

# COUNCILS AND WHAT THEY DO

## CAMBRIDGESHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

[www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk](http://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk)

Your County Councillor;  
Mr Ian Gardener

The County Council are the **first tier** of authority, and are responsible for services across the whole of a county:

Dealing with highways related issues	Dealing Rights of Way issues		
Grass cutting	Education	Libraries	Social care
Waste management	Trading standards	Transport	Planning
Fire and public safety			

An online reporting tool is available for swift reporting of pot holes, pavement repairs etc

## HUNTINGDON DISTRICT COUNCIL

[www.huntingdonshire.gov.uk](http://www.huntingdonshire.gov.uk)

Your District Councillor;  
Mr Ian Gardener

The District Council cover a smaller area than county councils. They're usually responsible for services such as:

Rubbish collection	Recycling	Council Tax collections
Housing	Planning applications	Local Plan 2036
Anti social behaviour	Dog fouling	

Online reporting tool for reporting incidents straight away to the correct authority

## ALCONBURY PARISH COUNCIL

[www.alconburyparishcouncil.gov.uk](http://www.alconburyparishcouncil.gov.uk)

Clerk – Charlotte Copley

Parish Councils are the third tier authority, the council consists of local volunteers who are elected members and can help on a number of local issues, like providing:

Allotments	Public clocks	Bus shelters	Community centres
Play areas	Play equipment	Consultation on neighbourhood	
planning			

Clerks are employed for a minimal amount of hours per week. If your query relates to something that comes under the District or County Councils remit, please contact them in the first instance.