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Local news from your Liberal Democrat team in Sutton North: Cllr Ruth Dombey, Cllr Marlene Heron and Cllr Steve Penneck

Lib Dem 39% Con 36% Can't win here! Lab Elections here are a two-horse race between the Lib Dems and Tories

PARKING CONSULTATION IN BENHILTON GARDENS: Please respond

As your local councillors we are still fighting to maximise the parking space for local residents, while making sure parking is safe and does not block access to roads or drives. Benhilton Gardens particularly suffers from parking from the town centre, and this is expected to get worse as the development of flats continues in the town centre.

Currently the bottom part of the road, from the High St to just past Hunting Gate Mews is part of the town centre Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ). At the end of last year, the Council consulted on proposals to extend this to the rest of the road. There was very little response from residents, and we would welcome your further views before any decisions are taken.

A CPZ is a residents' permit scheme where:

- Only residents with a permit can park on the road. Parking permits start as low as £40 up to £110 dependent upon emissions.
- Hours are 8am to 6.30pm Mon to Sat.
- Whether or not you buy a parking permit you get 50 hours a year of free visitor parking vouchers, and you can buy more. Vouchers are not needed in evenings and Sundays, when parking is free.
- The money from the permits pays for the cost of enforcement

The alternative options are to have free parking bays and single yellow lines, with restrictions at certain times, to protect access to drives, or else to have no controls at all and leave the parking arrangements as they are.

It's important to hear your views. Please email us or comment on the back and return it by post to:

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We want to hear your views

Name:						What are your top three local issues?		
Address:						☐ Keeping our schools great ☐ More affordable homes		
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						☐ Keeping crime low ☐ Improving transport		
Phone:						☐ Protecting St Helier ☐ Preserving heritage		
Email:						What are your top three national issues?		
					$\ \square$ Strengthening the economy $\ \square$ Fighting climate change			
How likely would you be to vote for the						☐ Controlling immigration ☐ Leaving the EU		
following parties in the future?						☐ Improving pensions ☐ The cost of living		
(1 is 'very unlikely' and 5 is 'very likely')						☐ Protecting our NHS ☐ Close ties to the EU		
Unlikely					Likely			
Lib Dem	1	2	3	4	5	On a scale of 1 (lowest) to 10 (highest) how well do you rate the work of Lib Dem-run Sutton Council		
Labour	1	2	3	4	5			
Conservative	1	2	3	4	5	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10		
UKIP	1	2	3	4	5			
Green	1	2	3	4	5			

Do you have any questions for your team?

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