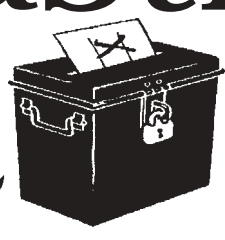


Cottingham Castle Ward

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Parish Council
By-Election Special

Thursday 27th July



Alan Williams

Your Liberal Democrat Candidate on 27 July

Alan Williams lives in Southwood Road, and is a retired Religious Education teacher who worked mainly in secondary schools for over 30 years, during which time he gained an MA from Hull University on the philosophical and psychological aspects of Education. As a governor at Westfield Primary School, his area of special responsibility is Religious Education. He takes a positive interest in the school's extracurricular activities as well as its teaching and learning. Alan is a member of the Nunburnholme Trust, which offers financial help to good causes in Hull and its surrounding area. He is married to Erica, a retired District Nurse who worked in Cottingham and Hull. Alan and Erica are 'Friends of Thwaite Gardens.' His hobbies include learning French with Cottingham's branch of the University of the Third Age (U3A) and music.

Alan supports Lib Dem Councillors Win Knight and Katrin McClure in their hard work for Cottingham. They have campaigned and worked hard to make sure Cottingham's residents enjoy facilities like the King George Playing fields and Hallgate Primary School, as well as challenging the East Riding Council on decisions which work against the welfare of Cottingham citizens.

BY-ELECTION MYSTERY



Q. WHO ASKED FOR THIS BY-ELECTION?

A. The Conservatives

Why would Conservatives be interested in our Parish Council after they have spent years publicly condemning and trying to undermine it?

Q. IS THERE A TORY CANDIDATE?

A. NO!

But one candidate in this by-election was a Tory councillor in the past, and has stood as an Independent. Is there a 'secret' Tory standing, and if so, who is it?

Q. WHAT DOES THIS BY-ELECTION COST?

A. Up to £2,500

This by-election was called shortly after the Parish Council had set its budget for 2006-07. So the money has to come out of the Parish Council's very limited reserves - out of YOUR taxes.

Win Knight and Katrin McClure agree - "Vote for Alan Williams"

Cllr. Win Knight
841844



Cllr. Katrin McClure
848014



Win Knight

Katrin McClure

Win and Katrin are supporting Alan Williams' campaign for the Parish Council By-Election on 27 July.

"We are very pleased to nominate Alan Williams for the Castle Ward by-election on 27 July to the Parish Council. We know he will work hard for the people of Castle Ward, and promote their interests. As a Liberal Democrat he is committed to making sure that the Parish Council is a success, and a bulwark against hostile decisions taken by the Conservative-run East Riding Council based in Beverley."

Q. SO WHY DO THE CONSERVATIVES WANT TO USE UP SO MUCH OF OUR PARISH COUNCIL MONEY?



Liberal Democrats Working Hard for You All Year Round



Alan Williams - Your Lib Dem Candidate on 27 July

Why I am standing as a Liberal Democrat

Liberal Democrats oppose remote government. We believe that local people should influence their own affairs as much as possible, and a Parish Council is one way of doing so. Our Parish Council has introduced many things to promote Cottingham that Tory-controlled East Riding Council will not do for local people.

Liberal Democrats worked very hard for many years to get a Parish Council. The Conservatives fought tooth and nail against it. When a Parish Council was achieved, the East Riding Conservatives, supported by Labour, made it as small as possible – smaller even than Skidby. The Conservatives do not want local people to have power – they see it as a threat, we see it as an opportunity for everyone to contribute to Cottingham's future if they want to, and in their own way.

Liberal Democrats are proud of working for and with the local community. With this Liberal Democrat candidate what you see is what you get - at least you know I am not a Conservative in disguise.

“The Parish Council works for the good of Cottingham in many ways” - Parish Councillor Win Knight



‘Yorkshire in Bloom’ - “With Win’s help, the Parish Council has made Cottingham more attractive,” says Alan Williams.



It is important to take care of our natural habitat, as it gives so much pleasure.

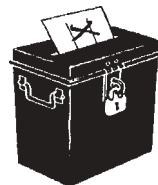
- A Parish Council is consulted on planning matters, and sometimes influences East Riding Council decisions by its input from local people.
- It supports, by means of grants, a wide range of local organisations, such as Millbeck Wildlife Group, school environmental projects, the Horticultural Society, the scouts, local theatre groups, Yorkshire in Bloom, and the CCTV project. [These are projects that the Tory-controlled East Riding Council will not help financially.]
- Officers of the Parish Council help with lots of queries and problems on a daily basis.
- The Parish Council has put Cottingham on the map by introducing ‘Cottingham Day.’
- The Parish Council keeps us informed via the ‘Cottingham Times,’ notice boards and posters.
- The Parish Council is consulting people over the Cottingham Plan, a plan which is based on what local residents want for Cottingham’s future.



A Parish Council can help to promote facilities that improve life for everyone, young and old.



The Parish Council can work with other authorities to improve the transport connections with other parts of this area.



On Thursday 27 July

Vote Alan Williams



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