# **Broadwaters Needs Action Not Words!**

# **Vote Adrian Beavis**



I bring good news, we have an opportunity to get positive change in Broadwaters! A By-Election has been called for **Thursday the 6th of February 2025**. For too long Broadwaters and the Wyre Forest has heard too many words and not seen enough action.

The Conservative Worcestershire County Council has just announced a £33.6 Million funding shortfall, which has not been at all helped by the Labour Government's announces no additional central government funding. At the same time the Conservative County **Council** is putting in their bid to merge with local district councils to create a 'unitary' council, absorbing their reserve funds and income producing assets. We need to see assets devolved to town councils to make sure money stays in the local area and doesn't get used to cover the financial mismanagement of the last decade of the Conservative run County Council.

With the potential of local elections being delayed to 2026 to form a larger Centralised Unitary Council, on the horizon, it's more important than ever, that we have **local people from** Kidderminster, making decisions for the people of Kidderminster!

Why? Because up and down the country, Liberal Democrat Town Councils are making their local areas better. From: Community Land trusts, building affordable housing for local residents, to tackling speeding, improving the local environment and providing more youth outreach services. I will also work with the police to tackle drug dealing, and anti-social parking around St Mary's primary schools.

Best wishes,

**Adrian Beavis** 

## **Save The Paddling Pool!**

Brintons Park has seen disproportionate investment in it's splash pad, compared to the funding for our local area especially the St Georges park pool.

### Speeding In Residential **Streets**

We regularly speak to people who are concerned about the speeding in built up residential areas, town councillors can push for new 20 mph speed limits especially around schools.

# More Affordable **Housing For Local People**

With 3,000 people on the waiting list for a house and many more still living with family and friends it's incredibly important we build the right houses for locals.

# "Thank You!" From Shazu Miah Lib Dem Parliamentary Spokesperson



It was a pleasure to meet so many people in the high street of Bewdley, Stourport and Kidderminster. Thank you to everyone who voted in that incredibly important election, and for welcoming me so warmly on the doorstep.

The first 6 months of Labours Government have been disappointing to say the least. The Liberal Democrat are shocked at removal of the Winter Fuel Allowance and for anyone struggling please find the help and support on our website on the links to the right side of this page. For anyone who can't access the website please visit our councillor advice centre on Offmore Comberton run by councillors and volunteers.

I'd like to end by saying our fight hasn't stopped with the General Election. The Wyre Forest Liberal Democrats are already working hard to make sure your voice is heard. Please do get in touch using the contact details below.

Again Thank You!

### Winter Fuel Allowance Helpful Links



# Please share these helpful links with people you know:

For tips on saving money, grants and Pension Credit support you can find this here:

#### https://www.wyreforestlib dems.org.UK/need-helpthis-winter

If you struggle to use the eligibility calculator, or need help with the application, please contact the **Pension Service helpline:** 

Telephone: 0800 731 0469 Text phone: 0800 731 0464

Relay UK (if you cannot hear or speak on the phone): 18001 then 0800 731 0469

Councillor Advice shop address is 5 Burcher Green, Kidderminster, DY10 3AY.

### Only a vote for the Lib Dems will create Change!

- Liberal Democrats voted to ban glysphosphate weedkillers which kill bees and other important pollinators. We now want more bee friendly planting around the town.
- 2. We want additional youth outreach services.
- 3. Push for a 20mph speed limit in residential areas.
- 4. It's incredibly important that when the Town Hall reopens we bring business back and generate revenue and tourism, by running a number of affordable events, even if that require reduced rents to bring business back that has gone else where during the current building work.
- 5. In Lib Dem town councils they've set up a community land trust to **deliver affordable housing** for local people!

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We want to hear from you, so we can focus on the issues that really matter. You can also fill in our online survey!



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