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Jamie Needle



Working for our community

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Jamie outside city hall about to present the petition for a crossing outside Menston Primary School.



The road at Menston Primary School.

A step forward for the crossing campaign

Last month Jamie presented his petition for a pedestrian crossing outside Menston Primary School to Bradford Council at City Hall.

Councillors agreed to put this to the Shipley Area Panel and we hope that this will lead to an allocation of some funding. Representatives of the school enjoyed being involved in the campaign and wrote some persuasive letters! Jamie will keep pushing for this much needed safety improvement for the children and adults visiting the school and next-door Co-op.

If you share Jamie's vision and want to join the team supporting Jamie at this Bradford Council election please get in touch. You don't have to be a Lib Dem!
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Better, greener travel

Even without the planned new houses our local roads are congested. There are too few options for anyone who does not drive and key train services are overcrowded. Jamie supports the 'sustrans' initiative to provide dedicated walking and cycling routes linking Burley, Menston and Otley. Jamie also proposes the introduction of an electric shuttle bus to provide regular transport between people's homes and village amenities such as the shops, doctors' surgeries and stations.

Sustainable Housing

The countryside around our villages is a big part of what makes our area a special place to live. Liberal Democrats see that more houses are needed but the large scale developments planned off Sun Lane in Burley and Bingley Road in Menston are not sustainable or appropriate. Jamie would support small scale developments of sustainable affordable housing. Not sprawling mini-villages on land prone to flooding.

A note from Jamie

I believe we need councillors who do things differently. I want to be a councillor who:

- Always listens to people of all views, ages and backgrounds
- Promotes equality not division
- Puts constructive discussion and evidence above political ideology
- Helps people who struggle to help themselves



Jamie discusses Bradford with Jo Swinson MP.

Demand better than Brexit

The Liberal Democrats have always said that the UK is best as part of Europe and we have proudly fought for UK citizens to retain the benefits that we enjoy as part of the EU: freedom to travel; safety by co-operation on intelligence, nuclear energy, medicines and food standards; protected working conditions;

international collaboration against climate change; excellent trading relationships - the list is very long. On Europe Labour and the Conservatives have failed to show any responsible leadership. Lib Dems have stood up for our country's best interests. Show you agree on 2nd of May.

Jamie NEEDLE



2nd May

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