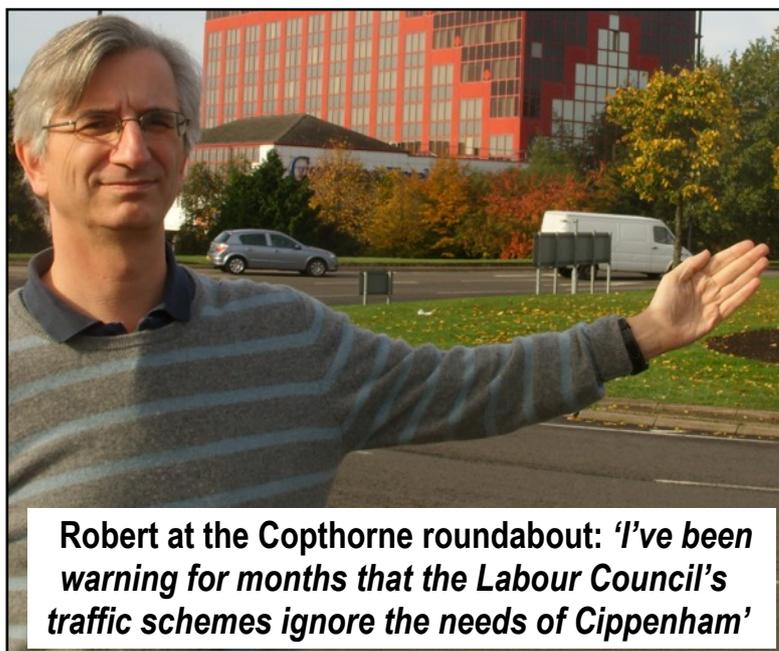


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FOCUS on Cippenham Meadows No16



Labour councillors don't listen to residents ***It's time for a change in Slough*** ***Vote Robert Plimmer***



Robert at the Copthorne roundabout: 'I've been warning for months that the Labour Council's traffic schemes ignore the needs of Cippenham'

Robert lives in Cippenham and knows the chaos caused by Labour's traffic schemes. We need new councillors like Robert who will listen.

Robert keeps in touch all-year round with the regular Cippenham Focus, eg in Focus 14 he warned Labour's plans for the Copthorne roundabout did not sufficiently consider the needs of local residents (see our website).

Robert works to get improvements in our area as requested by local residents: see below

Robert is surveying residents in Cippenham Meadows to find out local views: see back page for results from first roads surveyed.

Robert Plimmer attacks unfair Conservative plans to cut disability payments and use the money to reduce taxes on the wealthiest: see back page

Recent examples of Robert Plimmer's successful campaigns to get improvements in our area include:

Eton Green: Robert secured a promise in March that fly-tipping along the footpath by the M4 would be cleared sometime after Easter.

Farnham Rd: On behalf of local residents Robert got the Council to promise to clean up the wooden box at the entrance to **Salt Hill Drive**.

Nicholas Gardens/Hunter's Way: In January Robert requested further action on the litter and was promised that there would be a footpath deep clean.

Two Mile Brook: see photo (and previous Focuses) for the series of actions to get improvements.



Robert at Two Mile Brook checking on some of the improvements he worked with local residents to secure

Robert Plimmer attacks unfair Conservative plans to cut disability payments and use the money to reduce taxes on the wealthiest

Most people, including many who previously voted Conservative, were horrified at the plans from George Osborne and the Tory Government to make large cuts in the payments to disabled people. Especially because at the same time the Conservative government also introduced tax reductions for the most wealthy. Massive opposition forced George Osborne to withdraw his cuts to disability payments. But the Tory Government is still reducing taxes on the wealthy. Lib Dems have highlighted that at the same time as cutting taxes for the rich the Tory Government is making hidden cuts of £2 billion in the funding for the public services such as NHS, schools and the police. Robert Plimmer said: **'The Conservative budget plans were just terribly wrong.'**

First results from Cippenham survey show big support for Robert Plimmer's campaigns against the mistakes of Slough's Labour Council

1. Labour's traffic schemes including Station Rd/Burnham Lane & Tuns Lane:

- A. 81% said Slough's Labour-run Council's traffic schemes had caused delays for local residents.
- B. 86% said Slough's Labour-run Council had NOT consulted residents properly about the schemes.
- C. 100% said they would like to see councillors elected who listened more to local people.

2. Labour's massive increase in April 2015 in charges for sports pitches:

Only 13% said Slough's Labour councillors were right to raise the cost of adult football pitches by 55%.

3. Labour's Heart of Slough/Slough High Street project:

- A. 57% thought in principle Slough Council's Heart of Slough project was a good idea.
- B. Only 30% thought Slough's Labour Council was doing a good job in completing Heart of Slough projects such as the bus station.



Robert highlighted how Labour's increased charges for sports pitches have resulted in a big drop in the hiring of Council pitches



Robert Plimmer visited the Heart of Slough project that is still not properly finished after all these years of expense and disruption

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