



Your **Independent** voice
for **Plaistow North**

Sophia
Naqvi

**Plaistow
North
By-Election**
Thursday
23rd November

It is time to say **NO** to
Newham Labour because
we deserve better.
Elect me as your
Independent
Councillor
for Plaistow North ward

I stand with



**I will hold Newham Council to account
because your concerns are my concerns:**

Fly-tipping & restoring Free Bulky Waste Collection

Restore First Car Free Parking in Newham

Freeze / Lower Council Tax

Extend Free school meals to secondary schools

Tackling crime & anti-social behaviour

Starmer's LABOUR has FAILED you A yellow triangle with a black exclamation mark inside.

My Resignation from the Labour Party

I have resigned from the Labour Party after 10 years being party member.

In solidarity with the Palestinian people caught up in the current conflict, we stand together to express our deep concerns and empathy for their enduring hardships, suffering, and loss.



The deliberate deprivation of essential resources such as water, food, humanitarian aid, and electricity constitutes as a clear violation of the international laws of war.

The Labour leadership, both locally and nationally, have actively tried to stop its members and representatives from speaking out about violations of international law. They have banned certain motions in local branches and have strongly discouraged their members and councillors from attending protests.

We are unwavering in our commitment to our community and will persist in our efforts to denounce racism, Islamophobia and Anti-semitism. Furthermore, we will stand together with our community, advocating for improved conditions and opportunities for the residents of Newham.

Labour leader Sir Keir Starmer said:

"Israel has the right to withhold power and water from Palestinian civilians"
"Israel has the right to defend herself"



Gaza Gaza don't you cry
We will never let you die!

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Palestinian mothers love their children as much as any other mother in the world
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Passionate to provide the best education services for our young people!



I support the campaign to keep our Queens Market



Volunteering at a Local Foodbank



It is unacceptable to see the Newham residents are forced to pay double Emission Charges!

In 2020, the first car permit was free. In 2023, you are now paying hundreds of pounds for your first, second and third cars in the name of emission charges when your car is already ULEZ compliant. So what difference has your money made to clean the air in Newham? Absolutely no difference! Its is just that Newham Council are taking your money. In 2020/21 the Newham Council robbed its own residents and made £11.85 millions from parking penalties. In 2023, these figures are anticipated to go sky high.

2.1 Income – 2020/21

Table 2.1.7 – Parking and traffic enforcement income

Item	Income (£)
Penalty Charge Notice (PCN)	£11,852,926
Removals	£684,770
On Street Pay and Display	£1,040,125
On Street Permits and Vouchers	£5,622,461
Suspensions	£2,049,177
Other Income	£152,400
Total Income	£21,401,858

Do you still want to vote **Labour**?



Newham's Money-Making scheme

Lifting your cars within minutes of the issuance of a Penalty Charge Notice and then forcing you to pay £265 to release your car is purely money-making by Newham Labour council. **Browning Road Bridge** in Newham made over £5millions in fines in 2020. **Disgraceful!** It is just an attack on your hard-earned money when you are struggling to pay for your rents and bills.

Newham Council Tax Increase

In 2018 you were paying **£1118** for a band C property. In 2023, you are paying **£1446**. That's an increase of **£328** or **30%**!

Wake up Newham!

Are you still voting **Newham Labour**?



METROPOLITAN POLICE

Crime report for Plaistow North August 2023

Crimes and priorities

Top reported crimes in this area

Crime map

Our priorities

Click on a hotspot to see more details. Alternatively, view as A-Z list.



Reducing crime in Plaistow North is my priority.

We are backing **Sophia**!



Mehmood Mirza

Independent Councillor (Newham)

I have known Sophia for over a decade. She is an inspirational community activist and trade unionist who selflessly gives her time not only to workers but the local foodbank. Please elect Sophia to be a second Independent councillor in Newham. Sophia Naqvi deserves your vote.

Carel Buxton

Ex-Chair West Ham Labour

Sophia is a teacher and a mother to four children. I have known her for several years beginning when she was the East Ham Labour Party's Women's Officer and I was Chair of West Ham Labour. Sophia is a woman of integrity, a rare quality and much needed on Newham Council. She will serve Plaistow North well as your councillor.



Linda Jordan

Ex-Councilor (Newham)

I am supporting Sophia Naqvi as the independent candidate standing in the by-election in Plaistow North ward. Sophia is a brilliant teacher, a hard-working volunteer at a foodbank, and is active in the community. Like so many people, Sophia can no longer support the Labour Party. The leadership has completely deserted working class people, and in Newham it is clearly incompetent in running the Council. Sophia will be an excellent Councillor.

John Bosco Waigo

Newham Resident

Being a professional boxer, trainer for young people and former olympian, I support Sophia for Plaistow North. She will be an independent voice for Plaistow North and the wider community. Please vote Sophia on 23rd Nov 2023.



Born and raised in Newham, I went to St Stephen Primary school and Plashet school. I am a committed and dedicated teacher for the last ten years with passion to provide the best education service to our young people.

Labour are no longer serving the interests of the working people, they are acting as agents of the Tory Government and fat cats, I will speak out for you. Unlike the other political parties, I am independent

which means that I don't have to listen to a political party's instructions or agenda because you as the resident are my party. I only have to listen to you.

It's time you say No to Newham Labour and elect me as your Plaistow North ward councillor to fight for your rights. Let's make history in Plaistow North once again!

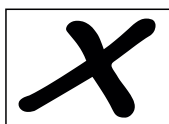
Sophia



Please Vote
#Sophia4PlaistowNorth
for Cleaner Streets

Councillor MEHMOOD MIRZA

VOTE



Sophia Naqvi

on Thursday 23rd November



**A Senior Adviser to Starmer was asked:
How many Gazans have to die
before Labour will call for a Ceasefire.
The reply came: "as many as it takes..."**

Source: Middleeastern Eye

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