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LGA and ALDC

AT THE LIBERAL DEMOCRAT AUTUMN CONFERENCE 2024

14-17 September | Brighton

The Local Government Association (LGA) and the Association of Liberal Democrat Councillors (ALDC) are again active at this year's Autumn Conference Liberal Democrat Conference. Local government speakers will also feature in a number of debates, seminars, training sessions and roundtables hosted by a variety of partner organisations, like London Councils, Dementia Care Council and Alzheimer's Society.



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LGA LIBERAL DEMOCRAT FRINGE MEETINGS AT AUTUMN CONFERENCE

Saturday 14 September

COUNTDOWN TO THE COUNTIES WITH LIB DEM PODCAST

Looking at 2025 country elections and regroup, recharge and reenergise ahead of a bumper set of local elections in 2025. Throughout the last parliament the Liberal Democrats chipped away at the Blue Wall, at the general election we smashed it, at next year's local election we intend to sweep away the rubble which remains.

1.00pm - 2.00pm Consort Room, The Grand Hotel

ALDC AGM AND CAMPAIGNER AWARDS

ALDC AGM and celebrating the best of the parties' campaigners and activists.

8.15pm - 9.30pm Alexandra Room, The Grand Hotel

LIB DEM DISCO – TICKETS AVAILABLE AT ALDC.ORG

The annual Lib Dem Disco is back, with surprise appearances of guest DJs so grab your dancing shoes and dust off your glad rags.

10.00pm - 1.00am Charlotte Room, The Grant Hotel

Sunday 15 September 2024

DEMENTIA CARE COUNCIL AND COMMUNITY WITH THE ALZHEIMER'S SOCIETY

11.30am - 12.30pm The Pavilion, The Grand Hotel

COMMUNITY ENERGY – POWERING THE FUTURE?

LGA Lib Dem Group and ALDC.

Hear some examples of local energy schemes and how they can help both local communities and the planet! Chair: **ClIr Joe Harris**, Leader, LGA Liberal Democrat Group. Speakers include **Pippa Heylings MP** and leading Liberal Democrats from local government. Refreshments available.

1.00pm - 2.00pm The Pavilion, Grand Hotel

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT RECEPTION – CELEBRATING OUR SUCCESS

LGA Liberal Democrat Group and ALDC.

Celebrate a year of success both at local and parliamentary levels! All friends of local government welcome. With **Clir Joe Harris** and **Ed Davey MP**.

Refreshments available.

7.45pm - 9.00pm Alexandra Room, Grand Hotel

Monday 16 September

YIMBYS OR NIMBYS: WHERE DO THE LIBERAL DEMOCRATS STAND ON GROWTH IN LONDON?

London Councils Liberal Democrat Group.

We have currently confirmed **CIIr Gareth Roberts**, Vice Chair of London Councils and Leader of the London Borough of Richmond upon Thames to chair the panel. We have also invited **Hina Bokhari** from London Assembly and **Muniya Barua** from BusinessLDN to speak as well.

11.30pm - 12.30pm Consort Room, The Grand Hotel

LGA LIBERAL DEMOCRAT GROUP AND EFFICIO: FUNDING LOCAL GOVERNMENT – THE ONCOMING STORM

How can councils survive in an era of "There is no money left"? With **Clir Lucy Netshingha** (Chair), **Helen Morgan MP**, **Keith House**, Leader of Eastleigh BC and a guest speaker from public sector procurement specialists Efficio.

Refreshments available.

1.00pm - 2.00pm Alexandra Room, Grand Hotel