



TUSC candidates in the May elections

Below is the list of the Trade Unionist and Socialist Coalition (TUSC) candidates standing in the local elections taking place on May 2nd.

There are 275 council candidates, contesting seats in 54 local authorities in England, presented in a regional breakdown, plus four constituency candidates for the Greater London Authority assembly and the Salford city mayor.

Out of the council candidates, 269 are standing in tier one or two local authorities with scheduled elections this year – 49 out of the 107 councils in that category. There is also one community councillor listed, seeking re-election in May. The remaining five candidates are contesting council by-elections that have been called to coincide with the May polls (indicated with an asterisk).

Overall, 13.8% of the council wards with local elections this year (264 out of 1,904, nearly one-in-seven) will have at least one TUSC candidate on the ballot paper, contesting 10% of the seats available, three times as many as in the 2023 local elections. A significant achievement.

Greater London Authority

Assembly constituency	Candidate's name
City & East	Lois Austin
Croydon & Sutton	April Ashley
Havering & Redbridge	Andy Walker
North East	Nancy Taaffe

Mayoral elections

Authority	Candidate's name
Salford City Council	Sally Griffiths

Eastern

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Basildon	Fryerns	Eleanor Donne
Basildon	Laindon Park	Dave Murray
Basildon	Lee Chapel North	Elaine McDonald
Basildon	Pitsea North West	Jack Huggins
Basildon	St Martins	Andrew Buxton
Broxbourne	Cheshunt North	Josh Asker
Broxbourne	Cheshunt South & Theobalds	Bea Gardner
Broxbourne	Flamstead End	Aaron Smith
Broxbourne	Hoddesdon Town & Rye Park	Pauline Sulman
Broxbourne	Waltham Cross	Christine Thomas
Broxbourne	Wormley & Turnford	Robert Landon

Epping Forest Epping Forest	Loughton Forest Waltham Abbey North	Scott Jones Adeline Walsh
Harlow	Old Harlow	Paul Lenihan
Peterborough Peterborough Peterborough	Central Fletton & Woodston North	Steve Cawley John Lloyd John McGarry
Stevenage Stevenage Stevenage Stevenage Stevenage Stevenage Stevenage Stevenage Stevenage	Bandley Hill & Poplars Bedwell Longmeadow Martin's Wood Old Town Roebuck Shephall St Nicholas Symonds Green	Mark Pickersgill Steve Glennon Helen Kerr Mark Gentleman Mark Kerr Bryan Clare Barbara Clare Amber Gentleman Trevor Palmer
Watford Watford Watford	Central Holywell Leggatts	James O'Connor Mark O'Connor Derek Foster

East Midlands

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Lincoln	Carholme	Nick Parker
Lincolnshire County Council *	Park	Emma Knight

London

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
LB of Croydon *	Park Hill & Whitgift	Ben Goldstone
LB of Croydon *	Woodside	Michelle Wall
LB Hounslow *	Brentford West	John Viner

Northern

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Gateshead	Blaydon	Tom Allen
Gateshead	Deckham	Norman Hall
Gateshead	High Fell	Elaine Brunskill
Gateshead	Low Fell	Simon Morden
Gateshead	Ryton, Crookhill & Stella	Ros Cooper
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	Kenton	Nick Fray
North Tyneside	Chirton & Percy Main	Pete Robson
North Tyneside	Cullercoates & Whitley Bay South	John Hoare
North Tyneside	Longbenton & Benton	Dan George
North Tyneside	Monkseaton	Lee Dickson

North West

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Chorley	Chorley East	Aamir Khansaheb

Chorley	Chorley North & Astley	Tahir Khansaheb
Chorley	Chorley North West	Arif Khansaheb
Chorley	Chorley South East & Heath Charnock	Jenny Hurley
Knowsley	Northwood	Neill Dunne
Manchester	Harpurhey	Sam Hey
Preston	Deepdale	Hasan Tunay
Preston	Plungington	Joel Patton
Salford	Eccles	Sally Griffiths
Sefton	Derby	Dean Young
Sefton	Netherton & Orrell	Owen Croft
Sefton	St Oswald	Conor O'Neill
Trafford	Longford	Samuel Hogan-Webb
Westmoreland & Furness *	Grange & Cartmel	Martin Powell-Davies

Southern

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Crawley	Bewbush & North Broadfield	Robin Burnham
Crawley	Broadfield	Christopher Ellis
Crawley	Gossops Green & NE Broadfield	Mark Wright
Crawley	Ifield	Wyn Duggan
Crawley	Northgate & West Green	Peter Miller
Crawley	Pound Hill North & Forge Wood	Ben Newman
Crawley	Pound Hill South & Worth	Ruth Gaunt
Crawley	Southgate	Brett Shattock
Crawley	Three Bridges	Tim Holt
Crawley	Tilgate	Chris Owen
Oxford	Blackbird Leys	Sam Bennett
Oxford	Blackbird Leys	Agnieszka Kowalska
Oxford	Churchill	James Morbin
Oxford	Cowley	Alex Chapman
Oxford	Donnington	Kerensa Hone
Oxford	Littlemore	Rachel Cox
Oxford	Northfield Brook	Rosie Douglas-Brown
Oxford	Rose Hill & Iffley	Ruben Simwogerere
Oxford	St Clements	James Bonner
Oxford	St Mary's	Orlando Munoz
Portsmouth	Baffins	Rachel Nolan
Portsmouth	Charles Dickens	Chris Pickett
Portsmouth	Cosham	Nicola Doyle
Portsmouth	Nelson	Nicholas Doyle
Portsmouth	St Thomas	John Burrows
Reading	Caversham	Chloe Stoakes
Reading	Coley	Sadiqua Khan
Reading	Katesgrove	Sam Church
Reading	Norcot	Jen Bottom
Reading	Redlands	Melanie Dent

Reading	Whitley	Saffi Hussam
Rushmoor	Aldershot Park	Tom Mortimer
Rushmoor	Manor Park	Agnieszka Ciezkowska
Rushmoor	Rowhill	Dan Warrington
Rushmoor	Wellington	Ryan Lyddall
Southampton	Banister & Polygon	Karen Rogers
Southampton	Bargate	Donna Dee
Southampton	Bassett	Aziz Dieng
Southampton	Bevois	Nadia Ditta
Southampton	Bitterne Park	Graham Henry
Southampton	Coxford	Maggie Fricker
Southampton	Freemantle	Catherine Clarke
Southampton	Harefield	Barbara Webber
Southampton	Millbrook	Andrew Howe
Southampton	Peartree	Mike Marx
Southampton	Portswood	Tony Twine
Southampton	Redbridge	Pete Wyatt
Southampton	Shirley	Parveen Ishfaq
Southampton	Sholing	Declan Clune
Southampton	Swaythling	Nick Chaffey
Southampton	Thornhill	Clara Asher
Southampton	Woolston	Sue Atkins
Woking	Canalside	Eleanor Waple
Woking	Horsell	E Stephens-DuCros
Woking	Mount Hermon	Raven Dimitrii-Simone
Wokingham	Norreys	Sarah Gilman
Wokingham	Winnersh	John Gilman

South West

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Bristol	Bedminster	Anthony Rowe
Bristol	Brislington West	Domenico Hill
Bristol	Central	Nicholas Clare
Bristol	Clifton Down	Suzanne Muna
Bristol	Easton	Chris Parry
Bristol	Eastville	Annabel Griffiths
Bristol	Eastville	Mike Luff
Bristol	Filwood	Robin Clapp
Bristol	Frome Vale	Brian Healy
Bristol	Henbury & Brentry	Stephen Bennett
Bristol	Hillfields	Dan Smart
Bristol	Horfield	Joan Molins
Bristol	Hotwells & Harbourside	Dan Evans
Bristol	Lockleaze	Roger Thomas
Bristol	Southmead	Amy Sage
Bristol	St George Central	Kris Barker
Bristol	St George West	Paola Sanchez
Bristol	Windmill Hill	Rob Nash
Cheltenham	Hesters Way	Samuel Coxson
Cheltenham	Hesters Way	Joe Waters
Cheltenham	St Paul's	Adrienne Davis

Cheltenham	St Pauls	Christian Dwyer
Gloucester	Barton & Tredworth	James Collett
Gloucester	Barton & Tredworth	Sue Powell
Gloucester	Matson, Robinswood & White City	Richard Price
Plymouth	Budshead	Nicholas Brooks
Plymouth	Compton	Matthew Whitear
Plymouth	Devonport	Alex Moore
Plymouth	Efford & Lipson	Neil Prentice
Plymouth	Eggbuckland	Bethany Lowe
Plymouth	Ham	Edward Evans
Plymouth	Honicknowle	Louise Alldridge
Plymouth	Moor View	Andrew White
Plymouth	Peverell	Duncan Moore
Plymouth	Plympton Chaddlewood	Ben Davy
Plymouth	Plympton Erie	Helen Yeo
Plymouth	Plympton St Mary	Alan Frost
Plymouth	Plymstock Dunstone	Jackie Hilton
Plymouth	Plymstock Radford	Mathew Bligh
Plymouth	Southway	Tony Bligh
Plymouth	St Budeaux	Laurie Moore
Plymouth	St Peter & The Waterfront	Ryan Aldred
Plymouth	Stoke	Lesley Duncan
Plymouth	Sutton & Mount Gould	Tamora Burn
Stroud	Cainscross	Sue Richards
Stroud	Dursley	Lucia Jayaseelan
Stroud	Stonehouse	Adam Goulcher
Stroud	Stroud Trinity	Chris Moore
Swindon	Central	Mary Quate
Swindon	Covingham & Dorcan	Scott Hunter
Swindon	Gorse Hill & Pinehurst	Helen Harris
Swindon	Lydiard & Freshbrook	Rob Pettefar
Swindon	Old Town	Daisy Bowie

West Midlands

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Cannock Chase	Hednesford Pye Green	Dave Ireland
Cannock Chase	Norton Canes	Paul Wainwright
Coventry	Bablake	Anthony Downes
Coventry	Binley & Willenhall	Rob Slater
Coventry	Cheylesmore	Judy Griffiths
Coventry	Earlsdon	Adam Harmsworth
Coventry	Henley	Aidan O'Toole
Coventry	Holbrook	Jim Hensman
Coventry	Longford	Alan Checklin
Coventry	Lower Stoke	John O'Sullivan
Coventry	Radford	Dave Anderson
Coventry	Sherbourne	Jane Nellist
Coventry	St Michaels	Dave Nellist
Coventry	Upper Stoke	Terri Rosser
Coventry	Westwood	Jim Donnelly
Coventry	Whoberley	Zoe Parker

Coventry	Woodlands	Sarah Davis
Coventry	Wyken	Maneet Matharu
Dudley	Brierley Hill	Kevin Carnall
Dudley	Cradley North & Wollescote	Siobhan Halloran
Dudley	St Thomas's	Dave Reynolds
Nuneaton & Bedworth	Arbury	Eve Miller
Nuneaton & Bedworth	Camp Hill	Paul Reilly
Nuneaton & Bedworth	Chilvers Coton	Bernadette Quinn
Nuneaton & Bedworth	Exhall	Eileen Hunter
Nuneaton & Bedworth	Slough	Mark Burdett
Nuneaton & Bedworth	St Nicholas	Daniel Webb
Nuneaton & Bedworth	Stockingford West	Catherine Mosey
Sandwell	Abbey	Justin Macintosh
Sandwell	Cradley Heath & Old Hill	Cammilla Mngaza
Sandwell	Oldbury	Richard Gingell
Sandwell	Smethwick	Ravaldeep Singh Bath
Sandwell	Wednesbury North	Gareth Knox
Sandwell	Wednesbury South	U'semu Makaya
Solihull	Lyndon	Lynsey Fraser-Smith
Walsall	Pleck	John Stanley
Worcester	Arboretum	Calvin Fowler
Worcester	Cathedral	Archie Harrison
Worcester	Dines Green & Grove Farm	Mark Davies
Worcester	Lower Wick & Pitmaston	Eloise Davies
Worcester	Warndon & Elbury Park	Jason Ford

Yorkshire

Local authority	Ward	Candidate's name
Barnsley	Hoyland Milton	Angie Waller
Barnsley	Kingstone	Tracey-Ann Holland
Barnsley	Old Town	Stephen Dangerfield
Barnsley	Roystone	Jennifer Barker
Bradford	Bolton & Undercliffe	Tom Gibson
Bradford	Eccleshill	Laura Fretwell
Hull	Avenue	Mike Whale
Hull	Beverley & Newland	Mike Hirst
Hull	Longhill & Bilton Grange	Tony Smith
Hull	Holderness	Paul Spooner
Hull	West Carr	Joyce Marshall
Kirklees	Ashbrow	Daniel Green
Leeds	Beeston & Holbeck	Louie Fulton
Leeds	Burmantofts & Richmond Hill	R Chaves-Sanderson
Leeds	Gipton & Harehills	Iain Dalton
Leeds	Headingley & Hyde Park	Florian Hynam
Leeds	Hunslet & Riverside	Oisín Duncan
Leeds	Kirkstall	John Tival

Leeds	Little London & Woodhouse	Anthony Bracuti
North East Lincolnshire	Freshney	Paul Wood
North East Lincolnshire	Haverstoe	Val O'Flynn
North East Lincolnshire	Heneage	John Stiff
North East Lincolnshire	Humberston & New Waltham	Joe Carter
North East Lincolnshire	Immingham	Nathan Newton
North East Lincolnshire	Park	Dave Mitchell
North East Lincolnshire	Scartho	Val Pow
North East Lincolnshire	Sidney Sussex	Mark Gee
North East Lincolnshire	South	Bill Ward
North East Lincolnshire	Yarborough	Phil Tuplin
Rotherham	Aughton & Swallownest	Paul Marshall
Rotherham	Boston Castle	Chris Bingham
Rotherham	Keppel	Tom Lynn
Rotherham	Rawmarsh West	William Price
Rotherham	Rother Vale	Neil Adshead
Sheffield	Beauchief & Greenhill	Daniell Smith
Sheffield	Beighton	Mark Dixey
Sheffield	Birley	Andrea Ugolini
Sheffield	Broomhill & Sharrow Vale	Ted Boyle
Sheffield	Burngreave	Hollie Buisson
Sheffield	City	Madeline Rooney
Sheffield	Crookes & Crosspool	Joe Hibbert
Sheffield	Dore & Totley	Jemima Johnson
Sheffield	East Ecclesfield	Rebecca Fryer
Sheffield	Ecclesall	Noah Eden
Sheffield	Firth Park	Joanna Hall
Sheffield	Fulwood	Philip Bunn
Sheffield	Gleadless Valley	Simon Jenkins
Sheffield	Graves Park	Liam Ball
Sheffield	Hillsborough	Leah Byatt
Sheffield	Manor Castle	Alistair Tice
Sheffield	Mosborough	Rory Smith
Sheffield	Nether Edge & Sharrow	Bridget Gilbert
Sheffield	Park & Arboutherne	Jack Jeffrey
Sheffield	Richmond	Susan Statter
Sheffield	Shiregreen & Brightside	Patricia Prystupa
Sheffield	Southey	Harry Lomas
Sheffield	Stannington	Robert Simpson
Sheffield	Stocksbridge & Upper Don	Claire Wraith
Sheffield	Walkley	Isobel France
Sheffield	West Ecclesfield	Christie Littlewood
Sheffield	Woodhouse	Josh Crapper
Wakefield	Hemsworth	Michael Johnson
Wakefield	Stanley & Outwood East	Darren Lumber
Wakefield	Wakefield East	Mick Griffiths
Wakefield	Wakefield North	Tom Griffiths
Waverley TC	Waverley	Cllr Neil Adshead