Oxfordshire County Council Elections
Thursday 6th May 2021

How your vote can make a difference for Witney, Bampton, Black Bourton, Clanfield, Curbridge, Ducklington & Lew



Making our Roads
Safer For All

Building Back
Better



# **Ted Fenton**

Your local Conservative candidate for the Witney West & Bampton Division



**Witney Conservatives** 

### How your vote can help deliver an even better

# Witney West & Bampton Division

### **Tackling Climate Change**

Without doubt, climate change is the biggest challenge facing the world at the moment. We will become a carbon neutral council by 2030. I am proud to have seconded a motion at Oxfordshire County Council calling for an

increase in tree planting and to have been able to support tree planting in the



### **Making our Roads Safer**

Repairing the highways is an important part of the job that I have campaigned on over four years but reducing speeding through towns and villages is more so. I am pleased

to have been able to fund eight Vehicle Activated Signs, support the campaign for 20mph limits and will work with the Police and Crime Commissioner to make our roads safer for all users.



### **Build Back Better**

The pandemic has been a difficult time for all of us and it is going to take a while to get over it. Green shoots of recovery are beginning to sprout and I will be working hard to make sure that new infrastructure makes

Oxfordshire better prepared to face the future.

New superfast broadband installed March 2021



Dear Resident,

It has been my great privilege to serve as your Oxfordshire County Councillor for the last four years and I am standing to continue the work we have started.

When I was elected in 2017 the main issue was the state of our roads which were in serious need of repair. No-one could pretend that the work is done but we have made great progress and will continue to do so.

The Climate Change Emergency is one we have to face now and together. I was pleased to be part of the administration at Oxfordshire County Council that has got to work and has pledged to be carbon neutral by 2030. I will continue to push to make sure we achieve that goal.

For many of us though, it is the small things that matter and over the last four years I have done my very best to be available and to answer every email and phone call. I will continue to try to solve as many of your problems as possible; to work towards getting the potholes fixed, make the footways and cycle paths safer, to report flooding and to help residents fix the problems which matter so much to them.

Thank you for your continued support.



## OUR RECORD OF PROGRESS

What we have achieved so far





### **Action on Climate** change

We are committed to being carbon neutral by 2030. We have worked hard to change 16,000 streetlights to LED and have the highest county recycling rates in the country for the 7th year in a row.



### **Building better Infrastructure**

Conservatives have secured over £600 million funding from the Government to improve our infrastructure building new bridges, roads, cycle lanes and walk-ways.



### Superfast broadband rollout

We have rolled out superfast coverage to 98% of properties across the county so far, helping rural communities and small businesses flourish.





### **Expanded Library** services

We have kept all 42 libraries, and opened 2 new ones in the last 12 months. We also have the home library service looking after those who are housebound.



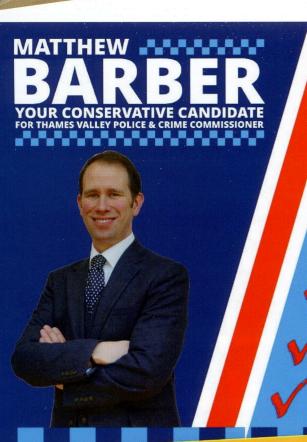
### **Highways and** transport success

We have invested in improving our road network for all road users including with machinery such as Dragon pothole repairing machines, with more investment planned for the future.



### **Delivering great** value for money

We're working hard to keep your council tax low while ensuring key local services are still of a high standard - meaning you keep more of your money to spend on your priorities.



# THE FUTURE OF POLICING

The next Police & Crime Commissioner for Thames \ will control the nearly half a billion pound budget for Thames Valley Police, set the priorities for the Force and hold the police to account - who you vote for matters!



More police officers, neighbourhood policing and focussing on the crimes that matter most to the public

Fighting serious organised crime Cracking down on the threat from "county-lines" drugs gangs to protect children from abuse and exploitation

Fighting cyber crime and fraud Invest in the technology and resources the police need to protect you and your families online

Improving criminal justice
Supporting victims of crime, bringing more criminals to justice and reducing reoffending

Tackling illegal encampments
Ensuring a fair but firm response to illegal encampments and reducing the effect on our communities

Find out more about my plan to fight crime locally and keep our communities safe... www.matthewbarber.co.uk fb.com/matthewbarberpcc @matthew\_barber

**VOTE CONSERVATIVE THURSDAY 6TH MAY** 

# our plan

# for an even better Oxfordshire

1

### **Climate Change**



The County Council will become carbon neutral by 2030. We will ensure that the impact on our environment is considered before any policy decision is taken.

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#### **Social Care**



We will continue to develop services and care packages that put our residents at the centre of everything we do. We will protect our most vulnerable children, and to reduce inequalities by improving education and health outcomes.

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## Supporting our Communities



We will continue to work with our local government colleagues, and other partners in the NHS and voluntary sector. We will put communities at the centre of our decision-making to Build Back Better.

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### Improving our Health Service



The NHS response to COVID has been amazing. We must ensure that local NHS services receive the funding they need to continue to provide world class services to residents in need.

4

# Improving our Roads



We are investing over £30 million a year to improve the 3,000 miles of roads across the county. We will invest in 20 mph limits to make our communities safer for all road users.

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#### **Build Back Better**



The Oxfordshire economy is vital not just locally but for the whole of the country. We will work with businesses to create the environment they need to continue developing our world-class economy and providing high quality jobs.



### **Ted Fenton**;

Vechicle Activated Sign on the A4095



Dear Ted,

I just wanted to thank you for your continued work and the provision of the new VAS on the road through Lew - much appreciated by me and I'm sure also by all other residents. I have to say it has always been a pleasure dealing with you and very refreshing that you care about the needs and wants of local residents!

All the best.

Tom, Local resident

Ted has always had a keen interest in education having been a teacher for 35 years. He continues to work hard in the interests of local students, serving as a secondary school governor in West Oxfordshire and on the County Council Education Scrutiny Committee and the Teachers' Joint Committee.



A new primary school delivered in West Witney



**Patching work in early March** 

Maintaining the roads is a never-ending job. Ted supports residents by working closely with the County Highways Team to identify problems and get them fixed as quickly as possible.

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