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**OR CALL OUR OFFICE ON 020 8524 4344** 

### WOODFORD POLICE STATION — SAVED!

# **Local Conservative Councillors lead successful** opposition to closure of Woodford Police Station

Jim, Linda and Michael are delighted that the campaign to save Woodford Police Station has been successful and that Woodford will continue to have a permanent police base in Monkhams Ward.

Woodford Police Station retains its local safer neighbourhood base and will become a Contact Point for the west of the Borough. The contact centre is open 7.00-8.00pm on Wednesdays and Thursdays and 2.00-3.00pm on Saturdays.

The changes are being made as part of London wide changes to policing being introduced by Conservative Mayor, Boris Johnson, whichwill see 86 additional police officers in Redbridge, with an extra 68 officers working in local Safer Neighbourhood Teams.

Your Councillors would like to say a big thank you to the Local Neighbourhood Watch team and all residents who joined in with the campaign to save our local police station from closure.

### HAVE YOUR SAY ABOUT PARKING IN THE BROADWAY

Your Conservative Councillors are working with local traders to help boost trade by lowering parking charges.

Current charges are 30p for 15 minutes and 60p for up to half an hour. This contrasts with Station Road, Chingford where there is 15 minutes free parking and Buckhurst Hill where the charge is just 10p for up to 30 minutes. We're backing traders' calls for the charges in The Broadway to be reduced to 15p for 15 minutes and 30p for half an hour.

The Council is also looking at the one hour restriction on parking from 2.00pm—3.00pm. This could remain unchanged, or it could change to operate between 10.00am & 11.00am.

Let us know what you think by using the form over the page.



Join our tribute to the woman who saved Britain

Baroness Thatcher passed away on the 8th of April 2013.

She lives on in our memories as the first woman to lead a British political party and to become the our first female Prime Minister.

She had three successive election victories as Conservative leader, won the Falklands War and restored the British economy through far reaching economic and social reforms, since copied all over the world.

She opened the door for women in politics and will live on as an inspiration to every woman contemplating a political career.

We carry her flame in the way we work. Her legacy lives on not only in the UK but across Europe and in the USA where she was greatly admired for her unwavering support of US foreign policy which led to the fall of the Soviet Union and the liberation of eastern Europe from communism.

Chingford & Woodford Green Conservatives will be holding a dinner in memory of Baroness Thatcher on the 19th of July.

If you would like to attend, please contact our office for more details on 020 8524 4344.



Delivered free by local volunteers - if you want to deliver your street, contact us using the form below

### CONSERVATIVES FREEZE YOUR COUNCIL TAX—AGAIN

Conservative-led Redbridge Council has again frozen your Council Tax for the fourth year running.

But that hasn't stopped us from investing in the front line services that matter to all our residents.

As well as keeping costs down in difficult times, we are:

- ✓ Protecting street cleansing, including maintaining evening sweeps
- ✓ Delivering extra funding for adult social care
- ✓ Putting money back into youth services, the Music Service and Drama Centre
- ✓ Keeping all our libraries open

- Providing high quality education, including additional primary and secondary school places
- ✓ Replacing ageing street light columns
- Funding a new indoor play centre at Fairlop Waters
- ✓ Investing in road repairs and resurfacing
- ✓ Supporting local groups & projects through a new Community Fund
- ✓ Increasing investment in the Rape Crisis Centre

We've had to save £30m since 2010, but we've kept our commitment and protected the services that matter most to you.

# YOUR COUNCILLOR'S SURGERIES

#### **DATES & TIMES**

Councillor's surgeries are held on the second Friday evening of each month at the Sir James Hawkey Hall.

The next surgeries will be on:

June 21st 7.00pm — 9.00pm

July 19th 7.00pm — 9.00pm

August 16th 7.00pm — 9.00pm

**September 20th 7.00pm – 9.00pm** 

You do not need an appointment, but it would assist us if you could call or e-mail our office to let us know if you plan to come.

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

Since the Conservatives came to power in 2010:

- The deficit has been cut by 1/3rd
- Immigration is down by 1/3rd
- A million young people have started apprenticeships
- Taxes for 24 million people have been cut by £600 a year
- Crime is down 10%
- There are 6,000 more NHS Doctors
- Private sector businesses have created more than 1.25 million jobs

### **CAN WE HELP YOU?**

If you need help from your Councillors fill in your details below and return this form to the **FREEPOST** address below. We will get in touch with you.

Name Address

Home/Mobile No

Email

Please return to: C&WGCA FREEPOST LON 11015 London E4 7BR

#### **CAN YOU HELP US?**

- □ Deliver leaflets
- ☐ Attend social events
- □ Display a poster at election time
- ☐ Join the local Party
- □ Vote by post
- ☐ Stand for Council

#### How we use your information

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