

GREEN STEP FORWARD

	GREEN 		OTHERS 
Jobs not cuts	Avoid cuts by increasing revenue through fairer taxes		Both Lib Dems and Labour support massive cuts
Scrap fees	Always against tuition fees and for lifelong learning		Labour introduced fees and Lib Dems broke their pledge
No sell off	NHS should be publicly provided and accountable		Labour started privatisation before the Tories & Lib Dems
Safe Energy	Reduce energy use and invest in renewable energy		Labour and Tory are pro-nuclear power



Candidate profile: Jim Wilson Walkley ward candidate

I am married with three children who attended Walkley primary school. My work background is in council housing and housing associations. Coalition cuts will massively impact vulnerable people in this ward. The Langsett, Philadelphia, Upperthorpe and Netherthorpe areas particularly rely on public services while public sector job cuts will hit everyone in the ward, especially women. The Green Party has clearly outlined why cuts are not needed and I will fight to protect this community if you elect me as your councillor.

Jim Wilson

Green Party Candidate



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INVESTMENT IN JOBS NOT CUTS



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The Green Party says NO to cuts and YES to investment in jobs



Green MP Caroline Lucas (shown with Cllr Jillian Creasy) is a voice for radical change in Parliament

Cuts to vital public services, benefits and pensions are not needed if the government:

- Closes massive tax loopholes
- Gets more people into work
- Cuts Trident nuclear missiles
- Taxes the money markets
- Taxes bank profits and cuts bonuses

Greens say create 1 million new jobs by investing in renewable energy, public transport and housing. Scrap tuition fees and reinstate the Educational Maintenance Allowance – free education for all, rich or poor.

A GREEN VOTE IS FOR...

X STRONG COMMUNITIES

We believe local neighbourhoods deserve good facilities and cleaner and safer streets, not cuts to public services. We support local schools and community groups; and take care to listen to people's views. We welcome the local community initiative to reopen a post office on South Road. Vital service providers to vulnerable people like Zest in Upperthorpe may need council support as funding becomes tougher to secure.

X ACTIVITIES AND SUPPORT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

The area suffers from anti-social behaviour in places like Ruskin Park because bored young people lack facilities. Church youth groups run, for example, by a funded youth worker at St Stephens and St Barts are vital. Support for youth services needs to be a priority in Walkley ward.

X SECURE HOUSING

People in council housing should have long-term, secure tenancies. We would ensure good quality and management in council and private rented accommodation. We support investment in repairs, energy saving and renewable energy for all homes.

X BETTER TRANSPORT

To tackle congestion, pollution and road safety, we want money spent where traffic is worst and a city-wide 20mph limit on residential roads. We want higher priority for public transport and for pedestrian and cycle routes, including winter gritting.



GREEN ACTION IN SHEFFIELD

The Green Party councillors have secured:

- A living wage policy for council workers
- Agreement for a city-wide 20mph limit on residential roads
- Improvements to the kerbside recycling service

In the budget we proposed making a small charge for green garden waste sacks and cutting top executive pay. This would fund solar panels on council buildings and houses and stop cuts to:

- Advice centres
- Sure Start children's centres
- Police Community Support Officers
- Day care and respite for elderly people

Labour did not support our amendment and allowed the Lib Dem budget cuts to go through unchanged.



VOTE GREEN - JOBS NOT CUTS

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