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# John BYNG Paul HARRISON

**Dear Resident,**

**As your local Councillors, we, John Byng and Paul Harrison, are seeking your support to return to Wyre Forest District Council to represent the ward.**

For the last 4 years the the Labour, Green and Independent administration ha increased planning pressures on our Green Belt. We voted against the Local Plan and stood up for our community. The Local Plan used inflated housing numbers which unnecessarily increased the number of houses being built in the Green Belt.

The Labour, Green and Independent Council administration at Wyre Forest District fails to support our residents and businesses. This adminstration has increased parking charges, including the over 65 permit, and removed all free parking from our town centres - under a Conservative administration we will return one-hour free parking, reduce parking permit for over 65s and return free parking after 6pm. This will support our residents who wish to support our local businesses in town.

We believe in delivering front-line services that are important to you, working collaboratively with our Parish Councils within the ward. The current administration has reduced the funding they give to Parish Councils and we are determined that if elected we would restore pride in our communities by supporting them.

Our promise to you, is that we will work hard for you all year round, if you just spare 5 minutes to vote for us.

Yours faithfully,

**John Byng and Paul Harrison**

For the Wribbenhall and Arley ward



**Your local Conservative Cllrs Paul Harrison and John Byng did not support the Local Plan, with the inflated housing quota it has put undue pressure on our Green Belt.**



**Fly-tipping in our rural parishes is a major concern. We support further enforcement on this anti-social behaviour and will increase our enforcemnt team and litter squads.**



### Protecting our environment

We will continue to work with the County and Parish Councils to ensure our beauty spots are well maintained and preserved for everyone to enjoy, now and in the future.



### Road safety

We will continue to work with both the County and Parish Councils on road safety issues by improving safety measures where possible and increasing enforcement in our rural areas.



### Parishes neglected

The District Council has closed the public toilets at Arley, the Parish Council rightly declined to pay for a facility which solely benefits visitors. Paul and John believe they should be re-opened and maintained by the District.



# Plan For Wyre Forest



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## 1 Scrap evening car parking charges and reintroduce free car parking

End parking charges after 6pm; restore one-hour free parking to one car park in each of our three towns; and reduce the cost of annual car parking permits for over 65s.

## 2 Increase the number of Civil Enforcement Officers

Increasing our Civil Enforcement team from six to seven will enable us to better deal with illegal parking on our estates and in our villages.

## 3 Safeguard Bewdley Museum

Bewdley Museum is the Council's flagship museum and we guarantee that it is safe in our hands. We will look at ways to enhance its offer.

## 4 Working collaboratively with the Town and Parish Councils

Work hand-in-hand with our Parish and Town councils to improve local services important to you.

## 5 Double our Environmental Protection Officers

We will increase the number of Environmental Protection Officers from two to four to tackle littering, fly-tipping and dog fouling.

## 6 Increase seasonal litter picking

We will bring back litter blitz squads and seasonal litter pickers to tackle litter across our District.

*Wyre Forest Conservatives' exciting plan to bring energy, compassion and enthusiasm back for our District.*



## What is at stake in Wribbenhall and Arley at this election?

Together we can make a difference with real progress for **Wribbenhall and Arley**. So, for strong and effective local Councillors that will get things done, **vote for John Byng and Paul Harrison on Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> May.**

### Greenbelt has been put at risk

Our Greenbelt is at stake under Labour, Green and Independent led Council. On 26th April 2022 they approved the Local Plan. Having a Local Plan is vital and indeed a legal requirement and whilst some release from the Green Belt was inevitable we believe that the current Council have released far too much Green Belt land for development. This is something the Conservative group did not support.



**The Conservative Group at District Council did not support the inflated housing requirement which has put unnecessary pressure on the Green Belt.**

### A burden on our Parish Councils

The current District Council administration has reduced the support and services they provide to Parish Councils. We will work tirelessly to ensure that you get your fair share of services such as funding for litter picking and bin emptying and street cleansing.

In our area of outstanding beauty, which attracts visitors, we can not reduce this statutory obligation.



**We will return litter squads and target anti-social littering with more enforcement.**

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**Restore PRIDE in our District by removing the CHAOS of the Labour, Green and Independent controlled council**