



Councillor Gina Houghton



It is with great sadness that Newbury Town Council reports the death of Councillor Gina Houghton.

Mrs Houghton was elected to Newbury Town Council more than seven years ago, in 2003. She worked on many important Town Council projects with enormous enthusiasm and commitment. In particular, her work on the Town Design Statement and the five draft Conservation Area Appraisals was invaluable, as was her contribution to the town's achievement of Fair Trade status.

Her chairmanship of the Conservation of Historic Buildings Working Party will be a tough act to follow, and all of Newbury will be the worse for the lack of her insightful input at Planning and Highways Committee meetings.

She was always full of ideas, which she so often turned into action, and she will be sorely missed by all her colleagues at Newbury Town Council.

Our deepest condolences go to all her family and friends. May she rest in peace.

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