Use your 3 votes to elect



Rose BISHOP Bill HOPKINS Martin STOOKE

A strong local team for Offmore & Comberton

Dear Resident,

It has been an exciting time for Offmore & Comberton over the last couple of years. You returned Cllr Rose Bishop to Kidderminster Town Council – confirming your trust in Cllr Bishop who has been part of Kidderminster Town Council since the days of Charter Trustees and was the Town Council's very first Mayor and Chairman – and voted in a new Conservative County Councillor in 2021.

Since then, your Conservative Councillors have worked hard to act on your behalf. Highways issues, contentious planning applications, litter, street cleaning and antisocial behaviour have been a few of the concerns actioned by your Conservative Councillors.

Whilst we; Rose, Bill and Martin have been working hard there is still more to do. Our District is poorly led under the chaotic Labour, Green and Independent controlled council. Only by electing an experienced, forward-thinking Conservative council can we once again restore pride to our district.

We are determined to make a difference for you, your family and your local community. At a local level it is about electing the best people to represent you and be the strong voice fighting for the things that matter to you. So, please spare just five minutes to vote in these important local elections.

Thank you for your support.

Rose Bishop, Bill Hopkins and Martin Stooke

For the Offmore & Comberton Ward

APPROVED VOTER ID

One of the following:

- Passport
- · Driving Licence
- Over 65 Bus Pass
- Voter Authority Certificate





Your Conservative Offmore & Comberton team has worked hard on a range of street issues; from street signs to paving and tactiles.



The team has dealt with many requests for overgrown hedges and other vegetation to be dealt with. Everything has been actioned promptly and effectively.



Taking pride in our area

Too many areas have been ignored by the District Council. Cairndhu Drive, for example, where trees that were initially planted to reduce noise pollution were left unmaintained resulting in pavement slabs lifting and weeds embedding. With no action from WFDC, your local team arranged the clearance.



Combating Ioneliness and isolation

As more and more people face isolation and loneliness, the team has hosted a weekly bingo/community club every Wednesday. The club has become a regular feature for local residents and is much-valued.



Keeping Borrington safe

Your local Conservative team works hard to keep the area safe; ensuring hedges are cut back to protect visibility by the school and working hard to keep the muchloved play area clean and safe are just two examples of the tireless work the team does.





Plan For Wyre Forest



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- **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.
- 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.
- **Invest in our parks** Work with parish and town councils to safeguard the future of our muchloved local parks and open spaces.
- **Reintroduce cultural events across the District** Using our parks and open spaces, we will provide festivals and music events (such as Bands in the Park) as well as offering a range of activities for children.
- Redevelop Worcester Street and the former Glades site We will demolish empty shops on Worcester Street in Kidderminster and support the development of housing and apartments here and on the former Glades site.
- **Working collaboratively with the Town Council** Work work hand-in-hand with our town councils to improve local services important to you.





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

What is at stake in Offmore & Comberton at this election?

Together we can make a difference with real progress for Offmore & Comberton. So for strong and effective local Councillors who will get things done, vote for Rose Bishop, Bill Hopkins and Martin Stooke on Thursday, 4th May

Regenerating Our Town Centre

We support the economic regeneration of Kidderminster town centre. The Conservative Government allocated WFDC, back in 2020, £20 million from the Future High Streets Fund which was an application submitted back in early 2019 by the then Conservative-led WFDC. We feel that the Labour/Green/ Independent led Council has not delivered on this project quickly enough and that it is essential that the redundant brownfield sites in the town centre are re-developed.



The Conservatives successfully negotiated and agreed the demolition of Crown House, at no cost to the tax payer.

Protect the Greenbelt

We believe passionately in defending the Green Belt in our District and that is why we do not support development in it. We believe that the Labour, Green and **Independent Progressive** Alliance-led Council, and indeed the Liberal Democrats until they left the Progressive Alliance, were wrong in allocating so much land to be removed from the Green Belt. This is why when the Local Plan was approved by Full Council on 26th April 2022, the Conservatives unanimously did not vote in support.



We will ensure that we do not allocate one more house in the **Green Belt than is necessary.**

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