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9. OUR PROMISE TO HACKNEY

Hackney Labour is committed to the highest standards of public life and accountability. We will work for all Hackney residents, all year round, not just at election time. We were the first to introduce virtual meetings during lockdown to keep the Council's functions accessible.

Your Labour Councillors and Mayor will be accountable to the people of Hackney. We are committed to ensuring our democratic processes are open, transparent and accessible, ensuring the Council works with you for a **better Hackney.**

Our promise to you:

- We will hold **regular surgeries** near you and on the doorstep and we will get back to you about your issues and concerns in good time.
- We will make the Council's democratic functions **more accessible** and review the Council's constitution.
- We will hold an annual **'Mayor's Question Time'** that is open to everyone to ask questions and give feedback directly to the Mayor.
- We will ensure that the Mayor and the Cabinet are **held to account** at Council meetings and in public forums.

- We will protect and invest in the strong and independent **scrutiny function** sitting at the heart of the Council, questioning the Council's activities and reporting back to residents.
- We will **explore innovative ways** of working and consulting with residents and find new ways for residents to contribute to the Council's decision making process.



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X Thursday 5 May

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