

A record of action, a promise of more

Working for our community

I have lived in Bristol for 36 years and in Clifton since 2002. I care deeply about Clifton and our City. Clifton has lots going for it - the Downs, shops, cafes, quality schools and housing - which we can all take pride in.

However, like the rest of our City, we are let down by a Council that is still officially the worst in the South West.

Currently, it is run by one party which claims to be solely able to improve things. I am sure you agree that the major challenges facing Bristol, notably transport and education, are such that one party alone cannot solve them.

We need a strong and effective opposition on the Council; to support it when it is making the right decisions and oppose it when it makes the wrong ones.

In this election your choice is voting for another Liberal Democrat Councillor to rubber stamp anything the Council administration wants, or a Conservative who will vote according to the best interests of Bristol.

David Cameron has shown the way nationally,

supporting other parties when they do the right thing and vigorously opposing them when they don't. With your support I can do the same for you locally.

My priorities, if elected as your Councillor, will be:

- To deal with the many local issues you have raised with me - see the results of my survey opposite
- To bring more openness and transparency to the work of the Council Planning Department
- To encourage greater public participation in the work of the Council
- To question vigorously how the Council spends our money and identify major city-wide savings
- To campaign for an elected Major accountable to residents

Please give me your support on 3rd May.


Roy Tallis

I pledge to work on your behalf in the best interests of Clifton

I recently conducted a wide-ranging Residents' Survey. There were some common themes, as follows:

Refuse Collection: not all comments were critical of the current arrangements, though many voiced concern over lack of arrangements for plastics and the messy streets in the areas of multiple occupation

Public Transport: a permanent increase in the rail service from Clifton Down was felt to be a top priority

Speeding traffic: The roads connecting Whiteladies and Pembroke were identified as particularly difficult when used as rat-runs!

Residents' Parking: Mixed opinions here, as one would expect

Yellow lines: considerable concern about dangerous parking on road junctions and pavements. My enquiries have revealed that there are fewer wardens tasked with addressing this issue

Street Lighting: inadequate in some streets

Cycling on Pavements: lack of thought which makes life difficult for pedestrians

Overgrown shrubs: making walking on pavements a hazard

If you elect me as your Councillor 3rd May, I will do my best to address these issues.



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"So let us be clear about what we're fighting for. We're fighting to improve our National Health Service, which makes such a difference to the quality of so many people's lives. We're fighting for a cleaner, greener environment - locally and globally - for this generation and those that will follow.

We're fighting to support our families: with childcare, with more flexible career opportunities, with a commitment to marriage as the essential institution of a strong society. We're

fighting to tackle the causes of poverty as well as its symptoms, and we're fighting for better schools so every child has the chance to fulfil their potential. We're fighting for better public transport so it's not such a hassle to get around.

And we're fighting to cut the crime that wrecks the quality of life in so many of our neighbourhoods."

David Cameron March 2007



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