

# A CLEAN, GREEN ADDISCOMBE EAST

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*Addiscombe residents love the beautiful green spaces in our community – but there are growing concerns around how well these precious spaces are looked after.*

If we are elected as your councillors on the May 3rd, and if Croydon elects a Conservative Council, preserving the character of our community and our beautiful green spaces – while tackling litter and fly tipping - will be among our highest priorities.

**Jeet Bains and Joseph Lee**

Conservative Candidates for Addiscombe East



## A solution to garden waste chaos

*Labour's decision to cut free green waste collections has angered Council Tax payers in Addiscombe – and seen recycling rates plummet across Croydon.*

If a Conservative Council is elected on May 3rd, we will ensure that the current green waste service operates all year round, with no break in service in the winter. We will also have 'green waste days' in key district centres – including Addiscombe – where residents can bring their green waste for free disposal at regular intervals in the summer, meaning that people won't have to face the crowds in the recycling centres in the summer months.



*Labour's introduction of a service only for those willing to pay has resulted in much more green waste fly tipping on the streets*



## Conservatives to launch 'Fly Tip Busting' teams

Nothing ruins an otherwise pleasant street more than unsightly rubbish and fly tips – and you don't need to be an expert statistician to see that it's been on the rapid rise in recent years!

If the Conservatives win control of Croydon Council on May 3rd, we will introduce 'Fly Tip Busting' teams to proactively patrol the borough looking for fly tipping, major litter problems, graffiti and areas where council contracts for maintenance are not being properly implemented.

While it's great that so many residents play their part in reporting fly tipping, it's time for the Council to get proactive in dealing with it.

Contact your local Conservative Action Team for Addiscombe East ward



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# Keeping Ashburton Park clean and green

Ashburton Park is the jewel in the crown of green spaces in Addiscombe but some of the events hosted in the park in recent years have not been welcomed by residents. Most worryingly, following some activities the grass is covered in litter and the ground damaged by the vans and cars that have parked on it.

If elected, we will work to ensure that local groups – such as the friends of Ashburton Park – are consulted about the events that take place in the park and closely monitor litter after big events have taken place.

We will also use our Council ward budget to invest in the park and other green spaces across Addiscombe East.



Some of the damage caused by a poorly-controlled event



# Protecting green space & investing in our parks



Our parks and green spaces are precious to us all in Addiscombe East. The local Council needs to ensure that the parks are clean, accessible and safe.

Labour has cut the Council's Parks department to a grand total of one person overseeing more than 100 green spaces in the borough. We are committing to bolstering the Parks team and creating a Head Park-keeper who will be accountable for looking after Croydon's parks – including Ashburton Park.

Outside of the parks there are lots of smaller, but still valuable, green spaces. Labour is currently using its 'Brick By Brick' development company to build on a number of these. We will end this: our green spaces are for everyone to enjoy.

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