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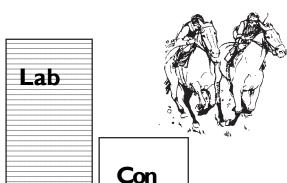
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## The Result last time





It's a two horse race in Springvale

It's a two horse race, Liberal Democrat, versus Labour.

If you don't want a high Council Tax Labour Councillor then re-elect Mike Heap.

### How to vote this time

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**Issue 185** 



From your Liberal
Democrat Focus Team
Cllr Mike Heap
Cllr Richard Whitehouse
supported by
Cllr Malcolm Gwinnett
April 2007



Mike Heap

# A vote for Mike Heap on May 3<sup>rd</sup> is a vote against a high spend, high tax Labour Council

Mike Heap is totally opposed to the massive Council Tax rises we have had to endure under this Labour Council for the last few years. "It is disgraceful", he said, "that even band B properties now have to pay well over £1000 a year. The ultimate solution is to replace Council Tax with Local Income Tax – but that needs government legislation. In the meantime a complete review of Wolverhampton's council expenditure is required in order to reduce the financial demands on our residents."







# The Focus Team of Clirs Mike Heap and Richard Whitehouse supported by Clir Malcolm Gwinnett



Mike, Richard and Malcolm persuaded Centro to install

several much needed bus shelters

throughout the ward.

Left: Mike is still campaigning in Council for Housing Services to be retained in the Woodcross office. The effects of closure will be utterly disastrous for many older residents.



Mike is continuing to press for even more security doors to be fitted in flats in Springvale.



Mike is seen with a newly repaired fence between Dovedale Court and Mount Road flats.

AND ACTION **VOTE MIKE HEAP** 





Mike and his colleagues are still striving to obtain a satisfactory bus service for the residents of Ettingshall Park.



Mike is pleased to report that the window replacement programme in Springvale is now complete and Springvale is amongst the first wards to achieve this.



Mike managed to persuade the Council to plant replacement trees for ones that been removed because of age or disease.

# **Future Plans**

- Campaign for the retention of the Woodcross Housing Office for payment of rents and Council tax and face to face contact with housing officers.
- Continue the replacement of all street lamps with the more effective halogen lamps.
- Press for an upgrade to the poor early central heating systems in Council properties in Springvale
- Continue making applications for funding to complete door entry systems for all flats and maisonettes.
- Support the police in eradicating all nuisance from motorcycles on our open spaces.
- All future telecommunication masts applications in any of our housing estates will be vigorously opposed.
- Campaign for a bus service to serve the residents of Ettingshall Park.
- Pressurise Centro to provide more bus shelters where welcomed by residents.
- Expect highways to organise a full reinstatement of footpaths where service mains, especially gas, have been replaced across the ward.
- Support applications for off street parking schemes across Springvale.
- Press for fairer treatment for local people in allocation of Council houses.

#### A few of our recent achievements

- A promise from highways to look at resurfacing the poor roads on the Hilton
- A promise gained from highways to look at pedestrian crossing facilities along different sections of Dovedale Road.
- All council properties in Springvale have had UPVC windows fitted.
- Dealt with hundreds of constituents personal problems.
- Effective collaboration with the police which has led to a large number of illegally used off road motorcycles and mini motor cycles seized and crushed.

# FOR THIS KIND OF SERVICE

