



## **County Councillor Pam Posnett Annual Report 2021-22**

I was first elected to LCC in 2009.

I represent Melton East.

On May 19<sup>th</sup> 2021 I handed over my Chairmanship of Leicestershire County Council which I had for 2 years due to the Pandemic to Cllr Dan Harrison.

On May 19<sup>th</sup> I was appointed to Cabinet with my Portfolio being Communities a name which covers a variety of Groups:

- Equalities
- Strategic Plan
- Leicestershire Rural Partnership (Chair)
- Broadband
- LGBTQ
- Black Workers Group
- Parish Councils
- Faith Forum
- Shire Grants
- Armed Forces Lead Member
- I was also appointed to some Outside Bodies representing LCC.
- Melton Business Improvement District Board (Bid)
- Leicestershire and Rutland Community Council Board of Trustees
- Music Services Hub Governing Body
- Sacre (Curriculum of Religious Instruction for schools)
- Wygesston Hospital Governing Body.

On 21<sup>st</sup> June I attended the opening of the Memorial Walk at Watermead Park. An idea given to me by a resident for a memorial for people who had lost their lives due to COVID.

Over the year I have attended Equalities Training (which all members have to attend) and Meetings to discuss any issues relating to Equalities.

I also attended the Race Equalities AGM at The Highfields Centre a really interesting evening where I met lots of people who are doing excellent work in Their Communities.



A visit to St Phillips Centre based in the City were I saw the valuable work they do with schools, both in the City and County.

AS Lead member for Armed Forces I have regular meetings with Armed forces organisation attend events and remembrance service

We have 3 meetings a year were we discuss the applications for Shire Grants to make sure they fit our criteria, unfortunately we cannot afford to support everyone.

Our Broadband Plan is working well we are looking at putting Hubs in some of the Rural Areas to increase their internet.

I attend regular meetings and updates on all the Groups I work with.

A little look at what I do a very mixed bag but very rewarding working with so many different groups of people.

Obviously a lot of our services were affected by the Pandemic but we are slowly getting back on track

### **Personal Interests**

I Chair Melton Learning Hub and Melton Mencap Governing Bodies.

I am a Trustee of Melton Young Singles Trust (a Homeless Charity)

In my leisure time I love travelling Theatre and good food