



# South West Hertfordshire Liberal Democrat Candidate Christopher Townsend



- Opposing a hard Brexit
- **£126m** extra each year for NHS & Social Care in Herts with Lib Dems
- Lib Dems would enforce tax rules
- **£55m** extra for Herts schools over the parliament - reversing Tory cuts
- Experienced local candidate

**“This election gives you the chance to stand up for tolerance”**

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# Leading the fight against the Conservatives' hard Brexit

**The election on 8th June is your chance to create a brighter future for the country.**

A disastrous hard Brexit will hit people in the pocket across the country, with the poorest families hit hardest. We need to protect jobs by keeping Britain in the single market. We need a real alternative to the Conservatives.

**Only the Liberal Democrats are holding the Conservatives to account over their hard Brexit plans.**

**Only the Liberal Democrats can defeat the Conservatives in South West Hertfordshire.**



Christopher Townsend pictured here with campaigners in Chorleywood. Christopher lives in Tring, but is well known throughout the constituency, as the Lib Dem candidate in the 2010 general election and the 2012 Police and Crime Commissioner election.



# Candidate's Message:

## Dear Resident

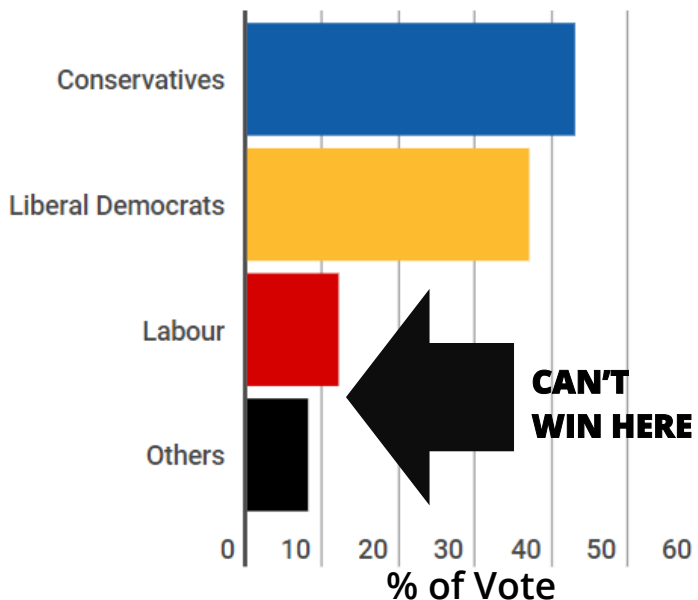
I love South West Hertfordshire. It is safe, has great communities and represents the best of our country. It has wonderful countryside and we live by our values of openness and tolerance. Unfortunately, there is a threat. The threat is to our jobs; to our economy. The facts are that we have over-borrowed and our current negotiating position with Europe is wildly over optimistic. Your current MP has been complacent and unwilling in government to take the difficult decisions necessary to protect our way of life. He has voted to take us out of Europe and has not visibly improved tax transparency, despite being in charge. By voting for him, you would be supporting a complacency in politics that will not serve the long-term interests of this country.

**If you care about these things you have a choice on the 8th of June.**

I have enough community leadership experience to work effectively, having been a Borough councilor for 8 years. I have enough commercial experience to be an advocate for business, having been a Director in a finance department for many years. These factors are an asset, but more importantly, and closer to my heart, I have a desire to make sure that our country stands up and fights for its core values of liberalism and tolerance, particularly now when they are under threat.

**I have a young family and a passion to succeed. We all have a responsibility to shape our country for the better and the time to act is now.**

Christopher Townsend



**Only the Liberal Democrats  
can defeat the  
Conservatives in South  
West Hertfordshire  
Labour and the Greens  
cannot win here**

Based on local election results  
from SW Herts in May 2017

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Vote Townsend June 8th**

