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Andrew Down Your Way in West Hendon

“How I’ve been helping West Hendon residents”.



As your MP, I’ve been demanding action on the issues which concern us all. Here are just a few of the things I’ve been chasing up recently.



West Hendon Estate

As usual, I carried out my annual inspection of the estate, with Barnet Homes, the Council, and Police. I have continued to report back to residents, on what needs doing and the Council’s promises, many of which have not yet been carried out. There is no doubt that the estate needs much attention, whether it’s caretaking, flytipping, broken drains, weeds or poor maintenance. The Council will not carry out any major work, blaming the regeneration, but it’ll be **years** before it’s finished – and residents are entitled to a decent standard of service and maintenance in the meantime – which I continue to demand the Council should deliver.

I am extremely concerned that the Council now admits to breaking its regeneration pledge to residents, that they will be rehoused on the estate. Residents only voted for regeneration because the Council promised them a decent home on the rebuilt estate. I believe it is outrageous, that this vital commitment has now been broken. I am fully behind residents’ demands for the Council’s original pledge to be honoured.

Environmental Issues

I’ve been working with your West Hendon Councillors, to demand that the Council pay more attention to the Welsh Harp, especially over security measures; to West Hendon Broadway; and West Hendon Playing Fields.

I continue to pressure the Council over vermin infestations, which are a lot more common since they cut the ratcatcher service. My campaign forced the restoration of the service, but more needs to be done as it is too expensive and less effective than before.

