



Ashfield District Council HUCKNALL CENTRAL WARD

by-election

Thursday 11th February 2010

Polling open 7.00am to 10.00pm

The local choice  **Conservatives**

Hucknall's Future

INSIDE: A record of action, a promise of more. Look inside and see how Mick is improving local lives

LOCAL PLANNING BY LOCAL PEOPLE

Grant Shapps MP Shadow Housing Minister visits Hucknall

Mick Murphy invited Grant Shapps MP the Conservative Shadow Housing Minister to visit Hucknall to see for himself the controversial development schemes that have been imposed in the area.

Mick Murphy said "Hucknall is facing a number of Housing Developments; these schemes will put an enormous pressure on our already over stretched infrastructure.

There is a long wait for a Doctor or Dentist appointment, and getting in and out of Town at Rush Hour is horrendous"

Grant Shapps said "The present planning system allows for remote planning inspectors to ride

roughshod over local people.

A Conservative Government would change that. We would introduce a system that properly recognises that local people are best placed to understand their housing needs."

He went on to say "New Housing is required, and if this is agreed by local people there should be a system that allows local benefit to pay for infrastructure improvements.

The current system is just wrong, it is top down with Government telling us where to develop, and it should be bottom up, with communities telling Government what they require"



Mick Murphy is seen here with Grant Shapps MP Conservative Shadow Minister for Housing, Mark Spencer Conservative Candidate for Sherwood and the Wigwam Warriors

YOUR VOTES LAST TIME

How you voted in Hucknall in June 2009 County Council Elections - Based on the average votes cast for each party (except: single candidates)



MICK MURPHY *The local choice*

A Record of Action



Mick Supporting Help for Heroes
Supporters of Hucknall Help for Heroes said 'we are very grateful to Mick for his help and support to our cause.' The money raised makes a tremendous difference to the wellbeing and help of our gallant servicemen and women.

THE SALT OF THE EARTH

Mick seen here with the late Central Hucknall Conservative Councillor Gordon Riley petitioning for action to clear the snow and ice from the Market Place in February 2009.



We have the same old story the Labour Government never listens. They were advised in July 2009 by road experts what to do. The advice was not approved until the 15th December 2009. Too late to get salt & grit required for our roads and pavements.
We can't let this happen again.



COMBATting ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR

Mick seen here next to the footpath from Taupo Drive which he has arranged to be closed due to anti social behaviour of youths. Local residents have thanked Mick for listening to their plea for help.

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COMBATting BOY RACERS

Mick has been thanked by nearby resident Mr Waterfall for negotiating with Developer Ben Bailey Homes to install speed bumps on the roads at the end of Farleys Lane. Mr Waterfall said "before the bumps were installed life was a nightmare, we were plagued by boy racers."



- A Promise of More

Thank you Mick

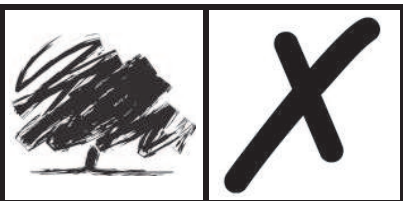


Mr Fields of Bamkin Close thanking Mick for his help in arranging for the roads and pavements to be resurfaced.



Mr Miles of Broughton Close thanking Mick for his help in arranging for road and pavement works which supported his ambition to provide his own off-street parking provision.

OTE PHY



85 year old Hucknall resident Annie gives a big thank you to Mick. She said 'I live on my own and he has helped me tremendously. Especially during the recent period of bad weather. He has gone out of his way to sort out major problems with my central heating.



LIB DEMS PUT US IN THE RED

The mis-management of the Ashfield Show saw an overspend of more than £150,000 above the approved budget. **This proves we cannot trust the Lib Dems with our hard earned money.**

This cost us over £150,000



WE CAN'T LET THIS HAPPEN AGAIN

SUPPORTING TOWN CENTRE SHOPS

The Proprietor of Jen's Chippy said thank you Mick for speaking up for all the Town shoppers and shop keepers.

He said we need the right help from Ashfield Council and Mick is the one with the right ideas and he gets things done.



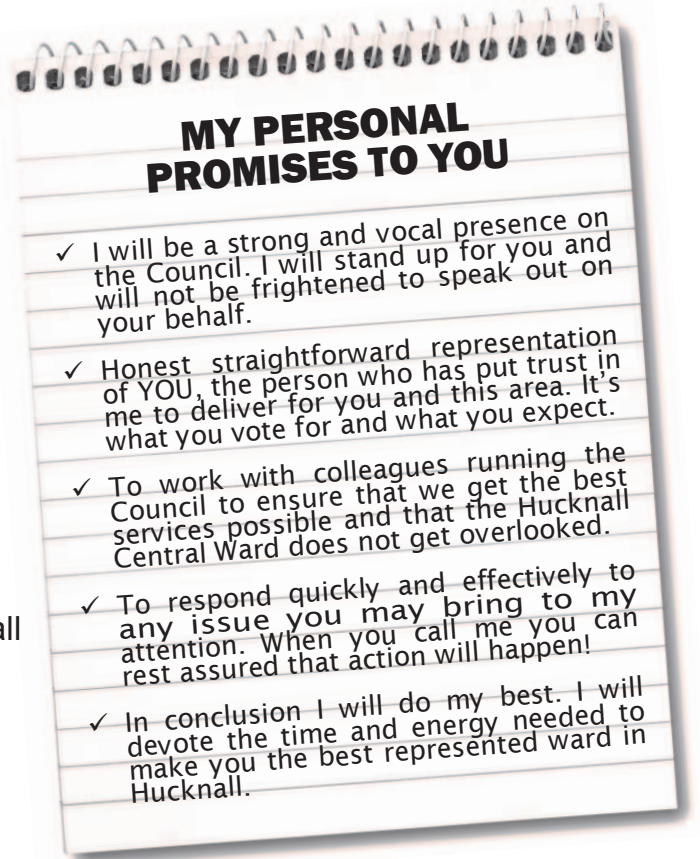


Low Council Tax with quality services The Conservative way

Only the Conservatives can beat Labour in Hucknall!

At a time when trust in politicians is at a low ebb, many local people have told popular local Campaigner and Councillor, **Mick Murphy**, they are disappointed by the barrage of negative literature from the Liberal Democrats. Local residents want a strong, positive voice for our town, not the same old party politics.

Everyone knows that despite the Lib Dem victory at the by-election win last year, elections in Hucknall are usually a close contest between Conservatives and Labour. Only a vote for **Mick Murphy** can prevent Gordon Brown's Labour party winning. With Mick, what you see is what you get. He will always stand up for local people and the town he loves.



- MY PERSONAL PROMISES TO YOU**
- ✓ I will be a strong and vocal presence on the Council. I will stand up for you and will not be frightened to speak out on your behalf.
 - ✓ Honest straightforward representation of YOU, the person who has put trust in me to deliver for you and this area. It's what you vote for and what you expect.
 - ✓ To work with colleagues running the Council to ensure that we get the best services possible and that the Hucknall Central Ward does not get overlooked.
 - ✓ To respond quickly and effectively to any issue you may bring to my attention. When you call me you can rest assured that action will happen!
 - ✓ In conclusion I will do my best. I will devote the time and energy needed to make you the best represented ward in Hucknall.

This by-election is a two horse race between Conservative and Labour. The Lib Dems came a distant fourth last June in the town and are now seen as out of the race by many.

Make your vote count Election Day is Thursday 11th February 2010

Polling Stations open from 7.00am to 10.00pm

If you need a lift to the polling station please telephone

07971 864478 or 0115 956 5481

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