



Where can you vote for left-wing candidates on May 5th?

Below is the list of the Trade Unionist and Socialist Coalition (TUSC) candidates standing in the various elections taking place on May 5th. There are 273 TUSC candidates, comprising of 229 local council candidates contesting seats in 55 local authorities in England (plus three mayoral candidacies), 16 candidates contesting seats in nine authorities in Scotland, and 25 candidates in five authorities in Wales. The list of TUSC council candidates for England is broken down into regions.

Also listed, from page eight, are the council and ward details of 42 other left of Labour candidates standing in May's elections that TUSC is aware of. These are candidates from left-wing parties – the Breakthrough Party, the Communist Party of Britain, the Northern Independence Party, the Scottish Socialist Party, and the Workers Party of Britain – and some former left-wing Labour Party members who are now standing on the ballot paper as Independents.

Councils in England

Eastern

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Basildon	Laindon Park	Dave Murray
Broxbourne	Waltham Cross	Christine Thomas
Epping Forest	Waltham Abbey Honey Lane	Ian Pattison
Epping Forest	Waltham Abbey Paternoster	Bea Gardner
Harlow	Old Harlow	Paul Lenihan
Peterborough	Central	Steve Cawley
Stevenage	Bandley Hill	Barbara Clare
Stevenage	Bedwell	Steve Glennon
Stevenage	Chells	Roger Charles
Stevenage	Longmeadow	Helen Kerr
Stevenage	Old Town	Mark Kerr
Stevenage	Pin Green	Mark Pickersgill
Stevenage	Roebuck	Bryan Clare
Stevenage	Shephall	Michael Malocco
Stevenage	St Nicholas	Amber Gentleman
Stevenage	Symonds Green	Trevor Palmer

Three Rivers

South Oxhey

Richard Shattock

Watford
Watford

Holywell
Leggatts

Mark O'Connor
Derek Foster

East Midlands

Local authority
Lincoln

Ward
Carholme

Candidate's name
Nick Parker

London

Local authority
LB Barking & Dagenham
LB Barking & Dagenham
LB Barking & Dagenham

Ward
Gascoigne
Barking Riverside
Thames View

Candidate's name
Ruth Mason
Pete Mason
Akhter Khan

LB Camden
LB Camden

Kentish Town North
Kentish Town South

Farhana Manzoor
Hannah Power

LB Ealing
LB Ealing
LB Ealing
LB Ealing
LB Ealing
LB Ealing
LB Ealing
LB Ealing

Central Greenford
East Acton
North Acton
North Hanwell
Norwood Green
Perivale
Pitshanger
South Acton

Ben Goldstone
Mark Best
David Hofman
Tony Gill
Mark Benjamin
Helen Pattison
Lamley Amoaku-Atta
Devrim Kutlu

LB Enfield
LB Enfield
LB Enfield
LB Enfield
LB Enfield

Brimsgate
Bullsmoor
Palmer's Green
Southbury
Whitewebbs

Josh Asker
Ian Pattison
Nick Hadjipateras
John Dolan
Mira Glavardanov

LB Hackney
LB Hackney
LB Hackney
LB Hackney
LB Hackney
LB Hackney
LB Hackney

Cazenove
Hackney Downs
Hoxton East & Shoreditch
Hoxton West
Stoke Newington
Victoria
Victoria

Naomi Byron
Clare Doyle
Chris Newby
Rob Williams
Rob Thomas
Jamie Barber
Margaret Trotter

LB Hillingdon
LB Hillingdon
LB Hillingdon
LB Hillingdon

Eastcote
Uxbridge
West Drayton
Wood End

Tim Henry
Gary Harbord
Carlos Barros
Jason Buck

LB Islington

Holloway

Omer Esen

LB Lambeth
LB Lambeth
LB Lambeth
LB Lambeth
LB Lambeth

Brixton Acre Lane
Clapham East
Herne Hill & Loughborough Junction
Stockwell & Larkhall
Streatham Wells

Theo Sharieff
Bobbie Cranney
Berkay Kartav
Steve Nally
Candido Della Rocca

LB Lewisham	Mayor	Andy Beadle
LB Lewisham	Deptford	Andy Beadle
LB Lewisham	Evelyn	Steve Rumney
LB Lewisham	New Cross Gate	Jay Coward
LB Merton	Cricket Green	Alex Forbes
LB Merton	Figge's Marsh	April Ashley
LB Newham	Mayor	Lois Austin
LB Newham	East Ham South	Steve Hedley
LB Newham	Green Street East	Lois Austin
LB Newham	Maryland	Ferdy Lyons
LB Newham	Plaistow North	Nicola Barratt
LB Redbridge	Seven Kings	Andy Walker
LB Southwark	Borough & Bankside	Charlie Kennedy
LB Southwark	Camberwell Green	Thea Everett
LB Southwark	Rotherhithe	Bob Law
LB Southwark	Rye Lane	Beth Powell
LB Tower Hamlets	Mayor	Hugo Pierre
LB Tower Hamlets	Bethnal Green West	Sare O'Neill
LB Tower Hamlets	Weavers	Hugo Pierre
LB Waltham Forest	Cann Hall	Tim Stronge
LB Waltham Forest	Cathall	Ricardo Joseph
LB Waltham Forest	Chapel End	Ken Driscoll
LB Waltham Forest	Chapel End	Glenroy Watson
LB Waltham Forest	Endlebury	Sarah Sachs-Eldridge
LB Waltham Forest	Forest	Arshad Ahmed
LB Waltham Forest	Forest	Arnold Ssekandwa
LB Waltham Forest	Grove Green	Kevin Parslow
LB Waltham Forest	Hale End & Highams Park South	James Ivens
LB Waltham Forest	Hatch Lane & Highams Park North	Louise Cuffaro
LB Waltham Forest	High Street	Nancy Taaffe
LB Waltham Forest	High Street	Nathan Wallace
LB Waltham Forest	Higham Hill	Mike Cleverley
LB Waltham Forest	Hoe Street	Paul Bell
LB Waltham Forest	Larkwood	Lily Douglas
LB Waltham Forest	Lea Bridge	Ben Robinson
LB Waltham Forest	Leyton	Martin Reynolds
LB Waltham Forest	Leytonstone	Len Hockey
LB Waltham Forest	Leytonstone	Maira Talaia
LB Waltham Forest	Markhouse	Linda Taaffe
LB Waltham Forest	St James	Charles Edwards
LB Waltham Forest	Upper Walthamstow	Lee Hawksbee
LB Waltham Forest	William Morris	Paula Mitchell
LB Waltham Forest	Wood Street	Mary Finch
LB Wandsworth	Falconbrook	Kim Hendry
LB Wandsworth	Roehampton	Deji Olayinka

Northern

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Cumberland	Castle	Rob Heal

Cumberland
Cumberland
Cumberland

Currock
Denton Holme
Harraby

Brent Kennedy
Grahame Higginson
Ernie Percival

Gateshead
Gateshead
Gateshead
Gateshead

Chowdene
Deckham
High Fell
Ryton, Crookhill & Stella

Marika Smith
Norman Hall
Elaine Brunskill
Ros Cooper

North Tyneside
North Tyneside
North Tyneside
North Tyneside

Chirton
Cullercoates
Riverside
Whitley Bay

Graeme Cansdale
John Hoare
William Jarratt
Gordon Bell

North West

Local authority
Chorley

Ward
Chorley South East & Heath Charnock

Candidate's name
Jenny Hurley

Knowsley
Knowsley

Cherryfield
Northwood

Les Connor
Neill Dunne

Salford

Eccles

Sally Griffiths

St Helens

Rainhill

Phil Speakman

Westmorland & Furness
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Grange & Cartmel
Kendal Highgate
Kendal Nether
Kendal Strickland & Fell

Lilian El-Doufani
Trevor Batchelor
Paul Casson
Martin Powell-Davies

Southern

Local authority
Oxford
Oxford
Oxford
Oxford
Oxford
Oxford
Oxford

Ward
Barton & Sandhills
Blackbird Leys
Churchill
Headington
Northfield Brook
Rose Hill & Iffley
St Clements

Candidate's name
Callum Joyce
Agnieszka Kowalska
Carlin Kiggell
Adam Powell-Davies
James Morbin
George Clifton
Stephen Brown

Portsmouth
Portsmouth

Charles Dickens
Nelson

Chris Pickett
Nick Doyle

Reading
Reading

Norcot
Southcote

Jen Bottom
Neil Adams

Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton

Bargate
Bassett
Bevois
Bitterne
Bitterne Park
Coxford
Freemantle
Harefield
Millbrook

Graham Henry
Mike Marx
Nick Chaffey
Clara Asher
Vanessa Fileman
Maggie Fricker
Catherine Clarke
Levi Wellman
Donna Dee

Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton
Southampton

Peartree
Portswood
Redbridge
Shirley
Sholing
Swaythling
Woolston

Bevis Fenner
Tony Twine
Pete Wyatt
Andrew Howe
Declan Clune
Neil Kelly
Sue Atkins

South West

Local authority
Cheltenham

Ward
Hesters Way

Candidate's name
Samuel Coxson

Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth
Plymouth

Compton
Devonport
Drake
Efford & Lipson
Ham
Moor View
Plympton St Mary
Southway
St Peter & the Waterfront
Stoke
Sutton & Mount Gould

Nigel Buckley
Lesley Duncan
Sam Hay
Matthew Whitear
Andrew White
Ed Notman
Alan Frost
Ben Davy
Ryan Aldred
Nik Brooks
Duncan Moore

Swindon
Swindon

Covingham & Dorcan
Lydiard & Freshbrook

Scott Hunter
Robert Pettefar

West Midlands

Local authority

Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham

Ward
Acocks Green
Bournbrook & Selly Park
Castle Vale
Erdington
Gravelly Hill
Kingstanding
Ladywood

Candidate's name

Eamonn Flynn
Thomas Green
Kris O'Sullivan
Corinthia Ward
Tom Patrick
Joe Foster
Piriyaasha
Jeyanayagam
Clive Walder
William Downs
Siobhan Friel
Bill Murray
Mark Andrews
Bob Seven
Ted Woodley

Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham
Birmingham

Longbridge & West Heath
North Edgbaston
Perry Common
Pype Hayes
Sheldon
South Yardley
Stockland Green

Coventry
Coventry
Coventry
Coventry
Coventry
Coventry
Coventry
Coventry
Coventry
Coventry

Cheylesmore
Earlsdon
Henley
Holbrook
Lower Stoke
Radford
Sherbourne
St Michaels
Upper Stoke
Westwood

Judy Griffiths
Adam Harmsworth
Aidan O'Toole
Jim Hensman
John O'Sullivan
Dave Anderson
Jane Nellist
Dave Nellist
Terri Hersey
Jim Donnelly

Coventry	Woodlands	Sarah Davis
Dudley	St Thomas	Nicola Fisher
Newcastle-under-Lyme	Kidsgrove & Ravenscliffe	Rebecca Carter
Nuneaton	Camp Hill	Paul Reilly
Nuneaton	Exhall	Eileen Hunter
Nuneaton	Slough	Max McGee
Nuneaton	Wembrook	Bernadette O'Toole
Sandwell	Cradley Heath & Old Hill	Cammilla Mngaza
Sandwell	Oldbury	Richard Gingell
Sandwell	Wednesbury North	Gareth Knox
Wolverhampton	Bilston East	Hannah Davis
Wolverhampton	Oxley	Joshua Allerton
Worcester	Bedwardine	Eloise Davies
Worcester	Cathedral	Archie Harrison
Worcester	St John	Mark Davies

Yorkshire

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Barnsley	Hoyland Milton	Angela Waller
Barnsley	Rockingham	Karen Fletcher
Bradford	Bolton & Undercliffe	Tom Gibson
Hull	Drypool	Tony Smith
Hull	North Carr	James Bentley
Hull	West Carr	Joyce Marshall
Leeds	Armley	Florian Hynam
Leeds	Gipton & Harehills	Tanis Belsham-Wray
Leeds	Hyde Park & Headingley	Anthony Bracuti
Leeds	Killingbeck & Seacroft	Iain Dalton
Leeds	Little London & Woodhouse	Michael Johnson
North East Lincolnshire	Croft Baker	Julian Best
North East Lincolnshire	East Marsh	Lee Coulbeck
North East Lincolnshire	Heneage	Daryl Clifford
North East Lincolnshire	Immingham	Nathan Newton
North East Lincolnshire	Park	Dave Mitchell
North East Lincolnshire	Sidney Sussex	Mark Gee
North East Lincolnshire	South	Bill Ward
Sheffield	Broomhill & Sharrow Vale	Noah Eden
Sheffield	Crooks & Crosspool	Isabelle France
Sheffield	Darnall	Diane Spencer
Sheffield	Firth Park	Alex Brown
Sheffield	Hillsborough	Joe Hibbert
Sheffield	Gleadless Valley	Rebecca Fryer
Sheffield	Manor Castle	Alistair Tice
Sheffield	Nether Edge & Sharrow	Holly Johnston
Sheffield	Park & Arbouthorne	Jack Jeffery

Sheffield
Sheffield
Sheffield

Richmond
Walkley
Woodhouse

Simon Moulton
Alex-James Helie
Simon Jenkins

Wakefield

Wakefield East

Mick Griffiths

Councils in Scotland

As explained in the *How TUSC Functions* rules (see <https://www.tusc.org.uk/txt/449.pdf>), TUSC supporters in Scotland organise autonomously, with their own Scottish TUSC Steering Committee that approves candidates in Scotland.

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Aberdeen	Northfield/Mastrick North	Lucas Grant
Dundee Dundee	Coldside Strathmartine	Wayne Scott Maddie Jamieson
East Lothian	Tranent, Wallyford, Macmerry	Jimmy Haddow
Fife	Dunfermline North	Dave Edler
Glasgow Glasgow Glasgow Glasgow Glasgow Glasgow Glasgow	Dennistoun East Centre Greater Pollok Langside Newlands/Auldburn North East Pollokshields	Oisín Duncan Matt Dobson Eric Stevenson Ronnie Stevenson Jenny Robertson Anne McAllister Tom Ruddell
Highland	Inverness Central	Sean Robertson
North Ayrshire	Irvine South	Ian Kerr
Renfrewshire	Paisley North West	Jim Halfpenny
West Dunbartonshire	Dumbarton	Lynda McEwan

Councils in Wales

Local authority	Division	Candidate's name
Caerphilly	Bedwas, Trethomas & Machen	Peter Thomas
Cardiff Cardiff Cardiff Cardiff Cardiff Cardiff Cardiff Cardiff Cardiff Cardiff	Adamsdown Caerau Canton Cathays Ely Gabalfa Grangetown Llandaff North Llanrumney Pentwyn Plasnewydd	Katrine Williams Dave Reid Taryn Tarrant-Cornish George Phillips Ross Saunders Michael Frazier Joe Fathallah Helen Perriam Danielle Smith Cath Peace John Williams

Cardiff	Riverside	Lianne Francis
Cardiff	Rumney	Rhys Davies
Cardiff	Splott	Dave Bartlett
Cardiff	Trowbridge	Joanna Chojnicka
Neath Port Talbot	Blaengwrach & Glynneath West	Rhys Davies
Rhondda Cynon Taf	Graig & Pontypridd West	Mariam Kamish
Rhondda Cynon Taf	Mountain Ash West	Mia Hollsing
Swansea	Castle	Gareth Bromhall
Swansea	Castle	Owen Lees
Swansea	Llwchwr	Mark Evans
Swansea	Uplands	Oisin Mulholland
Swansea	Uplands	Evan Vaughan
Swansea	Uplands	Charlie Wells

Other left candidates standing on May 5th

Listed below are the council and ward details of 42 other left of Labour candidates standing in May's elections that TUSC is aware of.

These are candidates from left-wing parties which TUSC had been in discussions with to avoid electoral clashes: the Breakthrough Party and the Northern Independence Party (part of the People's Alliance of the Left – PAL), the Communist Party of Britain, the Workers Party of Britain (which has now taken up observer status on the TUSC all-Britain steering committee), and the Scottish Socialist Party.

In addition there are some former left-wing Labour Party members who have also been in discussions with local constituent organisations of TUSC but who decided, on this occasion, to stand on the ballot paper as Independents.

Breakthrough Party

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
<u>England</u>		
Birmingham	Aston	Nazma Meah
<u>Wales</u>		
Carmarthenshire	Pen-y-groes	Ewan Chappell

Communist Party of Britain

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
<u>England</u>		
Bury	Besses	Dan Ross
LB Greenwich	Blackheath Westcombe	Stewart McGill
LB Islington	Arsenal	Robin Talbot
Sheffield	Shiregreen & Brightside	Carrie Hedderwick
St Albans	Sopwell	Mark Ewington
<u>Scotland</u>		
Edinburgh	Leith Walk	Richard Shillcock

Northern Independence Party

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Barnsley	Kingstone	Liam Starsong
Leeds	Beeston & Holbeck	Emily Reaney
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	West Fenham	Andrew Ehala
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	Wingrove	David Stewart
Sefton	Litherland	Billie Jo Gibson
Sheffield	City	Adam Calvert
Sheffield	Crookes & Crosspool*	Nathan Howard
Wirral	West Kirby & Thurstaston	Lawrence Monk

* This ward is also being contested by the TUSC candidate, Isabelle France, whose prospective candidature was notified to the NIP on March 7 who then informed TUSC that they wished to stand in that ward too. Unfortunately, although TUSC withdrew a proposed candidate in City ward in Sheffield to give NIP a clear run, and in Kingstone ward in Barnsley, and the NIP withdrew a proposed candidate in Sheffield's Hillsborough ward, it was not possible on this occasion to agree a single candidate for Crookes & Crosspool.

Scottish Socialist Party

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Edinburgh	Liberton/Gilmerton	Colin Fox
Glasgow	Drumchapel/Anniesland	Joe Meehan
Glasgow	Govan	Bill Bonnar
Glasgow	Shettleston	Liam McLaughlin
Glasgow	Southside Central	Paul Donnelly
North Ayrshire	Irvine West	Colin Turbett
North Lanarkshire	Cumbernauld South	Willie Homer
Renfrewshire	Paisley South East	Sandra Webster

Workers' Party of Britain

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
<u>England</u>		
Birmingham	Balsall Heath West	Paul Scrivens
Birmingham	Bordesley & Highgate	Ed Woollard
Birmingham	Brandwood & King's Heath	Phil Bevin
Birmingham	Brandwood & King's Heath	Lauren Wilson
Kirklees	Batley East	Abdul Aziz Daji
Kirklees	Heckmondwike	Zahid Hanif Kahut
LB Camden	St Pancras & Somers Town	Awal Miah
LB Camden	St Pancras & Somers Town	MD Shah
LB Camden	St Pancras & Somers Town	Neisha Wong
Sefton	Ford	Chris Haws
Sefton	Sudell	Paul McCord
<u>Scotland</u>		
Edinburgh	Almond	Annemarie Baillie

Ex-Labour standing as Independents

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
LB Newham	Canning Town North	David Buxton
LB Newham	Canning Town North	Linda Jordan
LB Newham	Canning Town South	Carel Buxton
LB Newham	Canning Town South	Darshi Wijesinghe
LB Newham	Little Ilford	Tahir Mirza
Plymouth	St Budeaux	Terry Deans