

Harrow Council News

The council is currently being run by a group of councillors known as 'Independent' Labour. This follows a split in the ruling Labour party in Harrow.

This happened after Labour had passed its budget in March, raising council tax by 2%, rejecting Government money for a freeze.

They do not have a majority, so there are now more opportunities for other parties to hold the council to account.

For example, we can now ask more questions at cabinet meetings and see more council papers. At a recent meeting we saved taxpayers over £100,000 by pointing out errors in a council report.

**We will continue to stand up
for Harrow Weald residents
and oppose the council when
they go wrong**


Got a Problem?


Contact your Harrow Weald Action
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High Road & Long Elmes 
The bus shelter opposite Waitrose was removed some time ago. We raised this with Transport for London and a brand new shelter has been installed, with more modifications to follow.

Kynaston Wood 
Delays in connecting new street lights had left a section of the road in darkness. We chased this up with the council and the problem was dealt with.

Boxtree Lane & Silver Close 
We had the overgrown island replanted. Contractors then ruined it. We are pursuing them to get it restored to good condition again.

High Road Harrow Weald 
We are working with the tennis club and local shop keepers to improve the area. We got some council funding and the shops and club provide the flowers and maintain them.

Kenton Lane 
Gardeners from a local housing block had been moving grass and litter on to the street. We reported this to the housing association and it was stopped.

Stop Press

Richmond Gardens Roundabout

The verge on this roundabout has been a long-running problem. It had become damaged by vehicles as the road was too narrow. We arranged for the verge to be repaired and landscaped, and for the road to be widened.

**Please let us know if there
are any further issues**



Harrow Weald Conservatives



Cllr Tony Ferrari
Editor

STANDING UP FOR HARROW WEALD

Keep our Parks Safe

We recently presented a petition to the council from local residents, calling for Harrow Weald's parks to remain locked at night. Residents are particularly concerned around **Harrow Weald Rec** which has several different entrances.

The Labour council's budget in March revealed plans to keep parks and cemeteries open at night. We have been campaigning strongly against these plans and will continue to do so.



Cllr Stephen Greek at the entrance to Harrow Weald Rec on **Weighton Road**

Street Cleaning & Maintenance

We have been pushing for more street cleaning in Harrow Weald and for more action on overgrown grass, bushes and verges. We have reported particular problems in areas such as **Uxbridge Road, Boxtree Road, Elms Road** and **Long Elmes**. This is getting harder as the council has cut street cleaning again, but we will keep up the pressure.

Let us know any problems in your road and we will follow them up



Cllr Ramji Chauhan at Elms Road

Dog Waste Bins

The Labour council had planned to remove all dog waste bins in Harrow. Strong pressure from Conservative councillors forced the council to change its mind. We have often reported problems with the bins in Harrow Weald, especially in the cemetery and in parks and streets.



***Getting the
Job Done!***