

SUE RAWLINS

The local choice for the Welton Rural Division

- **Conservatives at Lincolnshire County Council have frozen the Council Tax for 3 years.**
- **Campaigning and delivering for all the people of the Welton Rural Division.**



 **Vote Conservative**

Dear Resident,

For the past four years I have served as the County Councillor for the Welton Rural Division of Lincolnshire County Council and have acted as the support councillor to the Executive Member of Finance and have served on the Eastern Shires Purchasing Organisation's (ESPO) management committee (which supplies goods and services to the County's schools and other public sector organisations).

I have striven to make the voice of residents heard within the Council and to agencies beyond when dealing with issues that have arisen, particularly in relation to adult social care, schools and highways; and have worked closely with Parish Councils and other community groups.

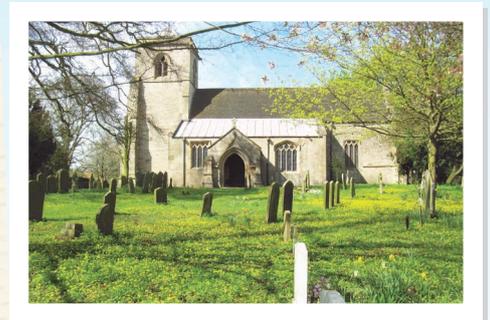
In particular, I have been able to assist our local community directly:

- Dunholme St. Chad's School has now been allocated the funding from the Four Seasons site to improve the school building for its pupils.
- In Welton, Ryland Road in the centre of the village has been resurfaced to address the concerns of local residents.
- The Big Society Fund allocated to my Division has been used to purchase various items requested by local groups, including a project with Welton Parish Council and the British Red Cross to assist older parishioners, purchasing and repairing village seating in Scothern and a contribution to Scothern Scout Group, as well as purchasing a frame for Sudbrooke's parish map.

If re-elected I will rigorously hold the Council to account as I always have and will continue to assist the Division's residents wherever I can. The Council will have to monitor its finances very carefully in the current economic environment and my overall experience puts me in a good position to do this effectively.

Yours sincerely,

Sue Rawlins



MESSAGE FROM MARTIN HILL OBE

Conservative Leader of Lincolnshire County Council

We are all aware of how challenging recent years have been; on ourselves, our families, our country and above all in Lincolnshire.

At Lincolnshire County Council I have been proud to lead a team of dedicated, hard-working Conservative Councillors. Together we have had to find substantial savings of £125m to help restore the council's finances, as well as dealing with increasing demand for our services.

Despite everything we have worked hard to protect the council services that are important to the

people of Lincolnshire and at the same time freeze Council Tax.

At a time of economic misery it has been imperative to promote local jobs and businesses; ensuring Lincolnshire has the opportunities to come out stronger on the other side.

Four years ago we set our course to weather the economic storm that the then Labour government had in their turn helped to create. Having successfully achieved many of the aims we set ourselves over the last four years I know that there is still more to do.



I hope, when polling day comes, you will support your local Conservative candidate; giving me the people on the council to continue to deliver for you and our common future.

A RECORD OF ACTION,

- Council tax frozen for the past three years
- Successfully campaigned to retain Lincoln Prison
- Campaigned for a referendum on our membership of the European Union
- Championed national opposition to onshore wind farms
- Funding for countywide super-fast broadband internet access
- Funding for 59 Police Community Support Officers

A PROMISE OF MORE.

- A council run efficiently, in a business-like manner, delivering value for money
- Keeping Lincolnshire's place as having one of the lowest levels of council tax in the country
- Build bypasses for Lincoln, Grantham and Spalding
- Deliver a further £45 million of savings to balance the council's finances
- Protect the countryside and our towns from inappropriate development

OUR PRIORITIES FOR LINCOLNSHIRE

- 1 Maintain frontline, essential services.** We have a proven track record of delivering savings and delivering for local people.
- 2 Keeping you Council Tax bill low** by running the council efficiently, we have been able to freeze our part of your Council Tax bill for the past three years.
- 3 Protect and champion the county and its people** because Lincolnshire is a great county and together we can make it better.
- 4 Increase economic prosperity** by investing in super-fast broadband, transport infrastructure, our children and their education.
- 5 Preserve Lincolnshire's lifestyle and environment** through working with local communities and people to really deliver for them.