

Gedling Borough Council 2019/20

Portfolio Holder Responsibilities

Leader of the Council

Councillor John Clarke

- Overall strategy and delivery of agreed Council priorities and objectives.
- Oversight of all Cabinet responsibilities.
- Building and developing relationships with partners at a local, regional, national and international level to pursue matters of interest to the Council and the community.
- Representing the interests of the Council and the wider community on the Local Enterprise Partnership, Metro Board, East Midlands Councils, and other key strategic local, regional and national bodies.
- Oversight of the Council's Partnership and Collaboration Agreements with key partners.
- Building and maintaining positive relationships with and between elected Members and employees.
- Promoting and encouraging effective corporate governance and the highest standards of probity.
- Emergency Planning.
- Strategic lead for Economic Development and Inward investment.

Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Resources & Reputation

Councillor Michael Payne

- Budget strategy, financial management and local taxation.
- Asset Management, including the Council's investment property, sales and purchase of land.
- Commercialisation.
- Communications, marketing and promotion.
- Media relations.
- Customer Services, information and communications technology, including digitalisation.
- Transformation of Council services, processes and governance.
- Social Mobility.

Portfolio Holder for Public Protection

Councillor David Ellis

- Crime Reduction and Community Safety.
- Public Protection.
- CCTV and RIPA.

- Safeguarding.
- Environmental Health.
- Empty Properties

Portfolio Holder for Growth & Regeneration

Councillor Jenny Hollingsworth

- Planning policy, development management and building control.
- Transportation.
- Town Centre management and development.
- Business improvement, local business engagement, promotion and support.
- Housing Development.
- Employment and Skills.

Portfolio Holder for Housing, Health & Well-being

Councillor Henry Wheeler

- Leisure Centres and Sports Development, including lead for sport and physical activity.
- Health Promotion and development.
- Bonington Theatre.
- Homelessness and Housing Needs.
- Council housing development.
- Housing and council tax benefits.
- Liaison with Public Health and Clinical Commissioning Group.

Portfolio Holder for Environment

Councillor Peter Barnes

- Waste Management and recycling.
- Street cleaning.
- Maintenance and development of parks, open spaces, cemeteries and Allotments.
- Pet cremation.
- Energy management and sustainability.

Portfolio Holder for Community Development

Councillor Gary Gregory

- Community centres.
- Neighbourhood Working.
- Community Events.
- Arts and culture.
- Community Engagement and Consultation, including liaison with the voluntary sector and Parish Councils.
- Members' services, including member training and development.

Portfolio Holder for Young People and Equalities

Councillor Viv McCrossen

- Play and events for young people.
- Equalities.
- Youth Council and Youth Mayor.
- Engagement and consultation with young people.
- Liaison with various bodies and agencies in relation to mental health.
- Support the Deputy Leader in the development of a Social Mobility Commission and delivery of agreed key actions.
- Work with the Portfolio holder for Growth and Regeneration in reducing levels of youth unemployment.
- Work with the Portfolio holder for Public Protection to reduce risk and fear of crime for young people.