

# ABOUT ARRON BAKER



Arron has lived in West Oxfordshire for 20 years. Coming from a family of agricultural engineers, Arron returned to his roots running a horse livery stables and working on the land in his early thirties.

As part of his current role as a negotiator he works across the energy and bioscience sectors, maintaining his link to the land.

“As your Councillor, I want to support a new rural economy – championing opportunities within regenerative farming, local food markets, community food production, and new market avenues for specialist products.

Our living environment needs to be at the heart of our decision making, valuing our role in stewardship of the land and its intrinsic link to everything we do.

We have amazing community volunteers right across the district and I commit to working with as many groups as possible to help in bringing them together and finding opportunities and funds to support their essential work.”

Arron Baker, your Green Candidate

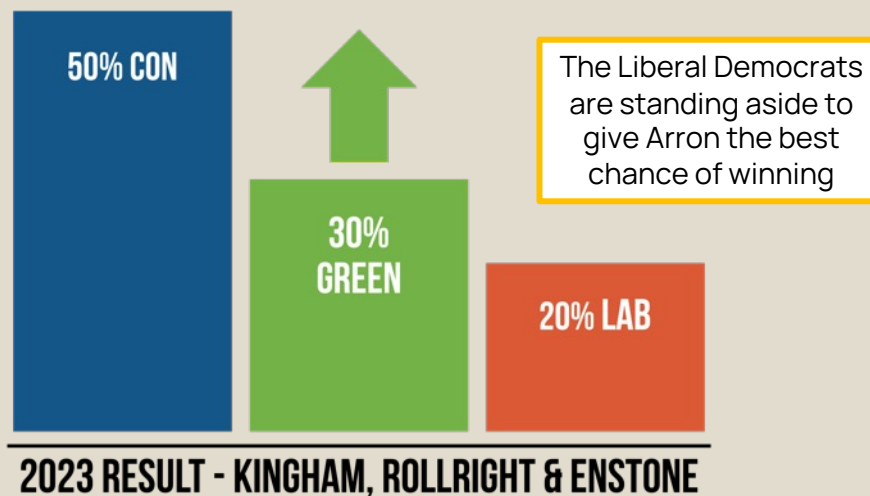


“Arron’s vigour and enthusiasm will make him an excellent District Councillor. He is committed to tackling the issues which local residents really care about and his knowledge and experience will ensure he is an effective advocate for the community.”

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# ARRON BAKER

FOR KINGHAM, ROLLRIGHT & ENSTONE



ARRON CAN WIN! THE LIBERAL DEMOCRATS ARE BACKING ARRON. LABOUR CANNOT WIN HERE.

## YOU DECIDE

A Green vote is the only real alternative in this ward. Greens came second last year and people who traditionally voted Conservative or Labour are switching to Greens for this local election.

Kingham, Rollright and Enstone has been a two-Conservative-councillor ward for a very long time. With this local election, residents are looking for a more balanced approach to local decision making and see Greens as a great option to sit alongside the existing councillor.

If elected, Arron will provide a strong Green voice for our villages, pushing for joined-up action on planning, transport, local jobs and services.

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# VOTE

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COUNCIL ELECTION, 2 MAY

Protecting our countryside, supporting our rural communities



Green Party



# THE RIGHT PEOPLE AT THE RIGHT TIME

Having the right people, with the right connections, at the right time, can make a wealth of difference. Arron has been engaging with organisations and communities across the ward to identify where discussion can bring people together to create new opportunities for residents. Whether it is working with organisations like FarmED, the North-East Cotswold Farmer Cluster, Wild Oxfordshire, the Evenlode Catchment Partnership, Southill Community Energy, parish councils or community groups, Arron believes the role of a councillor is to facilitate the amazing work these people do, and assist in embedding that into the heart of our communities.



FARMING AND LOCAL FOOD PRODUCTION



TAKING ACTION ON SECOND HOMES



PROTECTING OUR RIVERS AND COUNTRYSIDE



Southill Community Energy in Charlbury

COMMUNITY-OWNED ENERGY GENERATION

## ARRON COMMITS

**SEWAGE POLLUTION.** Raw sewage in our rivers is a reality and Conservative-backed laws have weakened the powers to prosecute water companies for illegal sewage dumping.

Upgrading our sewage works after decades of under-investment will take time (with the cost currently being put onto the consumer). Meanwhile, sewage discharges will continue as new houses are connected to an already failing system.

**Arron will fight to make sure that infrastructure and sewerage upgrades are in place before new house building is approved.**

**SECOND HOMES.** Second homes reduce the availability of housing for local residents and, combined with increased holiday home ownership, artificially push up the cost of housing in an already overpriced market. The chance for our children and grandchildren to grow up in the area where we live is vanishing.

**Arron commits to support a change to council tax that ensures that holiday and second home ownership comes with a premium and where any money generated is used to reduce the cost to existing residents, especially those who are struggling financially.**

## GET IN TOUCH IF

- You have a local issue you want to tell Arron about
- You would like a lift to the polling station on 2<sup>nd</sup> May
- You would like to help or donate to Arron's campaign or **display a poster**

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**GREENS IN THE ROOM MAKE ALL THE DIFFERENCE. IF ELECTED, ARRON WILL JOIN COUNCILLORS SANDRA SIMPSON & ANDREW PROSSER (PICTURED) AND CLLR ROSIE PEARSON, LEADING LOCAL ACTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE AND LOCAL GREEN JOBS.**

## VOTER ID



Voting in local elections is your opportunity to make change; don't settle for business as usual - **make your vote matter.**



If you are voting at a polling station, **don't forget to bring an accepted form of photo ID.** Apply for a FREE voter ID by 24 April - scan QR ↑ or visit <https://westoxon.gov.uk/voterid>.

# ARRON BAKER - TO BE YOUR COUNCILLOR ON 2 MAY