

Introducing your new Branch Councillors

Branch Councillors¹ are elected members who work on your behalf to support the positive impact Foresters Financial makes right in your very own community. The number of Branch Councillor candidates matched or was fewer than the number of open positions in your Branch, so there was no need for an election this year.

Your local Nominating Committee reviewed these candidates to ensure they will help focus and support Foresters efforts in your community.

Your Branch is: Yorkshire and East Midlands



JONATHAN COTTAM
Doncaster, South Yorkshire

My name is Jonathan and the values of Foresters in enriching the family and local community, contribute to a good society. I enjoy promoting these values through service in my local area of Doncaster, I see the joy it brings to others. Currently a Branch Councillor, I would like to continue this work.



PAUL LEADLEY
Elland, West Yorkshire

I feel I would make an effective Branch Councillor through the experience gained over the last few years. Through chairing and being a member on different committees. Taking part in community events, experience with conference calls, reports. Having an easy-going nature, team player, good listener.



KATHERINE KEAVENY
Leicester, Leicestershire

As a compassionate and caring school leader, I would use my positive outlook along with my care for others to support and lead. I am keen to make a difference and feel that this role would help to promote Foresters difference with others to ensure we are helping members and community.



ANTHONY MASON
Peterborough, Cambridgeshire

I try to get involved personally with those groups that I represent giving advice and seeking help from others where needed or appropriate. I believe that I have represented fairly and done my best to support and help and am noted for being unable to say no when asked for help.



JUDITH OLDFIELD
Huddersfield, West Yorkshire

I am currently Branch Vice President and would like the opportunity to continue to share my knowledge and experiences for the benefit of all Foresters members and help move the branch forward with the changing future. I am an outgoing person with good computer, communication and organisational skills.



KEITH VINCENT
Peterborough, Cambridgeshire

I have a wide range of experience of working and communicating with other people, both at work and socially. I am enthusiastic in being more involved in the future of Foresters governance as it evolves, and to help ensure members can gain through their experiences with the organisation.



ELIZABETH RUDDLE
Harrogate, North Yorkshire

I have been actively involved in Foresters for many years. I will continue to promote family activities in our community. I bring leadership and communication skills from my work as a residential home manager and voluntary activities including rainbows, brownies, carers support and leisure library.

Your standing Branch Councillors

The Branch Councillors listed below are returning to complete the second year of their term.



KERRY HOLLINGSHEAD
Leicester, Leicestershire



DIANE MARTIN
Elland, West Yorkshire



KENNETH OLDFIELD
Huddersfield, West Yorkshire

¹ To nominate, vote or run for Branch Councillor, you must be a Foresters Financial voting member in good standing.

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