

Labour working for you - Barton Flooding update

Local Labour Councillor John Mullen continues to press United Utilities for dates on proposed works to alleviate flooding on Peel Green Road. This company has not yet committed to any date or resource and as a result Cllr Mullen has referred them to OFWAT the utilities ombudsman. Cllr Mullen is also negotiating with City West to see if mitigation work can be started, that would go some way to reduce the risk to local properties.



Opening of the Bridgewater Canal Masterplan Phase 3

Winton Cllr Paula Boshell is supporting the improvements to the canal tow paths which have been refurbished. Benches and information boards have also now been introduced.

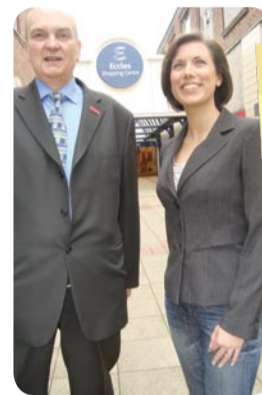
The next stage will continue the work beyond Alder Park.

Labour Improving Eccles Town Centre



Eccles Old Town Hall has been restored with over £200,000 worth of internal and external repairs, which were carried out on behalf of the Council. The twelve week project has dramatically improved the appearance of the building by repairing windows, cleaning bricks, creating a new entrance, a new reception area and adding a lift to the first floor.

A group from the local community has been established to restore the Old Ballroom (you may remember the dances and events that were held there many years ago) the group is called ECHO if you want to be involved please contact John Cullen 0161 707 4396 or Paula Boshell 0161 707 5799.



Funds have also been made available for further shop front improvements and streetscene improvements in Eccles Town Centre. Cllr John Cullen and Labour spokesperson Lisa Stone, on visit to Eccles Town Centre Precinct.

Labour Improving Your Neighbourhood in Winton

Last year Winton Ward was the first ward to have a SNAP week (Sustainable Neighbourhoods Action Partnership)

You said we did

You wanted us to address anti-social behaviour and crime blighting the area around Sutherland Street - **we organised for alley gates to be installed.**

You wanted bulky items such as fridges, sofas and washing machines - removed from your homes - **we organised a collection for you to get rid of all those unwanted items.**

You wanted the area around Old Fold near Monton Bridge cleaning up - **we organised a clean-up operation led by the Community Payback team to smarten up the area.**

You wanted items of graffiti removed - **we removed them.**

You asked for additional policing to address alcohol related anti-social behaviour - **we brought in additional police officers and deployed them in known anti-social behaviour hotspots.**



Labour Councillors at the Protect Your Property Launch held in October.



You can contact Barton Ward Labour Spokesperson Michelle Mullen on 0161 707 4519

Another opening saw the Metrolink line from Eccles to MediaCity making transport to Salford Quays more accessible for local people.

Eccles Labour Councillor John Cullen with Eccles Labour spokesperson Lisa Stone. If you require assistance in Eccles Ward you can contact Lisa on 07977705037



Ellesmere Park Traffic issues update

Residents of Ellesmere Park have, at long last, had the worst pot holed roads repaired. The parking situation along Chatsworth Road could be resolved in the next few months. The principle of the restrictions was approved at a recent meeting of the Planning and Transportation Panel. Now local residents will be consulted on the plans and will be able to suggest amendments to the scheme.

Green Lane Incinerator

The Say No to Green Lane Incinerator campaign continues as we await the application to go to panel. I hope that Monton residents will respond to the last stages of the campaign and make their voices heard.

The 'Say No' group are supporting an application to turn the Business and Technology Park into a mixed use development. The developers want to construct a new tow path along the canal at the rear of the site and to commit themselves to the Masterplan.