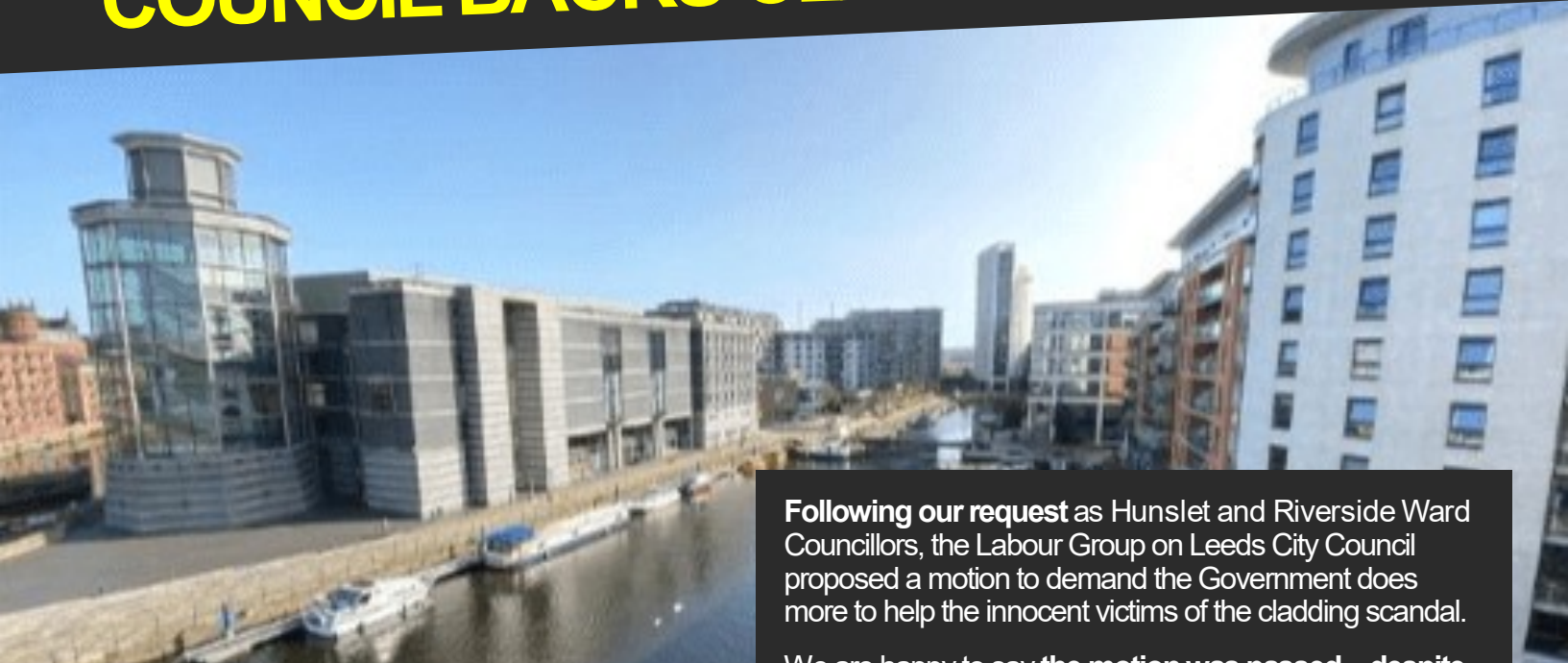


COUNCIL BACKS CLADDING VICTIMS



Follow Leeds Cladding Scandal at
facebook.com/leedscladdingscandal
for regular campaign updates and news.

MORE TREES PLANTED

Our commitment to increase the number of trees in the ward continues. We found funding to plant 63 more mature trees and over 2,000 saplings- despite some projects being cancelled due to the pandemic. These are in addition to those we had planted in early 2020.

There are other ongoing local biodiversity projects, which include bulb planting on the green space in the middle of the estate off Church Street, Hunslet Lake Park, and more.



Find out more about the Council's tree and woodland creation plan by visiting
theariumleeds.co.uk/woodland-creation

Following our request as Hunslet and Riverside Ward Councillors, the Labour Group on Leeds City Council proposed a motion to demand the Government does more to help the innocent victims of the cladding scandal.

We are happy to say **the motion was passed—despite the Conservatives voting against it.** It calls on the Government to fully fund the replacement of all faulty cladding and other fire safety defects, regardless of a buildings height, by June 2022. It also called for financial support to cover the cost of the crippling interim fire safety measures.

We will continue to work with Hilary Benn MP and the Leeds Cladding Scandal Campaign to fight for safer homes and urgent support for all the victims.



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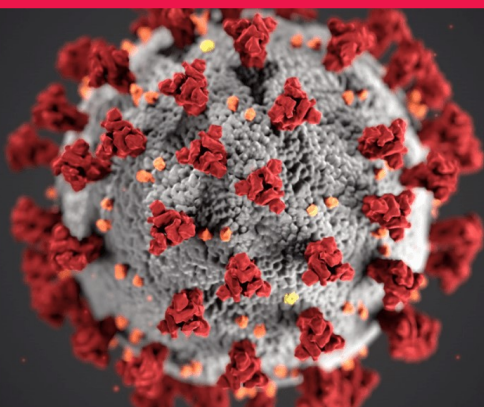


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CLLR WRAY

Season's Greetings and a Happy New Year to everyone in Hunslet and Riverside Ward.



COVID-19 PANDEMIC

The pandemic continues to dominate our communities. **We again pay tribute to all those who have helped other residents in need**, and to those who are at a greater risk as they cannot work from home. There is information at leeds.gov.uk/coronavirus. This is kept up to date with all the latest news.



IMPROVED PATH AGREED

The popular and well used path between Arthington View and Tulip Street in Hunslet, is to get a major upgrade thanks to a **joint £10,000 project between local Councillors and Leeds Federated**. Following complaints, it has been agreed to add a new dropped kerb, tarmac surface, hand railings and anti-quad bike barriers. This will vastly improve safety for pedestrians and improve the visual look of the area.



HUNSLET ST MARY'S SPIRE

Initial ground surveys have now been completed to check the viability of development so we can protect the spire. **These identified more specialist surveys are required**. But it has not been possible to do these due to the pandemic. As soon as these are completed early next year, we will update the community.

IMPROVING ROAD SAFETY

We continue to take feedback from residents on road safety issues. **These have resulted in:**

- a new zebra crossing having been built on Pepper Road in Hunslet Carr
- provisional agreement for a pedestrian refuge on Moor Road in Hunslet, subject to safety checks
- an initial traffic survey scheduled for a crossing point on National Road on Hunslet Riverside arranged
- an initial traffic survey scheduled for a pedestrian refuge on Pepper Road at the skate park arranged
- new dropped kerbs agreed and scheduled for installation at points along Lady Pit Lane, Greenmount Street, Coupland Road and Linden Road on Beeston Hill
- police speed gun operations arranged for Pepper Road, National Road, Chadwick Street, East Street, Moor Road (Hunslet), Burton Row and more

Please keep feeding back your concerns. **We will raise these with Highways Leeds and the Police.**

#BUYLEEDS AND LOCAL



Small and local businesses have had a hard year due to the Covid-19 lockdowns and the restrictions placed on them. They now need our help to keep going until normality can return to our high streets.



Follow the BuyLeeds campaign on Twitter and Instagram and **help support the Leeds economic recovery.**

Their username is BuyLeeds.

Your Local Services

Beeston Hill & Hunslet

LOCAL SERVICES BOOK

Following a successful pilot on Beeston Hill in 2019, we have commissioned a 2nd edition, which will also cover Hunslet. This will contain the details of local services and how to contact them.

BRICKFIELD PARK SURVEY

We have £15000 to spend on improving this park. We want to know your ideas on what. Let us know your thoughts at by visiting bit.ly/BrickfieldPocketPark.



EVEN MORE LITTER BINS

Twenty-two new litter bins have been deployed in Hunslet and on Beeston Hill, and the litter bin needs near residential properties in the city centre are currently being assessed. £4000 of funding has also been found and ring-fenced for more litter bins next year.



MICE GRANTS SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY GROUPS:

These small grants can make a big difference to groups supporting people in our communities. This year we have so far supported:

- Leeds Samaritans
- Leeds Asylum Seeker Support Networked
- Specialist Autism Services
- LCC Children and Families Eid Celebration
- Friends of Hunslet Moor
- Leeds Dads
- Leeds Nightline
- Hunslet TARA
- Leeds Skyline
- The Real Junk Food Project
- Leeds 51st Unit (Hunslet St Marys) Rainbow Brownies and Guides
- Leeds Community Foundation
- International Day of Disabled People 2020
- New Beverley Community School
- St Francis of Assisi Primary School



RENEWED "GHOST SIGN"

We ensured this historic sign was restored at the request of the local residents association. It now joins the Hunslet Carr Welcome Wheel as an important local landmark celebrating the community and its history.

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COUNCIL BUDGET: GOVERNMENT SUPPORT LACKING

Boris Johnson's Government is still refusing to properly fund Leeds City Council after promising to do "whatever it takes" to support it tackle the Coronavirus pandemic. Our Leeds Labour Council is proud to have stepped up at this vital time and done the right thing to support Leeds citizens.

But the Government has broken its earlier promises. We will keep lobbying them to do the right thing and keep their promise to support Leeds. **But if they do not, they will be forcing the Council to cut services next year.**



USEFUL CONTACTS

We are here to help. The sooner we know about an issue, the sooner we can try and help.



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Homelessness	0113 222 4412
Noise Nuisance	0113 222 4402
Environmental Health	0113 222 4406
Roads and Pavements	0113 222 4407
Street Lighting	0800 032 5349
Council Complaints	0113 222 4405
Council Tax and Benefits	0113 222 4404
Textphone	0113 222 4410
Registrars	0113 222 4408
Crime Stoppers	0800 555 111
Police Non-Emergency	101
Emergency Services	999

SECURE YOUR VOTE NEXT MAY



In May 2020 there will be important elections for the first ever West Yorkshire Metro Mayor, and locally, for who represents you on Leeds City Council. In these uncertain times your right to vote is more important than ever. Secure your vote for next year by signing up for a Postal Vote now.

You can request an application form from postalvote.labour.org.uk. We will then send you a form to your address to complete. Return it to Leeds City Council and you will be registered to vote by post for future elections. Getting a postal vote means you can vote in advance, which saves you having to make a trip to the polling station on Polling Day.



WHAT ARE YOUR PRIORITIES?

What can we do to improve your area?

Name

Number

Email

Address

Last election I voted ☐ Labour ☐ Tory ☐ Green ☐ Lib Dem

I plan to vote ☐ Labour ☐ Tory ☐ Green ☐ Lib Dem

Contact me via ☐ Telephone ☐ Letter ☐ Email

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