

Cherwell District Council elections  
5 May



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**TIM HALLCHURCH**  
**SIMON HOLLAND**  
**DAVID HUGHES**

Your Local Choice for  
Launton & Otmoor Ward



**Tim Hallchurch, Simon Holland, David Hughes the local choice for Launton & Otmoor Ward**

## Tim HALLCHURCH

I have lived in the Otmoor area since 1984 and I am very familiar with local issues. I want to continue to represent the area to carry out wherever possible the wishes of parishes and local people.

I have always supported the wishes of the villages in my ward by attending Parish Council meetings whenever I am able and also to attend local events where I can meet people and hear about their concerns. My monthly emailed report goes to over 200 people in the ward and will happily add you to my list. Please send your email address to [timothy.hallchurch@cherwell-dc.gov.uk](mailto:timothy.hallchurch@cherwell-dc.gov.uk).

I am very concerned about keeping the rural nature of our villages and preventing over development but also believe that a few extra homes or businesses in the right place will be beneficial to us all.



## Simon HOLLAND

Over the last seven years that it has been my privilege to serve as a councillor Cherwell has delivered some major projects including the redevelopment of Bicester, with its' new cinema and shopping centre; new sports facilities and flood defences for Banbury and the Cherwell valley. At the same time we have fought some major battles against unwanted and inappropriate development that has threatened our countryside or the special character of our district. Year on year services and resident satisfaction rates have improved. This has been done against a background of ever reducing funding from central government and yet the Council has managed to freeze its' share of the council tax for five years!

I ask for your vote to help build on this good work and allow me to continue to fight for you against the inevitable threats to our countryside, villages and towns.



## David HUGHES

I have always lived locally, and care passionately about the issues that affect all of us in our community. As a District Councillor I have served on the Executive, as Chairman of the Planning Committee, Chairman of the Environment Committee and I am currently Chairman of Overview and Scrutiny Committee. Over the years I have always put myself forward to help with local issues as they have arisen, including being very proud to have been involved in the replacement of Bicester community hospital. I am married to Gina and have two sons. My family and I run LC Hughes recycling and Bicester Caravan and Leisure.

I feel very proud of what we as a district and the community have achieved in providing the facilities we all so much need and appreciate.



## CHERWELL SUCCESSES!

■ **KEEPING COUNCIL TAX LOW!**  
Cherwell's share of the Council tax has been frozen for the past six years.

■ **HELPING PEOPLE INTO WORK**  
Unemployment across Cherwell is below 1% thanks to job club boost.

■ **DELIVERING EFFICIENT SERVICES**  
Shared services with South Northamptonshire saving £3.3m every year.

■ **PROTECTING OUR GREEN SPACES**  
Local plan passed giving us the tools to resist speculative development and protect our green spaces.

■ **SERVING THE COMMUNITY**  
Satisfaction with Cherwell's services at 76% - the highest ever

■ **A CLEANER, GREENER DISTRICT**  
A top recycling council with nearly 60% of household waste now being recycled.

Dear Elector,

These are the most important local elections I can remember. There are many issues that will impact on these elections; some local, some national, some firmly outside of the District Council's control.

Cherwell Conservatives have a strong record of standing up for Launton & Otmoor and investing in our area. We have worked hard to implement, upgrade and improve the town's infrastructure, services and amenities.

If you are tempted not to vote because you think "it makes no difference", let me assure you that it certainly does! With all-out elections and a new voting structure, opposition candidates could win seats that are currently Conservative.

All THREE of your local Conservative candidates need your support to ensure that Launton & Otmoor ward continues to improve and get its fair share of investment.

Yours sincerely,

*Barry Wood*

Leader of Cherwell District Council

**CHERWELL MATTERS**

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# Our Pledges to You

## FREEZING DISTRICT COUNCIL TAX

A 7th consecutive 0% Rise in Cherwell District Council's share of your Council Tax for 2016/2017.

## HOUSING AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Protecting villages from speculative and over-development, supporting conservation projects and seeking infrastructure improvements where necessary.

## BETTER BROADBAND FOR ALL

Assisting and supporting the installation of super-fast broadband in all rural areas in Cherwell District, by providing extra funding to Oxfordshire County Council.

## PROTECTING OUR ENVIRONMENT

Investing in recycling, street cleaning and litter picking of roadside verges and hedgerows to deliver a "Cleaner, Greener Cherwell District" - a nice place to live.

## ENTREPRENEURIAL SPIRIT WINS AWARD

Conservative-led Cherwell District Council has been named as the most Entrepreneurial Council at a national awards ceremony in London. The Council is recognised as being committed to excellent service delivery, not just now, but into the future. Ensuring you receive top rate services at great value.

## PROTECTING OUR VILLAGES

Cherwell Conservatives worked hard to ensure the Local Plan up to 2031 was completed and it is now in force. Together with a deliverable five-year housing supply, this allows us to resist speculative development and defend our green spaces.

## CONNECTING COMMUNITIES

The Better Broadband for Oxfordshire programme continues to be rolled out connecting rural households and businesses to high-speed broadband. We recognise more is still to be done and that's why Cherwell District Council is giving a further £1 million to the County Council-led project to help remaining villages get connected.

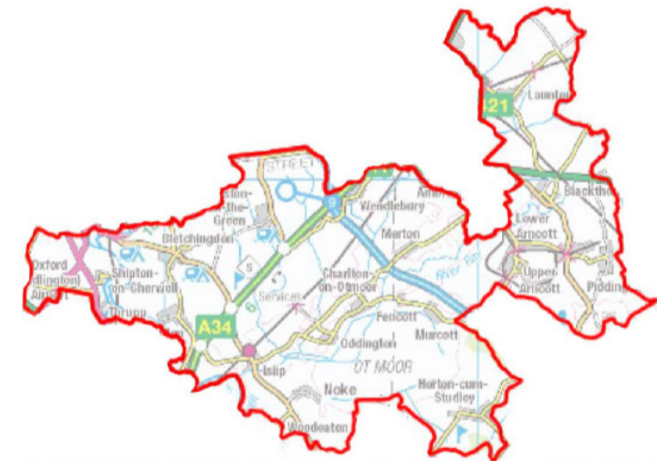
## CLEANER AND GREENER

Cherwell District Council has a strong track record for promoting "green" issues. Recycling in the District is at almost 60% and the Council is committed to investing in street cleaning and litter picking across our area.

# YOUR LAUNTON & OTMOOR WARD

Following an independent review by the Local Government Boundary Commission, your community is now part of the Cherwell District electoral area to be known as the Launton & Otmoor Ward.

This new ward comprises: Hampton Gay & Poyle, Bletchingdon, Islip, Oddington, Fencott & Murcott, Horton-cum-Studley, Noke, Arccott, Piddington, Blackthorn, Launton, Weston-on-the-Green, and Shipton-on-Cherwell.



## On 5 May Vote...

you have three votes...

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## GET IN TOUCH

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