

# Gosport Conservatives



Working hard for you in Anglesey all year round!

## FIGHTING FLOODING IN ANGLESEY!

Gosport Borough Council are investing £3.8m in flood defences. 114 properties in Anglesey & Alverstoke are at risk of a 1 in 100 year flood event, and this is expected to rise to 142 properties by 2060.

■ In consultation with local residents including the Anglesey Conservation Group, Councillor Alan Scard has suggested an alternative scheme using Jackie Spencer's Bridge (JSB), at a lower cost.

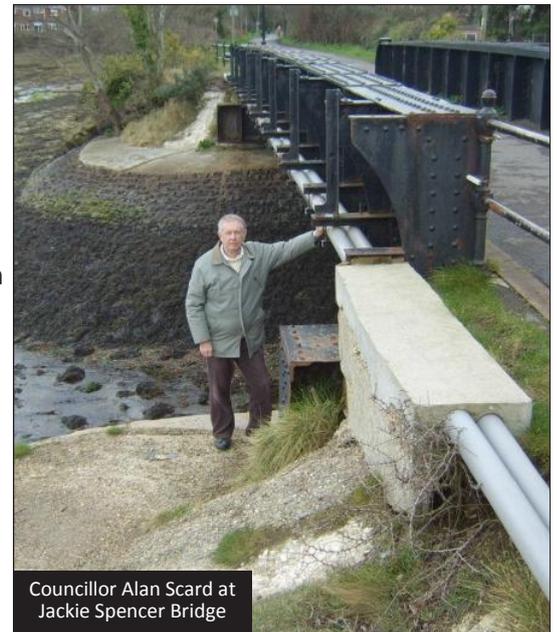
The original JSB scheme was considered too expensive by the Eastern Solent Coastal Partnership (ESCP)

The ESCP scheme is to build a wall on top of the Causeway at the western end of Stoke Lake with a flood gate on Little Anglesey Road.

The alternative scheme would be to build a new wall under the eastern side of JSB with a sluice gate in the middle which would be open until such time as a 1 in 100 flood is forecast.

It will protect an additional 30 properties, at Stoke Lake including Brookfield Retirement Home and 8 properties in St Mark's Road.

To see the full details visit <http://bit.ly/2sVdy7C>.



Councillor Alan Scard at Jackie Spencer Bridge

## 100 YEARS OF VOTES FOR WOMEN!

■ Gosport Conservatives got together to celebrate the centenary of Votes for Women and reflect on the work still to do to in the quest for gender equality.

Tuesday 6th February marked 100 years since the Representation of the People Act 1918 was passed, giving the first voting rights to women and extending the vote to men over 21.

Commenting on this historic milestone Gosport Mayor, Cllr Linda Batty said:

"The progress we have made on these issues has not simply been given to us. It has been fought for every single step of the way. I'm so proud that 40% of Gosport Borough Councillors are women, it's much better than Parliament, with only 32% female MP's."



Gosport's Female Conservative Candidates and Councillors

## LISTENING TO YOU

■ Alan Scard and Philip Raffaelli have worked hard to ensure the Fort Gilkicker Development is successful while preserving resident's rights of way and access to the historical site.

Regular meetings have been held to ensure that your wishes are listened to and improve communications about the development.

The Council's legal team have now started formally registering the Solent Way and other public access routes in perpetuity.

We will continue to ensure that this important development of one of Gosport's most significant historical landmark is to everybody's benefit.

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## INVESTING IN GOSPORT—INVESTING IN YOU

**Gosport's budget preserves frontline services and boosts the local economy!**

These investments were supported by Gosport Conservatives but Peter Chegwyn's Liberal Democrats voted against all these schemes.



**We will continue to deliver quality services and offer value for money for our residents.**

**We will strive for efficiency savings and look to reduce the level of bureaucracy in the town hall.**



**There will be no cuts or reductions to frontline services, the voluntary sector will receive a 2.5% increase to deliver services for our community and there continues to be substantial investment for regeneration, to create jobs and improve prosperity.**



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