

## Working in Shenley Lodge, North & South Furzton

# Grit Bins to Go?

Just over a year after a Lib Dem-led Council installed twelve grit bins in Furzton and Shenley Lodge, the Conservative-led Council wants to move SEVEN of them to other estates!



Cllr Chris Williams at the bin in Edison Square - one of those threatened with removal.

The Council is proposing to remove all the bins placed on main roads that are always gritted - and that is three quarters of the bins on Shenley Lodge and South Furzton!

Cllr Jenni Ferrans says "The Council has completely missed the point!

The grit in these bins is not used on the main road, but on the side roads, (many on steep, treacherous slopes), or on foot-paths and pavements.

Many of them are on routes to school, the shops, bus stops etc. And they are often in areas where there are elderly people who are dependent on services reaching them on icy roads."

### Consultation

The Council is now consulting on the proposals, so please make your views known! The list of bins under threat is overleaf. Please tell us if you think it's reasonable that these bins are removed, or why you think it's important that your local bin is kept.

The Council have given us just **two weeks** to respond! Please get your responses in to the Council **by October 7th**, or to Cllr Jenni Ferrans by **October 5th** so that we can respond. Thank you.



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## Representing Your Issues, Listening to Your Views

# The Bins under Threat

### Shenley Lodge

Edison Square  
Livesey Hill near H6  
Faraday Drive near no 119

### South Furzton

Favell Drive near no 95  
Both bins on Blackmoor Gate

### North Furzton

near the junction of Loxbeare Drive and Lynmouth Crescent

## Send Us Your Views

Please send us your views as to whether the bins can be spared for other areas, or why they should be kept here, to Cllr Jenni Ferrans at the contact details below **by 5th October**.

You can also respond direct to the Council at:

Email: [andrew.dickinson@milton-keynes.gov.uk](mailto:andrew.dickinson@milton-keynes.gov.uk)

Post:

Andrew Dickinson, Grit Bin Consultation  
Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East  
Central Milton Keynes MK9 3EJ



### Data Protection Act

If you reply to us the Liberal Democrats and their elected representatives may use the information you've given to contact you.

Some contacts may be automated.

Please contact us at any time if you want to opt out of such communications.

### It Matters What You Think!

Name:

House and street:

Grit bin at:

I am happy for the bin to be removed

Please keep the bin because:

Cllr Jenni Ferrans: [j.ferrans@mklibdems.co.uk](mailto:j.ferrans@mklibdems.co.uk)

Or write to: **Furzton Focus Team**

c/o 9 Rycroft, Furzton, Milton Keynes MK4 1AH

### Can you help ?

If you would like to help the local Liberal Democrats, please tick below & return to: Furzton Focus, c/o 9 Rycroft, Furzton MK4 1AH

I can deliver leaflets in my road

I can help with street surveys

I can help with campaigns

Please tell me more about the Liberal Democrats.