

## COUNCILLOR'S ANNUAL REPORT APRIL 2018- MARCH 2019

**Councillor:** Cllr Geoff Winnard  
**Ward:** Bingley  
**Party:** Conservative  
**Date Elected:** May 2019  
**Basic:** N/A as I wasn't elected until May 2019  
**Special Responsibility:** N/A as I wasn't elected until May 2019  
**Other Allowances:** N/A as I wasn't elected until May 2019

### **Positions held in 2018 – 2019:**

N/A as I wasn't elected until May 2019

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### **Other meetings/bodies which you regularly attend: (e.g. School governing bodies, outside bodies etc.)**

N/A as I wasn't elected until May 2019

### **My priorities for the past year (May 2018 to April 2019) were:**

N/A as I wasn't elected until May 2019

### **My priorities for the coming year (May 2019 to April 2020) are: (Please list or describe your priorities or targets as a Councillor for the coming year)**

- Serve the residents of Bingley Ward to the best of my ability whilst constantly learning as much as possible about how Bradford Council operates to ensure Bingley Ward receives a fair share of resources and services.
- Work closely with (and learn from) my experienced ward colleagues Cllr David Heseltine and Cllr John Pennington to deliver new and improved services/facilities for Bingley.
- To be available to residents to offer help, advice and support - keeping in touch with residents through regular surgeries, attending local events, speaking to community groups/organisations and businesses to discuss their interests and needs and advocate for them.
- To continue working with and supporting Bingley Town Council (as a town councillor) to support initiatives for a better Bingley including clean up events across the ward to improve the local environment and attempts to establish a regular market.
- To attend and contribute to the Bingley Partnership and neighbourhood forum meetings.
- Ensure local people are informed about Bradford Council issues that have implications for Bingley.
- Work with local residents to air their concerns on local police and crime, planning and community issues.
- Support, challenge, scrutinise initiatives to improve Council services and those partner organisations.

**What I have achieved in the past year (May 2018 to May 2019)  
(Please list or describe some of your activities as a Councillor and what you see as your key achievements)**

N/A as I wasn't elected until May 2019

**What training sessions, seminars, briefings and conferences have you attended to develop your skills and gain knowledge that has helped you to serve the people of the district? (Please list them).**

N/A as I wasn't elected until May 2019