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Date 2024-2025

Basildon Borough Council

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THE BOROUGH OF BASILDON

CONSTITUTION

Basildon District Council was set up on 1 April 1974 under the English Non-Metropolitan Districts (Definition) Order 1972 which made provision for the Basildon Urban District Council and that part of the Thurrock Urban District Council within the New Town Area to constitute the new District Council. This was just 40 years after the Billericay Urban District, later the Basildon Urban District, was established. The Basildon and Castle Point (Areas) Order 1984 provided as from 1 April 1984 for part of Bowers Gifford to be transferred to Castle Point District.

The first elections for the District Council were held on 7 June 1973 when 46 Councillors were elected. The District of Basildon (Electoral Arrangements) Order 1978 made provision for the division of the District into 14 Wards returning 42 Councillors and the first elections for these were held in May 1979. The District of Basildon (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2001 made provision for the division of the District into 16 Wards returning 42 Councillors and the first elections were held in May 2002. Following an electoral boundary review which took place between 2022 and 2024, the council retained 42 Councillors but reduced the number of wards from 16 to 14 with 3 Councillors in each Ward. Members retire by thirds each year, except in those years when there are elections to the County Council.

Basildon Council was awarded Borough status in July 2010 and received the Charter confirming that status on 26 October 2010.



PARLIAMENTARY CONSTITUENCIES

From the General Election on 6 May 2010, the Borough has been divided into four Parliamentary Constituencies.

Basildon & Billericay Constituency

Billericay East
Billericay West
Burstead
Castledon & Crouch – part
Fryerns
Laindon Park
Lee Chapel North
St Martin's

Nethermayne - part DI St Chads / DJ Vange Hill , both formally Vange ward

South Basildon & East Thurrock Constituency

Langdon Hills Nethermayne – part Pitsea North West Pitsea South East – **part**

Rayleigh & Wickford Constituency

Castledon & Crouch – **part** BT Bromfords / BU St Peter's, both formally Wickford Castledon Wickford North
Wickford Park

Castle Point Constituency

Pitsea South East - Part DQ Bowers Gifford

The Members of Parliament elected on 04 July 2024 were:

Basildon and Billericay - Richard Holden (Conservative)
Rayleigh and Wickford - Mark Francois (Conservative)
South Basildon and East Thurrock - James McMurdock (Reform UK)
Castle Point - Rebecca Harris (Conservative)



REPRESENTATION ON ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Under the County of Essex (Electoral Changes) Order 2004 the Borough is divided into five county electoral divisions, together electing nine County Councillors each serving for four years. The present County Councillors, elected on 6th May 2021, are:

BILLERICAY & BURSTEAD

A Hedley (C)
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LAINDON PARK & FRYERNS

Mrs P REID (L) c/o Essex County Council PO Box 11, County Hall, Chelmsford CM1 1LX 07806 804299

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PITSEA

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WARDS, POLLING DISTRICTS AND MEMBERS

Key:

C = Conservative



I = Independent



L = Labour Labour



WI = Wickford Independent



Ward and Polling Districts and Electorate at 2.5.2024	Councillors	Year of Retirement
BILLERICAY EAST (Electorate 9514)		
Chantry BA (1832) Norsey BB (3572) St Mary's BC (952) Sunnymede BD (3158)	A Schrader (C) A Barnes (C) M Mordecai (C)	2028 2027 2026
BILLERICAY WEST (Electorate 9506)		
Gooseberry Green BE (2577) Hannakins Farm BF (2142) Lake Meadows BG (2810) Queens Park BH (1977)	A Hedley (C) P Turner (C) D Lawrence (C)	2028 2027 2026
BURSTEAD (Electorate 11126)		
Steepleview BN (2284) Summerdale BL (1295) Tye Common BM (2292) Great Burstead BI (1641) South Green BK (3226) Little Burstead BJ (348)	A Baggott (C) R Moore (C) K Blake (C)	2028 2027 2026
CASTLEDON & CROUCH (Electorate 9339)		
Ramsden Bellhouse B BQ (536) Ramsden Crays B BS (9) Noak Bridge BO (2194) Ramsden Bellhouse A BP (650) Ramsden Crays A BR (1056) Bromfords BT (1812) St Peter's BU (3082)	A Myers (C) T Sargent (C) S Allen (C)	2028 2027 2026
FRYERNS (Electorate 10594)		
Craylands BV (2156) Honeypot BW (1240) St Andrew's BX (2190) Whitmore BY (3334) Willows BZ (1750)	A Brown (L) A Ansell (L) A Davies (L)	2028 2027 2026



Ward and Polling Districts and Electorate at 2.5.2024	Councillors	Year of Retirement
LAINDON PARK (Electorate 10028)		
Dunton CA (338) King Edward CB (3855) Merrylands CC (2064) Millhouse CD (2586) New Century CE (1185)	V Joseph (L) J Power (L) T Webb	2028 2027 2026
LANGDON HILLS (Electorate 10961)		
Dry Street DA (143) Great Berry DB (3932) Marks Hill DC (2937) Lee Chapel South DD (2912) Westly Green DE (1037)	H Green (I) V Robbins (I) W Brown (I)	2028 2027 2026
LEE CHAPEL NORTH (Electorate 10282)		
Bluehouse CF (1675) Holy Trinity CG (2301) St Paul's CH (3173) Somercotes CI (3133)	A Harrison (L) M McGeorge (L) A McGurran (L)	2028 2027 2026
NETHERMAYNE (Electorate 10245)		
Glenmere DF (1663) Kingswood DG (4518) Mistley DH (745) St Chads DI (640) Vange Hill DJ (2679)	K Smith (I) M Larkin (I) E Murphy (I)	2028 2027 2026
PITSEA NORTH WEST (Electorate 9326)		
Briscoe DK (3937) Chalvedon DL (2342) Nevendon DM (325) Northlands DN (958) Tanswell DO (346) Trenham DP (1418)	M Baker (L) E Callaghan (L) P Reid (L)	2028 2027 2026
PITSEA SOUTH EAST (Electorate 10209)		
Eversley DR (2821) Rokescroft DS (2575) Ryedene DT (1630) St Michael's DU (466) Barfield DV (1081) Bowers Gifford DQ (1636)	C Hilleard (L) G Palmer (L) B Westwick (L)	2028 2027 2026



Ward and Polling Districts and Electorate at 2.5.2024	Councillors	Year of Retirement
ST MARTIN'S (Electorate 10018) Fairhouse CJ (1875) Ghyllgrove CK (2824)	G Callaghan (L) J Ferguson (L)	2028 2027
Ghyllgrove CK1 (180) Timberlog CL (2417) Luncies CM (2722)	M Yaqub (L)	2026
WICKFORD NORTH (Electorate 10308)		
Shotgate EC (2867) Barn Hall EA (1286) Highcliffe EB (4450) Swan ED (1705)	E Brockman (WI) D Aldridge (WI) T Hammond (WI)	2028 2027 2026
WICKFORD PARK (Electorate 8972)		
North Crescent EE (1524) Oakfield EF (2475) Park Lodge EG (1208) The Wick East EH (3808)	A Ball (WI) G Jeffery (C) D Harrison (WI)	2028 2027 2026



MAYORS AND DEPUTY MAYORS OF THE COUNCIL

Year:	Mayor:	Deputy Mayor:
2024/25	Davies A (L)	Joseph V (L)
2022/23/24	Mackenzie L (C)	Adeshile Y (C)
2021/22	Dadds D (C)	Mackenzie L (C)
2019/20/21	Burton-Sampson D (L)	Fellowes D (I)
2018/19	Dadds D (C)	Lawrence D (C)
2017/18	Harrison D (WI)	Burton-Sampson D (L)
2016/17	Harrison D (WI)	Ward S (UKIP)
2015/16	Morris D (C)	Lawrence D (C)
2014/15	Larkin Mrs M (C)	Le Gresley N (UKIP)
2013/14	Larkin Mrs M (C)	Lawrence D (C)
2011/12/13	Larkin Mrs M (C)	Jackman C (C)
2010/11	Larkin Mrs M (C)	Livesey R (C)

LEADERS AND DEPUTY LEADERS OF THE COUNCIL

Year:	Leader:	Deputy Leader:
2024 to 2025	G Callaghan (L)	A Brown (L)
2022 to 2024	Baggott A (C)	Blake K (C)
2021 to 2022	Baggott A (C)	Hedley A (C)
2019 to 2021	Callaghan G (L)	Smith K (IG)
2018 to 2019	Baggott A (C)	Blake K (C)
2017 to 2018	Callaghan G (L)	Allport-Hodge L (UKIP)
2016 to 2017	Turner P (C)	Blake K (C)
2014 to 2016	Turner P (C)	Blake K (C)
2012 to 2014	Ball A (C)	Turner P (C)
2009 to 2012	Ball A (C)	Horgan S (C)
2003 to 09	Buckley M (C)	Ball A (C)
2002 November-May 2003	Buckley M (C)	Ball A (C)
2002 May-October	Smith N (L)	-
2000 to 2002	Potter J (L)	Borlase A (L)
1998 to 2000	Potter J (L)	Rossati Ms L (L)
1997/8	Potter J (L)	Carty J (L)
1996/7	Potter J (L)	Carty J (L)
1995/6	No Administration	
1994/5	York V (C)	Patrick P (C)
1992 to 94	Archer A (C)	Buckley M (C)
1989 to 92	Ballard P (L)	Cowie R (L)
1988/9	No Administration	
1987/8 (from Dec. 1987)	Archer A (C)	-
1985 to 87	Tinworth H (L)	Ballard P (L)
1982 to 85	Tinworth H (L)	Dove A (L)
1979 to 82	Ball C (C)	Cole Mrs P (C)
1973 to 79	Potter J (L)	Dove A (L)



CHAIRMEN AND VICE-CHAIRMEN OF THE COUNCIL

Vaam	Ch airm an	Vice Chairman
Year:	Chairman:	Vice-Chairman:
2009/10	Larkin Mrs M (C)	Hillier Mrs S (C)
2008/09	Tomlin F (C)	Hillier Mrs S (C)
2007/08	Buckenham G (C)	Hillier Mrs S (C)
2004 to 07	Hillier Mrs S (C)	Buckenham G (C)
2003/04	Buckenham G (C)	Hillier Mrs S (C)
2002/03	White J (LD)	Golding D (L)
		Buckenham G (C)
		(from April 2003)
2001/02	Gordon Mrs L (L)	White J (LD)
2000/01	Gordon Mrs L (L)	Buckenham G (C)
1999/00	Gordon Mrs L (L)	Abrahall D (L)
1998/9	Sears R (L)	Weldon T (L)
1998 (April-May)	Gordon Mrs L (L)	Austin R (L)
1997/8	Bruce Mrs M (L)	Gordon Mrs L (L)
1995 to 97	Bruce Mrs M (L)	Austin R (L)
1994/5	Tomlin F (C)	Lea W (C)
1992 to 94	Leask T G (C)	Morris D (C)
1989 to 92	Marks D (L)	Costello Mrs M I (L)
1988/9	Tomlin F (C)	Leask T G (C)
1987/8	Harrison D (Lib)	Lack Mrs K (Lib)
1986/7	Harrison D (L)(Lib)	Fitzgibbon Mrs R (L)
1985/6	Gelder Mrs E (L)	Harrison D (L)
1984/5	Marks D (L)	Bielby J (L)
1983/4	Amey J (L)	Gelder Mrs E (L)
1982/3	Lynch C (L)	Amey J (L)
1981/2	Hooks B (B Res)	Wilkins H (B Res)
1980/1	Jones C (B Res)	Wilkins H (B Res)
1979/80	Jones C (B Res)	Greaves A (B Res)
1978/9	Austin R (L)	Gelder Mrs E (L)
1977/8	Ballard P (L)	Lynch C (L)
1975 to 77	O'Brien C (L)	Ballard P (L)
1973 to 75	Austin R (L)	Harrison D (L)



BOROUGH COUNCIL POLITICAL CONSTITUTION (at May each year)

Year:	Labour:	Conservatives:	Wiekt	ord Ind:		Ind. Grou	ın:	
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2024/25	Labour:	Conservatives:		5 6		un	- 42	
Year:			Non-Aligned: Ind. Group		_ 4 4			
2023/24	10	26	147 : -	1	1	5		= 41
Year:	Labour:	Conservatives:		ord Ind:		Ind. Grou	ıp:	
2022/23	10	25		2		5		= 42
Year:	Labour:	Conservatives:	Wickford Ind:	I Ind. Gr	oup:	Non-Al	igned:	
2021/22	10	25	2	4		1		= 42
Year:	Labour:	Conservatives:	Wickford Ind:	UKIP	Indep	endent:	Ind. Group:	
2019/21	15	20	2	1		1	3	= 42
Year:	Labour:	Conservatives:	UKIP	Nethern Ind	-	Ind. C	Froup:	1
2018/19	13	23	2	2			2	= 42
Year:	Labour:	Conservatives:	UKIP	Wickfor	d Ind:		om the EU	
2017/18	9	19	10	2			2	= 42
2016/17	9	18	10	3			2	= 42
Year:	Labour:	Conservatives:	Green:	Lib. Dem:	U	KIP:	Ind. Group	
2015/16	9	18	1	1		11	2	= 42
2014/15	10	17	2	1		12	-	= 42
2013/14	12	23	3	2		1	-	= 41
Year:	Labour:	Conservatives:	Inde	pendent:		Lib. Der	n:	(1 vacancy)
2012/13	14	25		1		2		= 42
2011/12	11	29		-		3		= 42
2010/11	10	29		-		3 3 3		= 42
2009/10	10	29		-				= 42
2008/09	10	29		-		9		
2007/08						3		= 42
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				SLD	:	
1989/90	21	13	-	8		= 42
1988/89	20	13	-	9		= 42
				Liberal:	SDP:	
1987/88	20	11	-	8	3	= 42
1986/87	23	13	-	5	1	= 42
1985/86	24	15	=	3	-	= 42
1984/85	24	15	=	3	-	= 42
			Residents:			
1983/84	24	13	2	3	-	= 42
1982/83	23	12	4	3	-	= 42
1981/82	21	12	8	1	-	= 42
1980/81	20	13	9	-		= 42
1979/80	17	16	9	-		= 42*
1978/79	23	17	6	-		= 46
1977/78	23	17	6	-		= 46
1976/77	23	17	6	-		= 46
1975/76	29	11	6	-		= 46
1974/75	30	10	6	-		= 46

^{*} The 1978 Electoral Arrangement Order reduced membership from 46 to 42. ≠ Following implementation of revised Electoral Arrangements.



LOCAL COUNCILS

ASSOCIATION OF BASILDON LOCAL COUNCILS

Secretary: Mrs Christine Barlow Email: ablcsecretary1@gmail.com

BILLERICAY TOWN COUNCIL

Total Town Council Electorate at 2.5.24: 22,607. Elects 20 Town Councillors.

Billericay Town Council is warded as follows:

Billericay East Ward - 8 Town Councillors
Billericay South West Ward - 3 Town Councillors
Billericay West Ward - 9 Town Councillors

Clerk to the Council: Ms Deborah Tonkiss,

The Chantry Centre, Chantry Way, Billericay, Essex CM11 2AP

Tel: 01277 625732

Email: townclerk@billericaytowncouncil.gov.uk

BOWERS GIFFORD AND NORTH BENFLEET PARISH COUNCIL

Total Parish Electorate at 2.5.24: 1,636. Elects 7 Parish Councillors. The Parish is not warded.

Clerk to the Council: Mrs Christine Barlow,

15 Highlands Road, Bowers Gifford, Basildon, Essex SS13 2HR

Tel: 01268 725236 (M) 07758 255621 Email: clerkbgnbparishcouncil@gmail.com

GREAT BURSTEAD AND SOUTH GREEN VILLAGE COUNCIL

Total Parish Electorate at 2.5.24: 4,907. Elects 8 Village Councillors. The Parish is not warded.

Clerk to the Council: Ms Mel Linwood,

Tel: 01268 712866

Email: clerk@greatbursteadsouthgreen-vc.gov.uk

LITTLE BURSTEAD PARISH COUNCIL

Total Parish Electorate at 2.5.24: 348. Elects 5 Parish Councillors. The Parish is not warded.

Clerk to the Council: Ms Stephanie Robinson,

The Dower House, 135-139 Billericay Road, Herongate,

Essex, CM13 3SD

Tel: 07512 078975 – 1-3pm (Mon-Fri) Email: littlebursteadpc@gmail.com



NOAK BRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL

Total Parish Electorate at 2.5.24: 2,194. Elects 7 Parish Councillors. The Parish is not warded.

Clerk to the Council: Mrs Terri Sargent,

81 Lower Street, Noak Bridge, Basildon, Essex, SS15 4BD

Tel: 01268 288766 Email: terriken@aol.com

RAMSDEN BELLHOUSE PARISH COUNCIL

Total Parish Electorate at 2.5.24: 650. Elects 5 Parish Councillors. The Parish is not warded.

Clerk to the Council: Mrs Georgina Bassett

Tel: 07469 702826

Email: ramsdenbellhousepc@outlook.com

RAMSDEN CRAYS PARISH COUNCIL

Total Parish Electorate at 2.5.24: 1,056. Elects 5 Parish Councillors. The Parish is not warded.

Clerk to the Council: Mrs Emma Beadle

Tel: 07970 488949

Email: clerk@ramsdencrayspc.org.uk

SHOTGATE PARISH COUNCIL

Total Parish Electorate at 2.5.24: 2,867. Elects 7 Parish Councillors. The Parish is not warded.

Clerk to the Council: Ms Emma Morris

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Email: clerk@shotgatepc.org.uk

WICKFORD TOWN COUNCIL

Total Town Council Electorate at 2.5.24: 21,350. Elects 20 Town Councillors.

Wickford Town Council is warded as follows:

Wickford Castledon - 6 Town Councillors
Wickford North - 7 Town Councillors
Wickford Park - 7 Town Councillors

Clerk to the council: Mrs Tory Melhuish

Tel: 01268 858979

Email: clerk@wickfordtowncouncil.gov.uk



MEMBERS AND OFFICERS OF THE COUNCIL

Key:

C = Conservative cons



L = Labour Labour

WI = Wickford Independent

(Ch) = Chairman (VCh) = Vice-Chairman

Councillor:	Committees:
ALDRIDGE, Mr D (WI)	Licensing Committee
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ALLEN, Mr S (C) 07415 440873 stuart.allen@members.basildon.gov.uk	Licensing Committee
ANSELL, Mr A (L) andrew.ansell@members.basildon.gov.uk	Overview and Scrutiny Commission Licensing Committee (Ch) Area Committee – (Ch) Basildon
BAGGOTT, Mr A (C) andrew.baggott@members.basildon.gov.uk	Overview and Scrutiny Commission Appeals and Appointments Committee Area Committee – (Ch) Billericay
BAKER, Mr M (L) mike.baker@members.basildon.gov.uk	Policy Scrutiny Committee (Ch) Planning Committee Standards Committee
BALL, Mr A (WI) 01268 562851 alan.ball@members.basildon.gov.uk	Performance Scrutiny Committee Area Committee – (Ch) Wickford
BARNES, Mr A (C) 07427 356812 andy.barnes@members.basildon.gov.uk	Overview and Scrutiny Commission (VCh) Area Committee – (VCh) Billericay
BLAKE, Mr K (C) 07931 731105 kevin.blake@members.basildon.gov.uk	Performance Scrutiny Committee Planning Committee
BROCKMAN, Mrs E (WI) 07594 216528 eunice.brockman@members.basildon.gov.uk	Resources Scrutiny Committee Audit and Risk Committee (Ch)
BROWN, Mrs A (L) 07957 610371 adele.brown@members.basildon.gov.uk	Appeals and Appointments Committee (VCh)



Councillor:	Committees:
BROWN, Mr W (I) 07833 335164 walter.brown@members.basildon.gov.uk	Overview and Scrutiny Commission Policy Scrutiny Committee (VCh) Area Committee – (VCh) Westley Heights
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CALLAGHAN, Mr G (L) 07508 416255 gavin.callaghan@members.basildon.gov.uk	Appeals and Appointments Committee (Ch)
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Strategic Director Sustainable Futures
Assistant Director Future Basildon
Assistant Director Planning & Regeneration
Assistant Director Digital & Customer Access

Strategic Director Resources & Governance Assistant Director Finance & Governance & S151 Officer Assistant Director Workforce & Change Assistant Director Legal & Democracy & Monitoring Officer

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Owen Sparks Jonathan Wilson (interim) Stuart Young Paula Deery



MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES AND CABINET 2024/25

MAYOR: Councillor Allan Davies (L)

DEPUTY MAYOR: Councillor Victoria Joseph (L)

The following are the Committees established at the Council's Annual Meeting on 23 May 2024. Additional Sub-Committees may be established by Committees throughout the year, as appropriate.

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY

Overview and Scrutiny Commission

(7 Members of the Council) (Labour 3, Conservative 2, Independents 1, Wickford Independents 1)

Chairman: Councillor D Harrison (WI) Vice Chairman: Councillor A Barnes (C)

Councillor Ansell (L) Councillor Baggott (C)
Councillor Reid (L) Councillor Palmer (L)

Councillor W Brown (I)

Policy Scrutiny Committee

(5 Members of the Council) (Labour 2, Conservatives 2, Independents 1)

Chairman: Councillor Baker (L) Vice Chairman: Councillor W Brown (I)

Councillor Westwick (L) Councillor R Moore (C)

Councillor A Myers (C)

Resources Scrutiny Committee

(5 Members of the Council) (Labour 2, Conservative 2, Wickford Independents 1)

Chairman: Councillor A Harrison (L) Vice Chairman: Councillor Webb (L)

Councillor Brockman (WI) Councillor Turner (C)

Councillor Mordecai (C)

Performance Scrutiny Committee

(5 Members of the Council) (Labour 2, Conservative 2, Wickford Independents 1)

Chairman: Councillor E Callaghan (L) Vice Chairman: Councillor Reid (L)

Councillor Ball (WI) Councillor Blake (C)

Councillor Schrader (C)

Community and Engagement Scrutiny Committee

(5 Members of the Council) (Labour 2, Conservative 2, Independents 1)

Chairman: Councillor Robbins (I) Vice Chairman: Councillor Hilleard (L)

Councillor Joseph (L) Councillor Sargent (C)

Councillor Lawrence (C)



NON-EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMITTEES

Audit and Risk Committee

(7 Members of the Council) (Labour 3, Conservative 2, Independents 1, Wickford Independent 1)

Chairman: Councillor Brockman (WI) Vice Chairman: Councillor Palmer (L)

Councillor Davies (L) Councillor Reid (L) Councillor Murphy (I) Councillor Hedley (C)

Councillor Jeffery (C)

Independent Person: C Groves

Appeals and Appointments Committee

(5 Members of the Council) (Labour 2, Conservative 1, Independents 1, Wickford Independents 1)

Chairman: Councillor G Callaghan (L) Vice Chairman: Councillor A Brown (L)

Councillor Smith (I) Councillor D Harrison (WI)

Councillor Baggott (C)

Planning Committee

(7 Members of the Council) (Labour 4, Conservative 2, Independents 1)

Chairman: Councillor Larkin (I) Vice Chairman: Councillor A Harrison (L)

Councillor Baker (L) Councillor Hilleard (L) Councillor E Callaghan (L) Councillor Blake (C)

Councillor Myers (C)

Co-opted Member (without voting rights):

A nominee of the Basildon Association of Local Councils

Licensing Committee

(10 Members of the Council) (Labour 4, Conservative 3, Independents 2, Wickford Independents 1)

Chairman: Councillor Ansell (L) Vice Chairman: Councillor Robbins (I)

Councillor Webb (L)
Councillor A Harrison (L)
Councillor Aldridge (WI)
Councillor Turner (C)
Councillor Allen (C)
Councillor Allen (C)

Co-opted Members (without voting rights) –

For matters pertaining to the licensing regime for hackney carriages and private hire vehicles as it affects drivers, owners and operators: -

1 x nominee of the Basildon Taxi Proprietors Association

1 x nominee of the Basildon Private Hire Association



STANDARDS COMMITTEE

(5 Members of the Council) (Labour 2, Conservative 1, Independents 1, Wickford Independents)

Chairman: Councillor Joseph (L) Vice Chairman: to be appointed at the first meeting

Councillor Baker (L) Councillor Green (I)
Councillor Hammond (WI) Councillor Schrader (C)

Independent Persons: R Bailey, F McGhee, S Clode, M Pearson

AREA COMMITTEES

Billericay

Comprising Ward Members from the Billericay East, Billericay West and Burstead Wards

Chairman: Councillor Baggott (C) Vice Chairman: Councillor Barnes (C)

Wickford

Comprising Ward Members from the Wickford North, Wickford Park and Castledon and Crouch Wards

Chairman: Councillor Ball (WI) Vice Chairman: Councillor Hammond (WI)

Pitsea

Comprising Ward Members from the Pitsea North West and Pitsea South East Wards

Chairman: Councillor Reid (L) Vice Chairman: Councillor Westwick (L)

<u>Basildon</u>

Comprising Ward Members from the St Martin's and Fryerns Wards

Chairman: Councillor Ansell (L) Vice Chairman: Councillor Davies (L)

Laindon and Lee Chapel North

Comprising Ward Members from the Laindon Park and Lee Chapel North Wards

Chairman: Councillor A Harrison (L) Vice Chairman: Councillor Webb (L)

Westley Heights

Comprising Ward Members from the Nethermayne and Langdon Hills Wards

Chairman: Councillor Smith (I) Vice Chairman: Councillor W Brown (WI)



CABINET MEMBERS

Position	Member
Leader of the Council (Finance, Corporate and Regeneration)	Councillor Callaghan (L)
Cabinet Member for Planning and Infrastructure	Councillor A Brown (L) (Deputy Leader)
Cabinet Member for Environment and Leisure	Councillor McGurran (L)
Cabinet Member for Jobs, Skills and Local Economy	Councillor Power (L)
Cabinet Member for Culture, Sport and Community	Councillor Ferguson (L)
Cabinet Member for Digital Futures and Data Analytics	Councillor Yaqub (L)
Cabinet Member for Housing and Property	Councillor Smith (I)
Cabinet Member for Community Safety and Enforcement	Councillor McGeorge (L)



REPRESENTATION ON OTHER BODIES AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Body	No. of Members	Councillors for 2022/23
A127 Economic Growth Corridor Task Force	1	Jessica Power
Basildon Borough Citizens Advice Bureau Limited	1	Jack Ferguson
Basildon Business Group	1	Jessica Power
Basildon Civil/Military Partnership Board	2	Jack Ferguson Ben Westwick
Basildon Community Transport Services	1	Jack Ferguson
Basildon Dementia Action Alliance	1	Mike Baker
District Councils Health and Wellbeing Forum	1	Ben Westwick
Basildon Heritage	1	Eddie Murphy
Basildon Youth Strategy Group	1	Victoria Joseph
District Councils Network	1	Gavin Callaghan
East of England Assembly of Council Leaders	1	Gavin Callaghan
East of England Local Government Association	1	Gavin Callaghan
Essex Child and Family Wellbeing Advisory Board	1	Victoria Joseph
Essex Civilian Military Partnership Board and Armed Forces Champion	1	Ben Westwick
Essex Coastal Forum	1	Aidan McGurran
Essex Flood Partnership Board	1	Aidan McGurran
Essex Planning Member Group	1	Adele Brown
Essex Police, Fire and Crime Panel	1 + sub	Emma Callaghan Patricia Reid
Local Councils' Liaison Group	3	Ben Westwick Gavin Callaghan David Harrison



Body	No. of Members	Councillors for 2022/23
Local Government Association	1	Gavin Callaghan
Local Government Information Unit	1	Gavin Callaghan
Mayor of London – London Plan – Wider South East Political Steering Group	1	Adele Brown
Norsey Wood Society	2	Mo Larkin Anthony Hedley
Patient and Community Reference Group for Basildon and Brentwood Clinical Commissioning Group	1	Emma Callaghan
Pitsea Waste Management Centre – Public Liaison Group	1	Aidan McGurran
South Essex Active Travel Sponsoring Board	1	Ben Westwick
South Essex Joint Strategic Plan Members Group	1	Adele Brown
South Essex Children's Partnership Board	1	Victoria Joseph
Superfast Essex Steering Group	1	Jessica Power
Transport East Forum	1	Jessica Power
UK Shared Prosperity Board	1	Jessica Power
Essex Countywide Traveller Unit Joint Committee	1	Kerry Smith
South Essex Parking Partnership Joint Committee	1	Alan Ball
South Essex Councils (SEC) (previously Association of South Essex Local Authorities (ASELA)) Joint Committee	1 +sub	Gavin Callaghan Adele Brown
Billericay Town Team (Business Improvement Feasibility)	1	Jessica Power
Wickford Town Team (Business Improvement Feasibility)	2	Eunice Brockman Alan Ball



Body	No. of Members	Councillors for 2022/23
Essex Waste Group Partnership Board	1	Aidan McGurran
PATROL (Parking and Regulation Order Outside London)	1	Alan Ball
Essex County Council Partnership Board	1	Aidan McGurran
Community Safety Partnership Safer Basildon Board	1	Melissa McGeorge
Basildon and Brentwood Alliance Committee	1	Emma Callaghan
MSE Integrated Care Partnership	1	Emma Callaghan

Body no longer required for 2024/25

Basildon Bus and Rail Forum
Basildon Health and Well Being Partnership
Basildon Taxi and Private Hire Consultative Forum
Basildon Side by Side
Opportunity South Essex Partnership
Veolia Pitsea Marshes Trust



GENERAL INFORMATION

27,200 acres Area of Borough 11,007.5 hectares 42.50 square miles Council Tax Band D equivalent 2023/24 £2.051.10 Basildon BC Element £287.19 Number of Band D equivalent properties 2023/24 63,130 National Non-Domestic Rate: Rate Poundage 2023/24 - Small Businesses 49.9p 51.2p - Other £209.2 million Rateable Value - existing valuations Outstanding net debt at end of 2023/24 £338.2 million (excluding leases) Population estimates (Census (2021) 187,700 Electorate (Basildon Borough) as at 1.5.2024: 140,409 No. of households (Census 2021) 79,907 Mean age (Census 2021) 39.4 Economically active (persons) (Jan 2023- Dec 2023) 103,100 or 82.7% 17 Density (no. of persons) per hectare (Census 2021) Number of births (2022) 2,165 Under 75 mortality rate per thousand population (2011) 314.5

Lowest point in area - Bowers Gifford marshes - rear of sea wall approximately 667 yards southwest of South Staines Farm - 5ft above sea level.

3.8

Infant mortality rate per 1000 births (2020-22)

Highest point in area - Langdon Hills, midway between the Crown Hotel and Dry Street - 384ft above sea level.





Labour	Labour	18
Conservatives	Conservative	13
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Widdfurd Independents	Wickford Independent	5

