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## WE ARE NOT THE LIBERAL DEMOCRATS

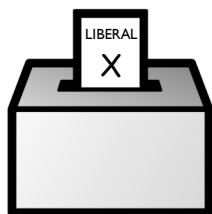
The Liberals have a long history behind many social changes. Lloyd George introduced the state pension. Beveridge designed the NHS. Keynes showed that government spending was needed to stop a recession hurting the vulnerable. All are Liberal values.

# Vote

Thursday 2nd May

# LIBERAL

# Again



<b>BRACKSTONE CARRIE</b>	<b>x</b>
<b>POTTER MIKE</b>	<b>x</b>

### Liberals promise

- Hard Work
- Honesty
- To ask the awkward questions



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# Judge Tory actions **not** promises

<b>TORY PROMISES</b>	<b>TORY &amp; INDEPENDENT ACTIONS</b>	<b>LIBERAL CHALLENGE</b>
<b>Abolish Ryedale District Council</b>	Tories on RDC opposed the 'one council approach'. Every NYCC Tory voted against a single council i.e. Against abolishing RDC.	Liberals voted to abolish all the District councils in North Yorkshire (including Ryedale).
<b>Recycle more</b>	15 years ago RDC was near the top nationwide for recycling. Under the Tories for 12 years, recycling has not improved—other councils have.	Liberals opposed charging for Green Waste. Liberals called for food waste recycling—the Tories won't even consider it.
<b>Clean up our streets</b>	Tories abolished the post of Dog Warden.	Liberals opposed the loss of the Dog Warden.
<b>Delivering Affordable Housing</b>	The need in Ryedale for affordable housing is 200 plus per year, The Tory council has a target of only 75—which on average it struggles to deliver.	Liberals have challenged this for 16 years. Money wasted on Brambling Fields, Wentworth Street Car Park and consultants should have been spent on housing.
<b>Find a solution to the problem of fly tipping</b>	The Tories introduced charging for green waste—a 25% increase in the Council Tax.	Liberals opposed this £40 annual fee. It encourages fly tipping.
<b>Cut congestion</b>	Tories promised this alongside the Brambling Fields Junction. Since then nothing.	Liberals opposed Brambling Fields. We campaigned to improve air quality in Malton and Norton.
<b>Ensure every penny of our council tax is spent wisely</b>	RDC Tories wasted £1½M on a failed Wentworth Street Car Park supermarket. Wasted £1½M on consultants to 'restructure' RDC.	Liberals opposed the Wentworth Street Car Park and the consultants. - both used your money - about £40 per household