

Kettering Borough Council Elections - Thursday 1st May, 2003

(Polling Stations open 8.00am to 9.00pm)

WARKTON WARD

VOTE

LABOUR

LINDA

ADAMS

EILEEN

HALES

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YOUR LABOUR CANDIDATES FOR 1st MAY 2003

LINDA ADAMS

Linda was elected as your Labour Councillor in a by-election last year. She is 50 and has lived in Kettering for the last 22 years with her partner and children. She has worked as a home carer in the community for the last 23 years, also serving her fellow workers as their union representative with Unison. She is a governor at two local primary schools.

Since her election, Linda has sat on the Regulatory Committee, Kettering Town Forum, and the Task and Finish Group for Neighbourhood Engagement.

Linda would welcome the opportunity to continue to speak out for Warkton residents and would do this with the enthusiasm, energy and commitment she has already shown



EILEEN HALES



Eileen has lived in Kettering most of her life, is 52 and has two children and two granddaughters. She lives in Willow Road, which borders the ward. She works as a Nursing Assistant in the Adult Mental Health Unit at St Mary's Hospital. She is a Convenor for the local Unison Health Branch. Eileen has been a Borough Councillor for eight years, and is council deputy leader. She is an executive committee member with responsibility for health, housing and community issues. If re-elected, Eileen will continue to work for the benefit of all the people of Warkton Ward..

Your Labour councillors in **Warkton Ward** have worked energetically on your behalf and have been available to listen to you at regular ward surgeries held across the ward. For the last four years, Kettering's Labour council has worked on behalf of the people and turned promises into action on Families, Crime, Housing, and Environment - all within a prudent financial framework.

- A Tenants Resource Centre has been established at Grange Place. This was funded by the Council and councillors have helped to equip the kitchen so a Breakfast Club could open.
- A Community Café has been set up in St. John's Hall, promoting healthy life style options.
- The Council backed a summer programme of sports activities for young people.
- An estate walkabout by Councillors, with residents, police and the Head of Housing highlighted environmental and social issues. An action plan was then made for future initiatives.
- Funding has been directed at anti-burglary initiatives as well as addressing racial harassment and domestic abuse. Some Acceptable Behaviour Contracts have been negotiated.
- A new doorstep recycling scheme has been set up - one of the first in the Borough. The council led a multi-agency initiative to reduce litter and improve the environment.
- The Agriculture Scheme, a Co-operative in the Margaret Road allotment site is thriving and producing saleable organic food at affordable prices.
- The Affordable Warmth programme - to install central heating and double glazing in council properties has continued on the ward and across the borough.

A Labour Council will continue to support and invest in the community.

We are very interested in your views and have set up structures to increase community participation.

You may find it easier to vote by post for this election. If you want advice on this or would like a lift to the polls please ring the Labour election hotline on 07960 992662