

# Bletchley and Fenny Stratford Town Deal Board



## **John Cove, Chair of the Board**

John is Chairman of Milton Keynes Dons FC Sport and Education Trust - which develops and delivers education, health, inclusion and sporting projects to the community – and is a Director of the Club. He previously worked for Milton Keynes Council in a range of roles. John is a Trustee of Women Leaders, Chair of Destination Milton Keynes and Chair of StreetGames.



## **Councillor Pete Marland**

Cllr Marland is Leader of Milton Keynes Council and lives in New Bradwell. He was formerly an accountant and worked in the past for Liverpool Football Club. Pete is a SEMLEP Board Member and helped establish the Fast Growing Cities Group of local authorities including Oxford and Cambridge. He is a member of the Resources Board of the Local Government Association and a Trustee of Helen and Douglas House Children's Hospice.



## **Delia Shephard BA, BSc, FSLCC**

Delia joined Bletchley and Fenny Stratford Town Council as Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer in February 2016 and has now spent over 20 years managing local councils and community organisations. Delia supports localism and believes it is vital that local people are directly involved in shaping their communities.



## **Helen Hupton**

Helen has been Clerk to West Bletchley Council (WBC) since 2009. She has 35 years' experience in local government, having worked for six local authorities. Helen supported WBC to become the first local council in Milton Keynes to achieve nationally accredited quality gold status. Helen has played key roles in local strategic partnerships and regeneration projects too.

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**Angie Ravn-Aagaard**

Angie has lived in Milton Keynes for almost 40 years. She moved to Bletchley and her current home in 1997 and takes a keen interest in development plans and proposals affecting the Bletchley community. Angie is currently Chair of COBRA, (Consortium of Bletchley Residents Associations) and Chair of Bletchley Area Resident Association (BPARA), representing BPARA on the Parking and Salden Chase Sub-Committees of West Bletchley Council.



**Hilary Chipping**

Hilary is Chief Executive at the South East Midlands Local Enterprise Partnership (SEMLEP). She leads on setting the strategic economic priorities for the South East Midlands area, working closely with central Government, local authority, regional and private sector partners and the national network of Local Enterprise Partnerships to enable the delivery of infrastructure.



**Ian Revell**

Ian has worked in the Voluntary and Community Sector for over 30 years. As CEO of MK Community Foundation, he leads a team which promotes philanthropy, manages 50+ charitable funds that enable the Community Foundation to give grants to over 180 community organisations, totalling £2m each year. Previously, Ian led the YMCA locally, bringing forward its redevelopment project in CMK.



**Iain Stewart**

Iain Stewart has been the Member of Parliament for Milton Keynes South (which includes the whole Of Bletchley) since 2010. He has been a Government Minister since July 2018 and has been the Government Champion for the Oxford – Milton Keynes – Cambridge Growth Corridor.