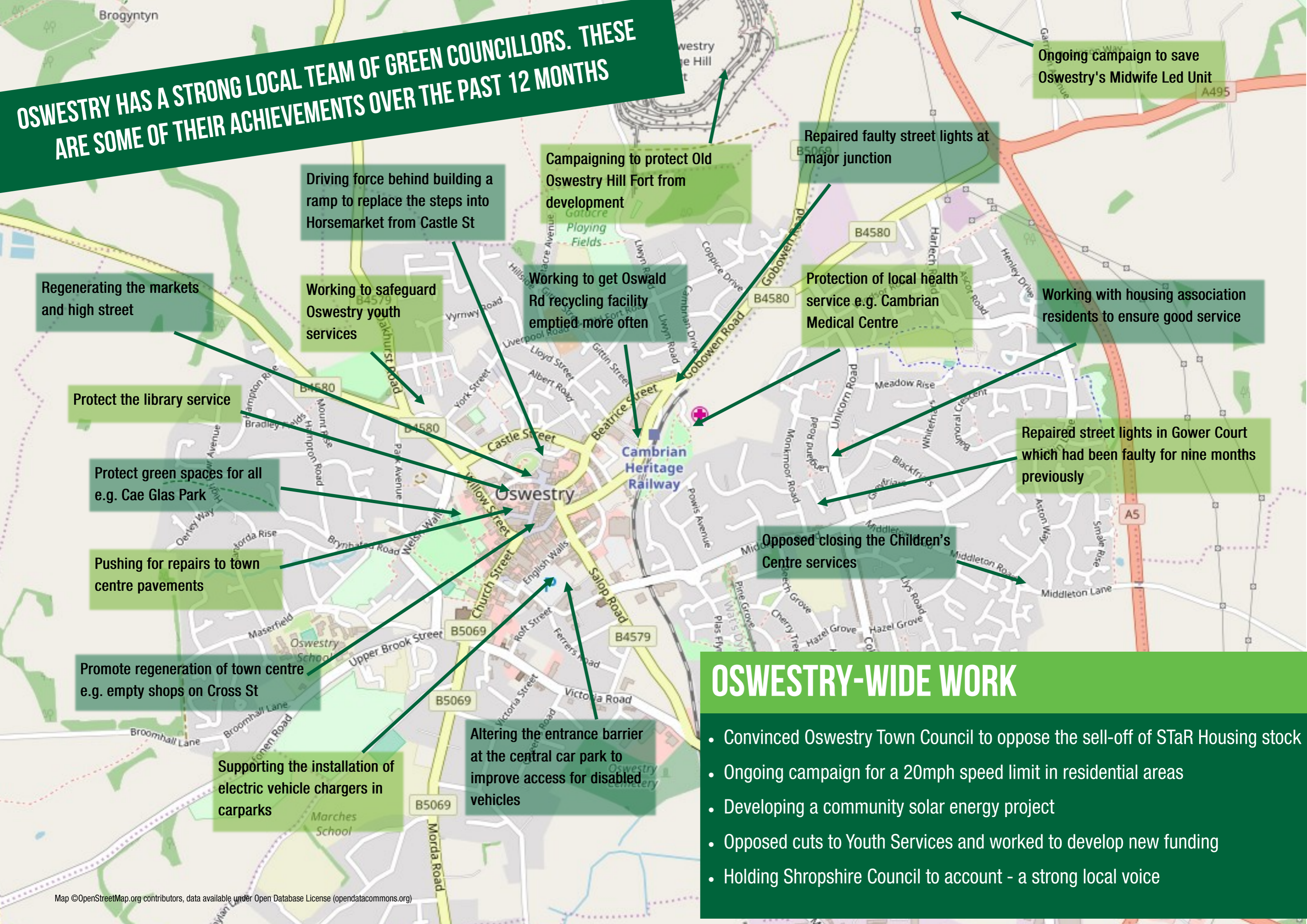


**OSWESTRY HAS A STRONG LOCAL TEAM OF GREEN COUNCILLORS. THESE ARE SOME OF THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS OVER THE PAST 12 MONTHS**



- ## OSWESTRY-WIDE WORK
- Convinced Oswestry Town Council to oppose the sell-off of STaR Housing stock
  - Ongoing campaign for a 20mph speed limit in residential areas
  - Developing a community solar energy project
  - Opposed cuts to Youth Services and worked to develop new funding
  - Holding Shropshire Council to account - a strong local voice

INSIDE: WHAT YOUR GREEN PARTY TOWN COUNCILLORS HAVE DONE FOR OSWESTRY...

## FUTURE FIT: A BAD DEAL FOR SHROPSHIRE

**YOUR LOCAL GREEN PARTY CAMPAIGNERS ARE OPPOSED TO FUTURE FIT. WE THINK THIS SCHEME IS BAD NEWS FOR SHROPSHIRE.**

The Public Consultation is about to begin, running until July. The questions are skewed in favour of Future Fit. There is no "Keep both A&Es, use the money to fund frontline services, not shiny new buildings" option. Instead we are asked to choose between Telford or Shrewsbury losing it's A&E.

### FIND OUT MORE

Your local Green Party has organised a public meeting on Monday 21st May, 7pm at Hermon Chapel, led by Green Councillor Julian Dean who will explain the case against Future Fit. We will also advise how best you can respond to the consultation and make your voice heard.



Cllr Rosie Radford: "Future Fit is a cuts programme. In reality it means £135 less money for local NHS services every year"

### FUTURE FIT CONSULTATION PUBLIC MEETING

21ST MAY, 7PM, HERMON CHAPEL

## ALL WELCOME

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**COUNCILLOR ROSIE RADFORD**

It's an honour to represent the people of Cambrian. I've been working hard in the area and I'm excited to continue this as Councillor. The election may be over, but the real work starts here. I'll be joining the strong existing team of five Green councillors and we will continue to fight for what's best for Oswestry.

**COUNCILLOR DUNCAN KERR**

I've been calling on the Shropshire Unitary Councillors who represent Oswestry to speak out against the decision of Shropshire Council to borrow over £50M to buy shopping centres in Shrewsbury. Oswestry Town Council has already had to step in to save the youth services in the town from further Shropshire Council cuts and they are now threatening to withdraw the small rate relief given to voluntary groups and charities. It's time Shropshire Council got its priorities right.



GREEN TEAM WORKING HARD IN OSWESTRY

## GREENS WIN AGAIN IN OSWESTRY

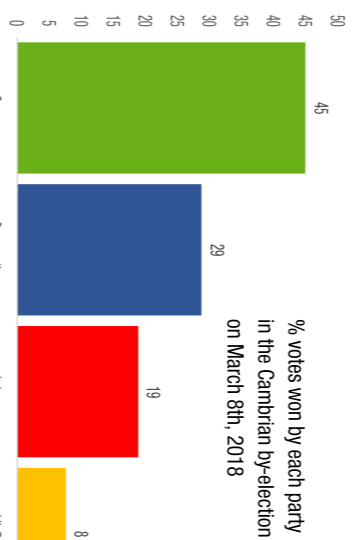
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### A STRONG LOCAL TEAM



YOUR GREEN COUNCILLORS FROM LEFT: MIKE ISHERWOOD, OILLY ROSE, BARRY EDWARDS, NIKKI HUGHES, ROSIE RADFORD, DUNCAN KERR

## ON MARCH 8TH ROSIE RADFORD WAS ELECTED TOWN COUNCILLOR FOR CAMBRIAN WARD



Rosie will be a familiar face to many of you from her stall in Oswestry Market. Rosie recently left the market to open her own cheese deli in Oswestry Town Centre so you might recognise her from there too.



**COUNCILLOR NIKKI HUGHES**

I have been active in campaigning to keep our midwife led maternity unit open. I have also helped many local elderly tenants getting housing repairs sorted.

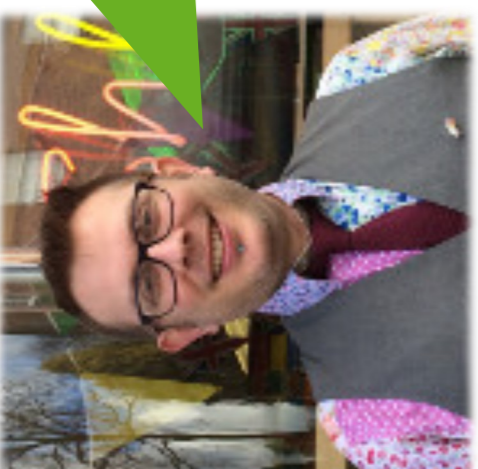
**COUNCILLOR BARRY EDWARDS**

I have been selected by the Council to be its representative on Oswestry Heritage Gateway Group which is encouraging public understanding and appreciation of our Hillfort. Disappointingly the Conservative councillors voted against this representation.



**COUNCILLOR MIKE ISHERWOOD**

Last Autumn I brought a motion to the Council to increase the generation of renewable energy from solar panels. I hope that following public consultation, Oswestry will be able to apply for Government funding to set-up a local community company to install solar panels on the roofs of public and commercial building in the town.



**COUNCILLOR OILLY ROSE**

I have persuaded the Town Council to reduce single use plastics in its own events and meetings and to encourage its tenants and contractors to do likewise. In addition, I am going to look to provide public water fountains to refill bottles. My fellow Green Councillor Mike Isherwood has led by example by using biodegradable straws and cups in his juice bar. I am also the council representative on the Access Group.



## MEET THE OSWESTRY GREEN COUNCILLORS