

# A personal message from your three Conservative candidates

*Dear Resident*

What a challenging year for every household and business across Chorley's NEW North East Ward!

After all our collective efforts and the success of the vaccine programme, we can now look forward to better times.

This is a great opportunity to elect new councillors for a new council ward covering parts of Whittle-le-Woods, Abbey Village, Brinscall, Heapey, Wheelton, Withnell and Withnell Fold.

Together we bring a wide range of experience.

From high level public service, through to scrutinising the Council's spending to helping challenge sensitive planning applications, together we plan to make a real difference.

Once restrictions allow, we'll hold regular surgeries so that you can share your concerns or ideas.

And where we can't, we'll embrace other modern ways to keep in touch.

We'll stand with you; will you stand for us?

By the way, our group photos in this leaflet were taken before the pandemic.

Yours sincerely,

*Peter Malpas, Greg Morgan and Clive Tattum*

**Your Conservative Candidates  
PS You have THREE votes**



**PETER MALPAS  
GREG MORGAN  
CLIVE TATTUM**

## Caring and Campaigning for our Community



**The creation of Chorley's new North East Ward with three new councillors provides an opportunity for fresh ways of working across the villages that make up the new council ward.**

We're keen to make a difference by regularly touring the area on the lookout for issues to resolve that help improve life for residents.

**But it's not about us. So we'll regularly hold resident surveys, and when we can Covid-safe chat with residents so we know what really matters to you.**

And we'll work with the County Council to make sure our roads are cared for by reporting faults as we find them.

**Planning is always a top issue in our rural areas. So we will give voice to concerns on new plans as they arise helping to avoid over development.**

So many expensive projects are town focused. Instead the Council needs to remember our rural communities.

We'll give the necessary challenge and examination when any new projects are proposed.

Chorley Borough Council Thursday 6th May 2021



**CLIVE TATTUM  
PETER MALPAS  
GREG MORGAN**

**The Local Choice for  
Chorley's NEW North East Ward**

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# Our 5 Point Plan for Chorley's NEW North East Ward



- 1 We will seek to maintain and improve bus links between our villages. These are so important to many without transport.
- 2 So often everything seems to focus on the town. So we'll fight to ensure that our villages are not left behind.
- 3 We will regularly tour the area reporting highway and other issues to the County Council.
- 4 The Green Belt is important to us. We will listen to residents and act on any contentious planning applications.
- 5 We'll provide regular surveys. That way you can provide feedback on what really matters to you.

## Local people are backing the Conservatives...

“ Through their joint experience, as a team Clive, Peter and Greg will complement each others skills for the benefit of us all. A great choice and a fresh start for Chorley's new North East Ward.

**Peter Goldsworthy**  
Wheatton

“ Clive Peter and Greg are passionate about improving things that matter to people in our communities. The new Ward presents an exciting new opportunity to maximise their varied skills to achieve this.

**Gill Tasker**  
Brinscall

# CHALLENGES AHEAD AS LABOUR COUNCIL FACES £1.27M INTEREST ON THEIR BORROWING

## PLUS MAKING SURE RURAL COMMUNITIES ARE NOT LEFT BEHIND

**Our aim in opposition on Chorley Council has been to challenge the ruling Labour group on their spending policies and to hold them to account on your behalf.**

With the Labour Council now facing over £1.27 million interest payments on their borrowing, and a rapidly changing retail sector, the future looks challenging for

Chorley's Labour Council. Taken with the £5 million collapse in valuation since taxpayers first bought the Market Walk shopping centre, taking up of gains through rent revenue is put in perspective.

That's why we will continue to provide the challenge to hold Labour to account on their spending and on how many see as concentrating their

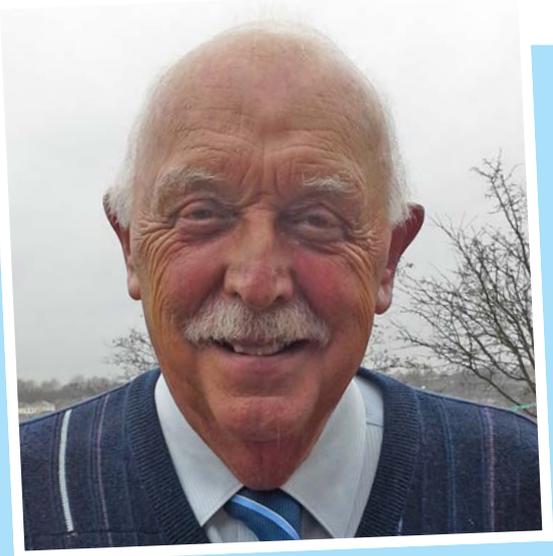
resources in the town centre. **We know you may be concerned about new developments on our rural fringe, and our councillors will provide the challenge on any new plans.** Above all, the green belt remains precious to us. Always.

Rural bus services are vital to our villages. So we will seek to maintain and improve these key services.

The coronavirus pandemic has given the council many challenges and we are pleased that the government has provided all the extra support it has.

But looking forward the Council must start to look at what it chooses to do and what it has to do.

**So many of its 'pet projects' cost taxpayers dearly.**



“ We're looking forward to Clive Greg and Peter strengthening the opposition team.

And what experience they will bring.

Retired top-cop Clive understands fully the challenges communities can face and brings a wealth of knowledge through his career.

Greg has been on Chorley Council before and provides the challenge on how the council delivers key services.

And Peter, another experienced councillor, thrives in digging out information others don't find.



The new Council Ward from Whittle-le-Woods through to Abbey Village



**Councillor John Walker**  
Leader of the Conservative Opposition on Chorley Council

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