



Sue Doughty MP

Sue Doughty - Standing up for you

Campaigning for our NHS



Sue has regularly worked on behalf of users of the Royal Surrey County Hospital, investigating MRSA allegations.

She often visits the hospital, including Christmas Day.

The plans for the new Cranleigh Health Centre have been strongly supported by Sue who has been very involved in the negotiation and advisory process.

Sue has been at the forefront of the work to secure decent funding and support for users of local psychiatric services, and has challenged the Health Minister on the issue.

Working to protect our environment



As Lib Dem Shadow Environment Minister Sue has worked on many issues including Waste Management with her hard hitting report on Hazardous Waste, Illegal Logging, Animal Rights, the Water Bill, and the Waste and Emissions Trading Bill. Prompt action by her forced the government to respond to the crisis which was leading to complete failure of arrangements for end of life cars. Sue has constantly challenged the government on Climate Change, Pollution and Sustainability.

Fighting for better policing



Sue has fought hard for high quality policing in Surrey. She has raised many issues on behalf of her constituents with the police and has regular meetings to discuss issues which affect local people. She has campaigned for more support for victims of crime.

Here to help you all year round

Sue Doughty's office in Guildford offers a wide range of help and advice. You can contact her at:

53a Woking Road, Guildford, Surrey GUI 1QD

Phone: 01483 306000 **Fax:** 01483 306031

Email: doughtys@parliament.uk

During the week Sue is usually working at the House of Commons. However, her staff at the office are trained to deal with many issues and will be happy to help.

If you wish to see Sue in person, you can make an appointment by calling the constituency office on 01483 306000



Parliamentary Record

Questions in Parliament

Sue has challenged the Health Minister on the provision of mental health services in Guildford.

Other issues covered in the 222 questions tabled by Sue in the last year included:

- Iraq
- Civil Service job losses in Guildford
- The environment
- Limiting children's access to various forms of gambling

Speaking in Parliament:

Sue has spoken in parliament 27 times in the current parliamentary year and is in the top quarter of all MPs for contributing to debates. Sue has:

- Challenged the Prime Minister on the impact of student debt in Guildford.
- Led a debate on school funding in Guildford
- Asked a question on support for victims of crime
- Made a speech on GM crops and the need for greater precaution

Attendance:

Sue has attended 74% of votes this session (amongst the top third of MPs)

Sue has voted for:

- Increasing the state pension
- Scrapping the council tax
- A referendum on the EU constitution

Sue voted against:

- Foundation hospitals
- University tuition fees
- Government's record on sub-Post Offices

Committee work:

Sue plays a major part in the Commons Environmental Audit Select Committee, which has both a national and an international role in protecting our planet's environment. Issues investigated this year included:

- Fly-tipping, Fly-posting, Litter, Graffiti and Noise: the environmental crime sub-committee investigation into the government's success at stopping anti-social forms of environmental damage and disturbance
- GM Foods - Evaluating the Farm Scale Trials
- World Summit on Sustainable Development 2002 - From Rhetoric to Reality

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Sue Doughty - Working in our community



Sue has campaigned strongly against university tuition fees

Sue has been working hard for employees at the former Dennis site, following the demise of Transbus. She has made strong representations to the Government on their behalf to ensure their pensions are protected.

Sue has been campaigning tirelessly against the proposed closure of several Post Offices in Guildford



As a Guiding Ambassador, Sue has visited Brownies and Rainbow groups and has hosted visits by Girl Guides to the House of Commons

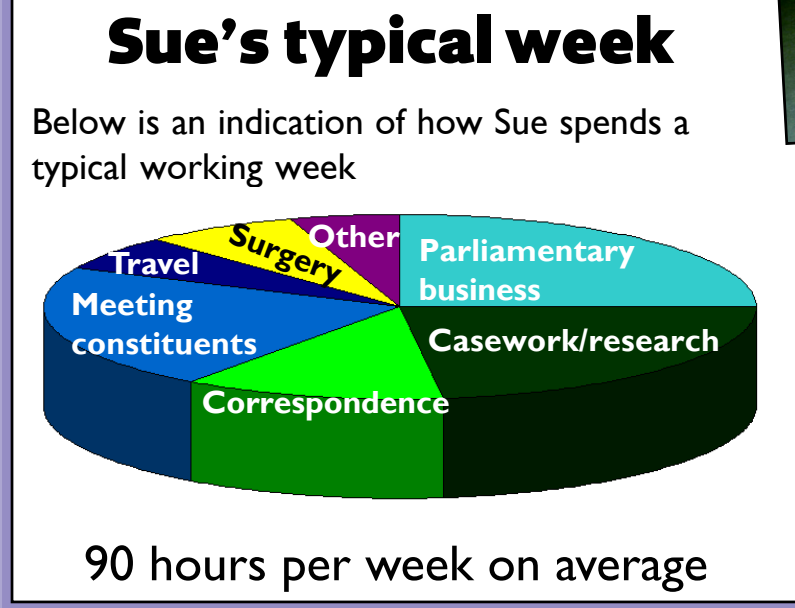
Sue led a debate on the underfunding of Guildford schools to draw the Government's attention to the number of schools which have had damaging cutbacks



Sue has been campaigning for the unfair council tax to be scrapped and replaced with a local income tax based on ability to pay



The high cost of housing in the area is a major problem. Sue has successfully argued for more Government support for affordable housing



What you say about Sue

I hope people will continue to realise what a great MP we have in Guildford

Mr S, Friary & St Nicolas

Thank you for all your kindness, help and support. I truly am, and always will be, grateful.

Mrs D, Cranleigh

It is great to know that someone is listening to our concerns and taking the time to sort them out

Mrs A, Friary & St Nicolas

Thank you for all you and your team do for the Guildford area

Mrs B, Shalford

A big THANK YOU for saving our Post Office.

Ms H, Burpham

Sue Doughty - A record of action

Local MP challenges Tony Blair
Guildford Times, 21/6/03

MP attacks Government waste plan
Cranleigh Times, 22/2/04

MP backs rail discount plans
Surrey Advertiser, 26/6/04

MP puts fight for post office in a letter
Surrey Advertiser, 24/1/03

MP's visit to school is voted a success
Surrey Advertiser, 5/3/04

MP helps with world poverty day
Surrey Advertiser, 24/10/03

MP wants debate on Iraq anxieties
Surrey Advertiser, 17/1/03

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Address _____

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