

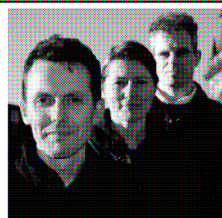


# The Sheffield Green

Working for the local community  
Sheffield Council Elections May 6th - Sharrow Head Edition

## The Green team working with you

We knock on doors year round and help people with problems (casework). When there was a spate of crime on **Steade Road**, we chaired meetings at St Peter's hall to bring together police, care providers and residents to solve the problem. Green Party volunteers deliver a quarterly newsletter so people know what we are doing and how to contact us.



## 22 bus improvements



Green Councillors campaigned for improvements to the **22 bus** service. The bus has increased its frequency and last year ran on Boxing Day as part of the festive bus services, begun in 2008 as part of a Green Party budget initiative.



## 20s plenty on residential roads

We support the national campaign for a 20mph speed limit on residential roads, which 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.

## Pruning and leaf clearance

Due to the number of mature trees, Streetforce have a hard job keeping up with pruning, tree replacement, leaf clearance and blocked drains. **Rob Unwin** has identified hot



spots and got problems sorted out and we have got trees pruned on **Crescent Road**.

## Permit Parking Problems

The permit parking zone has caused knock-on effects south of **Sharrow Lane**. In the review, a narrow majority of residents opted to stay out of the scheme but we have dealt with specific

problems. We have supported requests for H-lines across drives, additional yellow-lining on corners and asked the taxi-drivers associations to advise their members to take litter home.



## 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](http://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 (GREEN) 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:

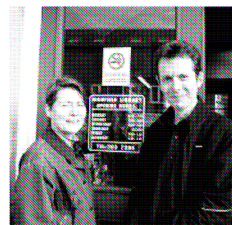
- \* Expensive ID card plans
- \* Post Office closures
- \* Privatisation of Public Services
- \* War

Rob Unwin on a Stop the War march



### 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



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**ON MAY 6TH VOTE:**

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Green Party Candidate



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