

Sheffield Green Party

Sheffield Council Elections May 6th City Centre Edition

The Green team working with you

We knock on doors year round, help people with problems (casework) and go to community meetings such as the **City Centre Community Forum** and **Kelham Island Community Association**. Green Party volunteers deliver a quarterly newsletter so people know what we are doing and how to contact us. You can support our work by voting Green in the council elections on May 6th.



Noise Nuisance

We want a fairer balance between the "night time economy" and residents. Green councillors have worked with residents in

West One, Flockton Court and Cambridge



Court to limit
Planning and
Licensing applications.
They also proposed
the new late night
noise nuisance service
and negotiated later
morning deliveries to
Tesco Express and
recycling bin
collections on
Devonshire Green.

20s Plenty on Green Lane

A 20mph speed limit on residential roads would cut accidents, encourage walking and cycling and only increase car journey times by a few minutes. **Rob Unwin** took a petition

to the Community Assembly and Green Councillors included proposals to roll out 20mph zones across the city in their alternative budget.



Action on flooding

Residents and businesses were badly affected by the 2007 flood and there have been flash floods on the Wicker since then. The Environment Agency has cleared trees, but failed to protect the diverse riverside habitat. Green councillors supported the **Wicker Community Forum** to ask for better consultation and helped with the clean up around **Kelham Island**.





Cut permit prices in city centre?

The Green Party supports permit parking schemes (which stops commuter parking) and campaigned for cheaper permits for residents outside the ring-road. When the price was cut to £10 per year, **Green**

councillors helped city centre residents to petition the council to reduce their permit prices too. Watch this space!



HELP US TO HELP YOU MORE - VOTE GREEN ON MAY 6TH

Register to vote and/or request a postal vote by April 20th Ring 0114 2734093 or go to www.sheffield.gov.uk/your-city-council/elections/register

Greens are the winning team



Council Candidate Rob Unwin

In every election since 2004 Green Party candidates have been elected in Central Ward. Local residents say they have noticed an improvement in the area over this time, streets are generally cleaner and there is less crime. We are not complacent though, we know there are plenty more things we can do to make this area better.

Last Central Ward Election Result	
Rob Murphy (GR	EEN) 1611
Labour	1563
Lib Dem 522	
Con 311	

Council elections in this ward are a close battle between the Greens and Labour. The Lib Dems have always finished third. (Jillian Creasy is standing to be an MP)

GREENS MAKE A DIFFERENCE CITYWIDE

In this year's Council Budget we proposed:

- * No job losses, by offering voluntary part-time working
- * £10 million "invest to save" for insulation and renewable energy for homes and council buildings
- * An extra free city centre bus connecting to the Hallamshire and Children's Hospital and Universities
- * More money for pedestrian crossings
- * A free bulky waste collection service

GREENS CHALLENGE THE OTHER PARTIES ON THE COUNCIL

We opposed the Labour Government on:

- * Expensive ID card plans
- * Post Office
- ★ Privatisation of Public Services
- * War

Rob Unwin on a Stop the War march



Rob Unwin

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We opposed the Lib Dem council on:

- * Cuts to jobs and services, such as opening hours at Highfield Library (right)
- Moving transport money away from areas of need
- Plans to close local school Abbeydale Grange (right)
- * Removing public transport priorities
- Their blocking of wind farm proposals





ON MAY 6TH VOTE:

Rob Unwin

Green Party Candidate



