

**Good News**

**People power works!**

- \*\* Four out of ten bags of sugar, a third of all bananas and one in four packs of roast and ground coffee sold in this country are Fairtrade.
- \*\* Tesco offers paid placements and jobs to people on work experience scheme!  
Following claims that it was using benefit claimants for unpaid labour, Tesco will now offer paid placements with a guarantee of a job to people on work experience through a government scheme. Claims that it was using benefit claimants as unpaid labour led to a consumer backlash and in-store protests.

**...and the bad news**

**Northern General Hospital**



NGH is under huge pressure to cut costs. This is leading to ever more

- Black alerts
- Emergency cases piling up in corridors
- Ambulances and paramedics attending patients at the A and E and not available for immediate call outs
- Waiting lists up

Pressure on the service to reorganise in line with Tory dogma is going to make things even worse.

Northampton Labour are:

- ✓ Fighting to stop billions being wasted on an unwanted reorganisation
- ✓ Pledging to protect 6,000 nurses
- ✓ Working for an NHS that puts patients first

Your ward councillors are campaigning

- ✚ To restore street lighting, protect PCSOs and maintain CCTV coverage
  - ✚ To improve licensing-to increase regulation for taxi cabs and improve the licensing service for clubs and pubs
  - ✚ For Unitary status for Northampton
- We know that Northampton could provide better services for schools, social care and health, roads, and provide better value for money.

*Useful Numbers*

Cllr Danielle stone	01604 632 016
Cllr Aziz Rahman	07737545236
Cllr Winston Strachan	01304 470 395
Police, fire, ambulance	999
Non- emergency police	101
Electricity	0800 0280247
Gas	0800 111999
Water	084 57 145145
Northampton General Hospital	01604 634 700
GP out of hours	03336 664 664
Northampton Borough Council	0300 330 7000
Street Doctor	045 601 1113

- Please let us know what your priorities are
- PCSOs
  - Restore Street Lighting
  - Defend the NHS
  - Unitary status for Northampton

*Name*

*Address*

*Email*

*If you would like to become a Labour supporter please tick here*