

# Sue Richards

**COUNTY CANDIDATE FOR  
CHARLBURY & WYCHWOODS**

**DISTRICT CANDIDATE FOR  
CHARLBURY & FINSTOCK**



The Wychwoods have been my home for most of my life, for the last twenty years living in Ascott. My family grew up and thrived here ... all three attended Bledington Primary and Burford School, an upbringing which has fared them well as they raise families of their own in distant counties and continents. I continue to work in Charlbury though work has never taken me far from home. The precious Evenlode valley and our community require careful and sensitive leadership to deal with the many challenges ahead.

The overriding concern which applies to everything is now of course the urgent climate crisis. Whether we're talking about housing, transport, the economy, energy, food security, poverty and inequality, health and social care, education ... just everything must be structured with this governing our decision-making going forward. This is the time to think progressively to build a future full of hope, a welcoming place suitable for our children and the generations to come.

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## WEST OXFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL: Key Priorities

The climate crisis must be the dominant factor governing all our decision making, driven by proper consultation with local people.

### A home for EVERYONE

- more protection for the rights of private renters
- all new developments built to advanced carbon-neutral standards
- build true low-cost and social housing where there is a need

### Our communities

Investment in facilities, services, support and the wellbeing of residents. Make the Evenlode valley an even better place to live.

## OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL: Key Priorities

The pandemic has damaged the lives of many in Oxfordshire – I will campaign for a much **greater investment in our communities** and an end to using profit-driven private companies to run services that the public sector is so much better at providing.

**Adult Social Care** Home care and residential care are outsourced to private companies but they don't have to be.

**Transport infrastructure** Roads are crumbling and many people are left with inadequate bus services. More consultation and investment are vital.

**A County Youth Service** We need a properly funded service that supports young people, many of whom feel that their future looks bleak.

## THAMES VALLEY POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER



Chipping Norton District Councillor **Laetisia Carter** worked for Thames Valley Police for five years and currently works in mental health for young people. She has worked hard to improve our knowledge and understanding of crime and the impact it has on our rural community.

On 6 May we can elect Laetisia, someone who will bring **Labour & Co-operative values of Justice, Equality and Cooperation** to the role. As well as improving the local policing response and presence, she would be a link between our communities and Thames Valley Police, decide how budgets are spent, and develop plans to tackle and reduce crime.

**VOTE  
LAETISIA CARTER  
FOR PCC  
ON 6 MAY**

 **Labour  
and co-operative**