



Maria's Latest Update - Chailey, Newick & Ringmer

From your Member of Parliament

I understand that protecting green spaces and community within our villages is vital to many of my constituents, including those within Chailey, Newick and Ringmer. I therefore wanted to provide you with an update on the work that I have been carrying out to strengthen neighbourhood plans.

Many residents will be aware that a planning application turned down by Newick Parish Council and Lewes District Council has been overturned, despite this decision also going against the local Neighbourhood Plan. I joined residents in objecting to this obscene reality, and as a result I am working hard to legally strengthen neighbourhood plans through the current Planning Bill going through Parliament.

Baroness Cumberlege is putting amendments in the House of Lords, whilst myself and the Member of Parliament for Arundel and South Downs, Nick Herbert, will ensure that a Newick situation can't happen again when it re-enters the Commons.

Be assured that I will be sure to keep local councils and my constituents up to date on this important issue.

MARIA CAULFIELD MP – SURGERY ADVICE

As your local Member of Parliament I try to be as accessible as possible to residents.

I hold regular advice surgeries across the constituency. If you would like an appointment to discuss an issue or concern please do not hesitate to contact me.

Whatever your concern, please get in touch.

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