



Candidates agreed to February 26th

Candidates using a TUSC description in the May elections

Below is the list of the candidates approved so far by the Trade Unionist and Socialist Coalition (TUSC) steering committee to use one of the TUSC descriptions on their ballot paper in the council elections taking place on May 1st.

Candidates can only use a description other than the word 'Independent' – and a distinguishing emblem next to it rather than a blank space – if it has been registered with the Electoral Commission by a recognised party. TUSC has eight descriptions registered with the Commission, including for the first time the words, *Independent Trade Union and Socialist Candidate*.

To date there are 52 candidates who have been authorised to use a TUSC description – who are contesting seats in ten local authorities in England, presented below in a regional breakdown.

The next steering committee meeting to discuss candidate applications will take place on March 24th, with completed application forms needing to be received by the TUSC National Election Agent – Clive Heemskerk, at cliveheemskerk@socialistparty.org.uk – by **Friday 21st March** in order to be placed on the agenda for this meeting. The form can be downloaded at <https://www.tusc.org.uk/2025-application-form-cllr/> (if you are having difficulty opening this link, try copying it into your browser).

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Bedwell
Borehamwood North
Broadwater
Central Watford & Oxhey
Chellis
Cheshunt North
Flamstead End & Turnford
Goffs Oak & Bury Green
Hatfield East
Hertford St Andrews
Hoddesdon North
Hoddesdon South
North Watford
Old Stevenage
Shephall
St Nicholas
Waltham Cross
Ware North
West Watford

Steve Glennon
Mark Kerr
Helen Kerr
James O'Connor
Mark Gentleman
Bea Gardner
Robert Landon
Aaron Smith
Mark Pickersgill
Sean Figg
Pauline Sulman
Josh Asker
Derek Foster
Trevor Palmer
Barbara Clare
Amber Gentleman
Christine Thomas
Bryan Clare
Mark O'Connor

East Midlands

Local authority
Lincolnshire County Council

Ward
Park

Candidate's name
Nick Parker

North West

Local authority
Lancashire County Council
Lancashire County Council

Ward
Chorley Central
Chorley North

Candidate's name
Jenny Hurley
Aamir Khansaheb

Southern

Local authority
Buckinghamshire

Ward
Aylesbury North

Candidate's name
Paul Tovey

Oxfordshire County Council
Oxfordshire County Council
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Oxfordshire County Council

Bartlemas
Cowley
Headington & Quarry
Marston & Northway
Parks

Hannah Chapman
James Morbin
Agnieszka Kowalska
Rachel Cox
James Fernandes

South West

Local authority
Cornwall

Ward
Fowey, Tywardreath & Par

Candidate's name
Rob Rooney

Devon County Council
Devon County Council

Newton Abbott South
St Davids & Haven Banks

Jane Hadden
Myles Hatcher

West Midlands

Warwickshire County Council
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Arbury
Bedworth Central
Bedworth North
Bedworth West
Bulkington & Whitestone
Camp Hill
Galley Common
Nuneaton Abbey
Nuneaton East
Stockingford
Weddington

Eve Miller
George Clark
Mark Burdett
Eileen Hunter
Bernadette Quinn
Paul Reilly
Josh Loveridge
Keith Claridge
Daniel Webb
Catherine Mosey
Steve Gee

Worcestershire County Council
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Malvern Chase
Rainbow Hill & Fort Royal
Riverside

Pete McNally
Mark Davies
Archie Harrison

Yorkshire

Local authority
Doncaster
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Doncaster

Ward
Mayor of Doncaster
Adwick & Carcroft
Bentley
Edenthorpe & Kirk Sandall
Finningley
Norton & Askern
Town

Candidate's name
Andy Hiles
Ashley Mulligan
Steve Flint
Gregory Beaumont
Heather Nicholls
Andy Hiles
Mal Perkins