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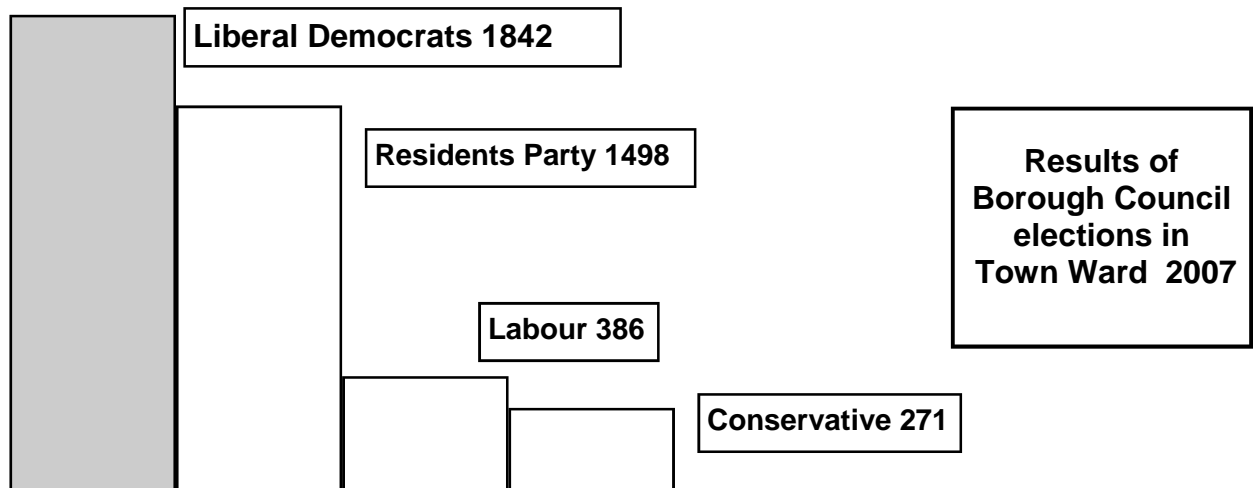
Councillors Alison Kelly and Charles Wood are proud to have been elected to represent the residents of Town Ward for the next four years. Focus team member Julia Kirkland will be working with them to help resolve some of the concerns passed on by local residents when they were called on during the election. Thank you to everyone who voted. The turnout was rather disappointing compared with other wards and the result shows just how important every vote really is in a local election.

### Postal Voting— N.B

In Town Ward election count we had a number of postal ballots which were not included, as voters had inserted that day's date on the form instead of their DOB as requested. So if you have a postal vote make sure you take care to ensure your **vote** really does count.

**A total of 11 Liberal Democrat councillors were also elected in Stamford, College and Court wards and we now represent the strongest opposition there has ever been on Epsom & Ewell Borough Council. We are committed to working with you, consulting with you and with our Lib Dem colleagues on the council providing an effective opposition to the ruling Resident' Party in the council chamber.**

*If any residents would like to help with delivery of this newsletter in their area or provide any additional help to our Liberal Democrat Councillors please contact us. See contact details overleaf.*



## TOWN WARD AND BOROUGH NEWS

**More blocked gulleys cleared**—Following intervention by Lib Dem county councillor Colin Taylor, three blocked gulleys in Clayton Road and Lintons Lane were cleared by the new "community gang" just before the election. Colin also got the community gang to deal with a long-running risk of flooding in Middle Lane, again due to two blocked gulleys. He is currently working on another blocked gully issue in Hereford Close. If you are aware of any other blocked gulleys in Town ward, please let us know and we can get Colin on the case.

**Planning applications**—there are appeals on 51-55 Church Street and the Rosebery School site housing in Rosebank. The Upper High Street supermarket appeal is likely to be heard in September. We will keep you informed on all of these.

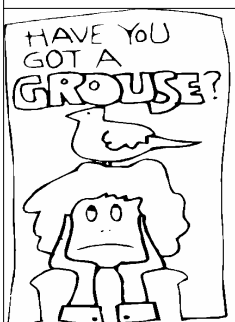
**Stones Road SSSI**—Work to clear rubbish and secure the area has taken place recently and we hope to distribute information to local residents about forthcoming public meetings shortly.

**Parking restrictions**—relating to the following roads were discussed by the Local Committee on 4th June. Often they relate to junctions and corners, not necessarily the whole of the road : Church Road, Church Street, Grove Road, Stevens Close, Worple Road, Wyeths Road. Watch out for notices on nearby lampposts and in the press in the next couple of months, so that you can support or object to the proposals. Alternatively contact Cllr Alison Kelly or County Councillor Colin Taylor with your views.

**Other work**—During our visits and as a result of mobile surgeries earlier in the year there are a number of issues we know are important to you. The FOCUS team is meeting regularly to ensure that we work on these to get them resolved so many of you will be contacted about your concerns directly.

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