

Lewis STRANGE

The local choice for the Kelsey Wold Ward

- Keeping council tax low for local residents by making sure the council is run efficiently
- Working hard to represent the people of Bigby, Grasby, North Kelsey, Searby-Cum-Owmbly, Somerby and South Kelsey without fear or favour



Dear Resident,

Firstly thank you for allowing me to represent you on West Lindsey District Council for the last four years. I take your trust in my service very seriously; rarely missing meetings of Bigby, North or South Kelsey, Grasby or Searby-cum-owmbly, parish meetings.

My background as a farmer, explains why I love the area I am proud to represent. I, and my family, have always lived locally. I move with the times as a rural councillor with mud on my boots and the determination to represent all age groups in the Kelsey Wold area.

We should all be proud of the Grasby and North Kelsey primary schools and their success, their hard working teachers, and governors, our LIVES team, Scouts and other volunteers.

Over the last four years I have able to help them through my Councillors Initiative Fund to support the five communities I represent allocating £8,000. Including support for North Kelsey village hall and community associations, South Kelsey village hall and playing field, Grasby Scouts, LIVES and the village hall, as well as Bigbys church tower appeal fund, and Searbys church clock. I want to work with village halls to provide solar panels on roofs to cut power costs.

I am working to ensure only limited growth is put forward in the Local Plan (copies of which are with your Parish Clerk) for our villages, protecting us from urban sprawl, but allowing some limited growth in the Kelsey Wold villages, as local residents wish.

The Kelsey Wold Ward has really improved in recent years; a new sewerage scheme has been provided for at Searby-cum-Owmbly. I am also very proud of the provision of the new household recycling centre in Middle Rasen, and the completion of the energy-from-waste plant in North Hykeham, south of Lincoln.

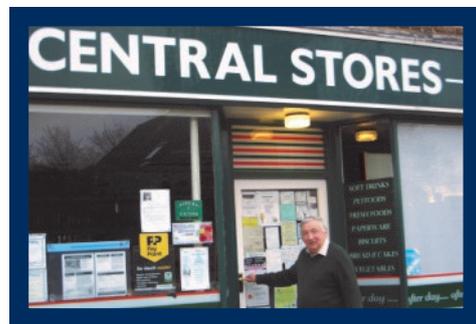
but there is more to do. I continue the opposition to the huge wind turbine planned on the Moortown-South Kelsey Road. I will fight to maintain the call connect bus service, and for the roll out of more designated stops and services.

I always try my best to help and with some years of experience I am pleased to say I am often successful. Please give me your support on Thursday, 7th May 2015.

Yours sincerely,

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OUR PRIORITIES FOR WEST LINDSEY

- 1 Keeping your Council Tax bill low** by ensuring that the Council is run efficiently and by having a more commercial approach
- 2 Attract and support businesses, create new jobs** for local residents, to ensure that the people of the district can prosper
- 3 We will continue to provide excellent refuse services** for local residents, having won two national awards for our services
- 4 Champion the district of West Lindsey** supporting tourism and getting the right policies in the Central Lincolnshire Local Plan
- 5 Get resources into our communities** by getting funding to parish councils, community groups and local organisations

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MESSAGE FROM JEFF SUMMERS Conservative Leader of West Lindsey District Council

The Conservative Group on West Lindsey District Council has been the controlling majority for the last four years since the last elections.

I am really proud of the Conservative team I lead and our record.

It hasn't always been easy to protect frontline services and balance the council's budget; as we in local government have done our bit to reduce the national deficit. Nevertheless our record is one I believe demonstrates that

we have kept our promises. We have kept council tax low, as we pledged, with a freeze in our portion of the council tax in four out of the past five years. We have supported Parish and Town Councils together with local voluntary groups. We promised to provide excellent refuse collection services and have won two national awards for our service.

A Conservative council will make our district more prosperous, more enterprising, more accessible and more

connected. Our vision is one where West Lindsey is increasingly green, a district where people want to work, live and visit. We will encourage residents to be, and build communities that are, more active and healthy.

On Thursday, 7th May please vote Conservative.

JEFF SUMMERS

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A RECORD OF ACTION.

- Our council tax has been kept low, frozen in four of the last five years.
- We have not introduced a separate charge for your green waste wheelie bin.
- We have worked with our partners to bring youth unemployment down.
- We have changed the way the council delivers, embracing entrepreneurialism.
- Over £250,000 has been awarded via the Councillors' Initiative Fund.

A PROMISE OF MORE.

- We will keep council tax low and where possible we will freeze it.
- We intend to keep green waste wheelie bins paid for through the council tax.
- By working with partners we will deliver services which are cost effective.
- We will embrace a commercial approach to generate new sources of revenue.
- We shall keep, for the next two years, at least, the Councillors' Initiative Fund.