

# Prescot FOCUS

30 YEARS OF LIBERAL ACTION IN PRESCOT

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Can't win here!  
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Only the Lib Dems can beat Labour in Prescot

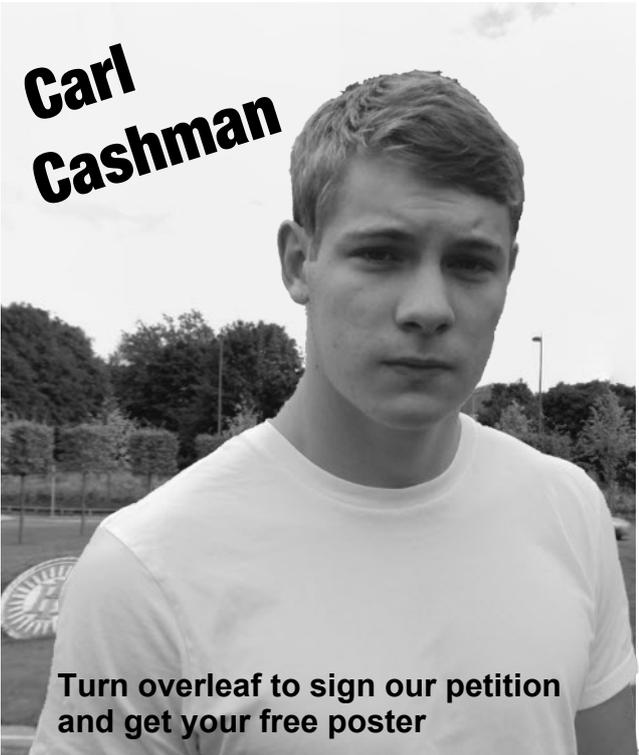
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## CARL CASHMAN SLAMS LABOUR IN WASTE SITE UPDATE FOR PRESCOT RESIDENTS

Lib Dem candidate Carl Cashman went in search of the second application for 600 new houses on the same site as the proposed waste facility. In the minutes of the meeting Carl discovered that the company who are building the waste site had objected to the new housing project. They said that there would be 'a future perception that the Remondis waste facility would be a "bad neighbour", which may result in campaigns to close the facility or change its operating procedures.' The company goes on to say 'Remondis seeks to foster close links with the local community and, if the company believed that it could not establish such links with local residents, it would consider relocating elsewhere'.

This contradicts Knowsley Labour's argument that 'they had no choice in the matter'. In the statement Redmondis seem quite willing to go elsewhere. Don't forget that it was your Prescot Labour Councillors who voted for the waste site in Prescot.

Carl Cashman has criticised Labour for playing politics over the Carr Lane waste site scenario. Carl said 'Why won't Labour listen to the people of Prescot who clearly don't want a waste site.'



### PRESCOT OUT OF KNOWSLEY



Left to right: proposed waste site off Carr Lane, closure of Scotchbarn Swimming Baths and Prescot Leisure Centre all decisions taken by Labour run Knowsley Council.

Lib Dem Candidate Carl Cashman would like to thank Prescot residents for their outstanding response to the Prescot out of Knowsley petition. 'A huge number of people signed our petition and we would like to thank residents for taking the time' said Carl.

**People feel let down by Labour run Knowsley Council**

## ANGER

at Labour's U-turn on the cuts and public sector pay

a betrayal of millions of Labour's core supporters

**RMT Union Boss Bob Crow**

Labour faces Electoral disaster

**Unite Union Boss Len McCluskey**

# KNOWSLEY BUDGET BREAKDOWN

WE PROPOSE	WE OPPOSE
<b>Reduce Council Tax</b>	<b>Labour's PCSO Cuts</b>
Reduce Councillors from 63 to 41 saving around £193,000 a year	Chief Officers' sky high salaries, some over £200,000 a year!
Reduce Councillors' allowances by 5% saving around £27,000 a year	Unfair investment in other areas whilst Prescot is left with little investment
Scrap Labour's <i>Knowsley News</i> saving £80,000 a year	Labour's reduced support for adult mental health
Reduce Councillors' Cabinet posts 10 to 6 saving £52,000 a year	Labour's increased charge for school meals

## PRESCOT LIB DEMS - CUTTING POLITICIANS NOT THE PUBLIC

### LIB DEMS DELIVER FOR PRESCOT SCHOOLS



Lib Dems are doubling the money available for the 'pupil premium' which targets money at the children who need it most.

Local campaigner Carl Cashman said: "It is a shocking fact that pupils from disadvantaged backgrounds are three times less likely to achieve five good GCSEs than their more well-off classmates.

"That is why Liberal Democrats have ensured that this Government has extended free early years education and in the coming school year, Prescot's Constituency is expected to receive £1,099,510 as part of the pupil premium.

"This means that next year this amount should double. This will make an even bigger difference for schools in our area."



Lib Dem candidate Carl Cashman at Prescot Primary School, Maryville Road

The premium increases the budgets of schools with a higher proportion of poorer children...  
**The Guardian**

[Lib Dems deliver] extra cash paid to schools for teaching poorer pupils – which will rise to £1.25 billion next year.  
**The Telegraph**

### LIB DEMS INCREASE PENSIONS EVEN FURTHER!

Recently, Lib Dems in Government produced the biggest pensions increase ever for Prescot pensioners. Lib Dems increased the state pensions by £5.30 a week. Now the Lib Dems have gone even further and from this April the state pension will rise by £9.80 a week!

Lib Dem Candidate Carl Cashman said "Not only have the Lib Dems delivered the biggest pension rise ever, Lib Dems have gone one step further and increased pensions even more. I hope that this increase will really benefit Prescot pensioners who have worked hard all their lives."

### SAY 'NO' TO THE WASTE SITE

Sign this petition to join the increasing number of Prescotians against the waste site and get your free window poster.

Name.....  
 Address.....  
 Phone.....  
 Email.....  
 Signed.....

I am against the waste site



Return this slip to: Carl Cashman, 15 Birch Close, Prescot, Merseyside, L35 2XD or call 07780432177. Your free poster will then be delivered by Carl.