of views on how we can build on work already done by Labour to make Sudbury a place to be proud of. You have ambitions for Sudbury. We have formed them into five pledges to you:

1. **We know that community safety is major local issue** and have pledged to continue supporting our excellent local police team in Sudbury. We'll press government to pay for the officers Brent needs, and we'll help our police work in partnership with local residents.
2. **Continue the fight against fly-tipping and littering.** We undertake daily patrols, and report fly tips immediately. We support community clean-ups, and will make sure Sudbury's Streets are cleaned and litter free.
3. **Give local communities a stronger voice in deciding what Sudbury wants**, by working with you to support new residents, leaseholder and community groups. Labour has helped set up many groups in the past eight years.
4. **Protect Sudbury's green spaces.** Labour has worked with Sudbury residents to protect these by developing the Neighbourhood Plan, securing the future of Vale Farm as a regional centre for sports and leisure. We will make sure that any developments brought forward in Sudbury are sustainable and compliant with Sudbury's Neighbourhood Plan.
5. **Continue to report potholes and accelerate repairs.** In the last two years Labour has set aside an additional £3.4M for pothole repairs. We monitor potholes and pavements all year, reporting defects promptly. Now winter is behind potholes are being repaired speedily.

Our campaign is focused on these five pledges. Regrettably some political opponents have been pumping out negative and misleading information. For instance, they have failed to tell you that the Pedway/steps at Wembley Park was a Tory/Lib Dem Council commitment in 2009. This decision committed developers' funds to pay for the steps. Also, they have claimed that police numbers in Sudbury have reduced since the election of the Labour Mayor of London. In fact the number of community police in Sudbury had increased since 2015 in the face of LibDem/Tory cuts to police budgets.

We know you want a cleaner, greener, safer Sudbury, and that is what we will concentrate on delivering with you. And remember, **you have 3 votes** in the local elections on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – ***please use them all for your 3 local Labour candidates.***

If there's anything we can do to help, or if you'd like to let us know your thoughts, do please get in touch.

Best wishes,

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