



Vote **LABOUR**

IN **CHESTER CITY & GARDEN QUARTER**



Vote Labour | **Thursday 4 May** | Polls open 7am - 10pm



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Vote for **HOPE**

BEN WALKER | PAUL CHAMBERLAIN | KATRINA KERR

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OUR 4 MISSIONS TO MAKE CITY & GARDEN QUARTER AN EVEN BETTER PLACE TO GROW UP & GROW OLD:

- **HELP AND SUPPORT AVAILABLE WHEN YOU NEED IT**
- **OPPORTUNITIES TO WORK, LEARN AND SUCCEED, IN OUR CITY**
- **PRIDE IN OUR CITY CENTRE AND IN OUR LOCAL NEIGHBOURHOODS**
- **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS**



A MESSAGE FROM **SAMANTHA DIXON MP**

“I’M BACKING BEN, PAUL & KATRINA ON THURSDAY 4TH MAY.”

I have loved representing you on the council for 12 years, and now I am really proud to be your Member of Parliament. I would be so glad to leave you in the more than capable hands of Ben, Paul and Katrina. They all bring individual skills and talents, which makes them a fantastic team. I hope you can support them with your 3 votes on 4th May.”

MEET YOUR LABOUR CANDIDATES



PAUL CHAMBERLAIN

“LET’S MAKE CHESTER EVEN BETTER”

I want to work hard for communities in Boughton, Newtown, Abbots Park, Garden Quarter and the city centre.

I will build links between the council's decisions and our residents, so you can feel more involved in issues that impact you. As a former editor of the Chester Chronicle, I've watched Chester change over the years, but like other residents I feel communication could be improved.

I was born here and have lived here for most of my life. I just want to do my bit to make it even better.

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KATRINA KERR

“LET’S MAKE CHESTER EVEN COOLER”

Up until recently, I was Chair of the Business Improvement District in Chester. I know the city, I know the key players and I am keen to make a difference.

Chester has unbelievable potential. We can make Chester England's most 'liveable' city. This is a cool place to live, work, eat, drink, shop, learn, visit and own a business. If I am elected, I will continue to ensure that it is not only clean, green and safe, but also that it is increasingly attractive, affordable, and accessible to all who live here.

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BEN WALKER

“LET’S MAKE CHESTER EVEN STRONGER”

As a former Roman Tour Guide, I know how important our heritage is to residents and to visitors.

I will be a powerful advocate for Chester, but more importantly I will be a voice for residents of Chester, the Garden Quarter, Liverpool Road, Abbots Park, and Newtown. I will stand up for you on housing and planning matters, or neighbourhood pride issues like parking, fly-tipping, dog fouling, litter and graffiti. I care about our city and your neighbourhood, and I want to make Chester the very best it can be.

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PAUL, KATRINA & BEN'S 4 MISSIONS TO MAKE CITY & GARDEN QUARTER AN EVEN BETTER PLACE TO GROW UP AND GROW OLD...

Mission 1:



HELP WHEN YOU NEED IT

“Some people are struggling at the moment and don't know what is available. We'll make it our mission to let people know where help can be found. We want the best possible services available for people in Chester.”

WE WILL FIGHT FOR...

- ▶ SIMPLER ACCESS TO LOCAL SERVICES ONLINE, OR FACE-TO-FACE NEAR TO WHERE YOU LIVE
- ▶ MORE SERVICES TO SUPPORT NEW PARENTS AVAILABLE AT OUR LOCAL CHILDREN'S CENTRE
- ▶ FUNDING FOR LOCAL GROUPS TO PROMOTE GOOD HEALTH & TACKLE SOCIAL ISOLATION

Find out about Labour's plans for help and support services at cheshirewestlabour.com/hope/help



Mission 2:



OPPORTUNITIES IN LIFE

“We will work hard on our vision for our area to be somewhere where people can afford to rent or buy a house, and where people can access a quality education, learn new skills, and find decent jobs with local employers.”

WE WILL DELIVER...

- ▶ A NEW '10 X 10' PROJECT IN SCHOOLS SO KIDS CAN TRY 10 FUN ACTIVITIES BEFORE THEY'RE 10
- ▶ A NEW COMBINED ADULT EDUCATION, SKILLS & EMPLOYMENT SERVICE FOR OUR CITY
- ▶ OPPORTUNITIES FOR LOCAL PEOPLE TO RENT OR BUY A DECENT HOME IN CHESTER

Find out about Labour's plans for opportunities at cheshirewestlabour.com/hope/opportunity



LABOUR'S 5 BIG IDEAS FOR CITY & GARDEN QUARTER



1

BRINGING PEOPLE TOGETHER

“We'll support events and activities which bring our city together. We'll also recognise the importance of the different communities in the ward, so whether you live in Chester City, the Garden Quarter, Newtown, Boughton, along Liverpool Road or in Abbots Park, you won't be forgotten!”



2

BETTER TRANSPORT OPTIONS

“We'll improve Chester's transport infrastructure for pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists, and we'll fight for a new circular bus route to connect key sites in the city for visitors and residents. We'll also make the case for the park and ride to serve inner city stops, providing fast and frequent travel into the city centre.”



3

CLEANER, GREENER & SAFER

“We're fed up of people who dump rubbish on our streets, leave litter, and make other people unsafe through their actions. We'll go hard on fly-tipping and we'll be quick to respond to potholes street lighting issues and general maintenance complaints. We'll also work with the police to reduce ASB.”



4

INVEST IN PARKS & PUBLIC SPACE

“We're lucky to have so many parks, all of which have received investment under Labour. We'll Improve places like The Cop and we'll make the city centre more playful and fun for families. We'll also improve the high street experience by advocating for businesses to use alfresco and Row areas to enliven the city centre.”



5

ENDING ROUGH SLEEPING

“Homelessness is increasing across the UK due to a decade of government failures. The council helps hundreds of households every week to stay in and stay safe, but there remains a visible group of people, some with complex mental health and addiction issues, which we will work with services and charities to support into a life off the streets.”

Mission 3:



PRIDE IN WHERE WE LIVE

“We live in a truly beautiful city, with wonderful parks and community buildings. We'll take our duty of care seriously, and we will preserve our heritage and culture by supporting businesses, events and groups that celebrate it.”

VOTING LABOUR MEANS...

- ▶ INVESTMENT IN OUR PARKS, COMMUNITY FACILITIES & IN OUR CITY CENTRE
- ▶ FASTER POTHOLE REPAIRS & STRONG ACTION ON FLY-TIPPING, DOG FOULING & LITTER
- ▶ INVESTMENT IN A PROGRAMME OF ARTS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITY TO CELEBRATE OUR CITY

More about Labour's plans for pride in the places we all love at cheshirewestlabour.com/hope/pride



Mission 4:



ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION

“Labour will fund a new service that helps people make smart choices about how to reduce energy use in their homes to save money on your bills. We'll also work on projects to improve the natural environment.”

ACTIONS WE WILL TAKE...

- ▶ FUND A LOCAL ENERGY ADVICE SERVICE TO HELP RESIDENTS SAVE MONEY ON THEIR BILLS
- ▶ CREATE THE BEST LOCAL WASTE COLLECTION AND RECYCLING SERVICE IN THE COUNTRY
- ▶ MAKE SURE NEW CONSTRUCTION HAS HIGH ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS IN OUR CITY

Find out about Labour's plans for the environment at cheshirewestlabour.com/hope/environment



THE TORIES HAVE BROKEN BRITAIN BUT IN CITY & GARDEN QUARTER, LABOUR HAS A PLAN FOR HOPE



5 THINGS LABOUR WILL DO FOR OUR CITY



1 INVEST IN THE WALLS & ROWS
Despite a decade of government cuts to highways budgets, we have continued to invest in restoration work on all the major city 'gates'. We will complete this work by fixing the propped steps on the 1966 bridge. We will also complete our restoration and fire protection project on The Rows.



2 A NEW HISTORY CENTRE & GATEWAY
We will build a new History Centre near the station as part of the City Gateway project. The History Centre will tell the story of people and places in our area. The wider City Gateway project will provide new homes and improve key transport links, like Hoole Bridge, for residents and visitors in the city.



3 MORE PEOPLE LIVING & WORKING IN THE CITY CENTRE
As part of the next phase of Northgate, we will bring investment into the city to provide more homes for people that want to live and work in Chester. We will also support projects to convert unused upper floor space (above the Rows) into homes and workspaces for rent.



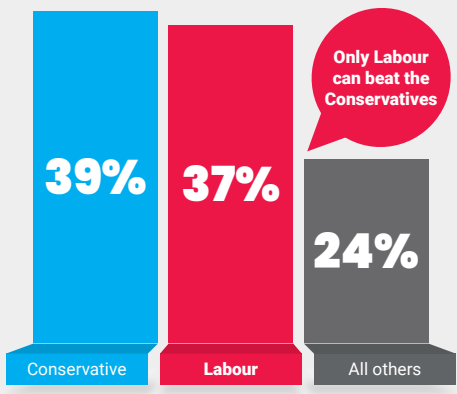
4 CREATE A THRIVING ARTS, CULTURE & HERITAGE SCENE
We will make Chester known for having a vibrant visual arts scene by investing in a cultural programme and events like the new Chester Contemporary. Working with local people and organisations, we will bring international artists and new heritage experiences to our city.



5 REFRESH FOR THE NORTHGATE ARENA
Everyone has fond memories of times spent at the Northgate Arena. We'll invest in a renovation programme to bring the pool, sports and changing facilities back up to a decent standard. We'll even make sure the Whale gets a new coat of paint.

READ OUR PLAN FOR CHESTER AT CHESHIREWESTLABOUR.COM/TEAM-CHESTER

ONLY LABOUR CAN BEAT THE TORIES IN CHESTER



Vote share in Cheshire West in the 2019 local elections.

THE TORY TAX BOMBSHELL

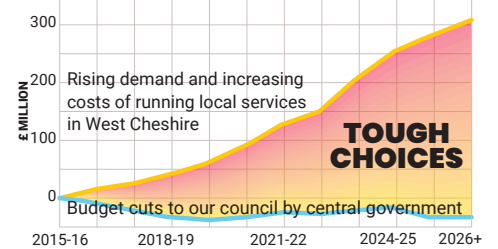
WHERE DOES YOUR COUNCIL TAX GO?

The Conservative government has failed to solve the national crisis in social care, so now around 60p of every £1 of your council tax is used to support vulnerable children and adults. This leaves just 40p to pay for roads, waste collection, street cleaning, libraries, leisure centres, planning, grass cutting and everything else the council does. Labour would launch a National Care Service to run alongside the NHS.



HAVE THE CONSERVATIVES BROKEN BRITAIN?

Yes. Multiple crises in mental health, poverty, housing, the NHS and now the cost-of-living are increasing demand for council services at the same time as the government has cut council budgets. This means councils are being forced to do more with less, scale back services or charge for things that used to be free.



THE TORIES HAVE BROKEN BRITAIN. SEND THEM A MESSAGE BY VOTING LABOUR.

VOTING IN THE COUNCIL ELECTIONS ON 4TH MAY

Think local, vote for HOPE and VOTE LABOUR in the council elections on 4th May!

YOU NEED PHOTOGRAPHIC ID:

The Tories have changed the rules on voting so you will need to take photographic ID like a passport or driving licence to vote in May. There are other options if you don't have either of these, find out more here register.vote
Register to vote by post at postalvote.labour.org.uk - applications must be received by the council by 5pm on Tuesday 18th April

