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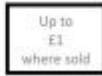
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Council News

Surrey County Council under pressure over safeguarding review



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Surrey County Council is facing growing calls to come clean about when it will publish the findings of its independent review into how it dealt with Pride in Surrey and ... [Read More](#)

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Surrey County Council LGR leaflet misleading claim



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By email:

22nd September 2025

Dear Alison,

Potential Corruption of Due Process associated with Surrey's Local Government Reorganisation

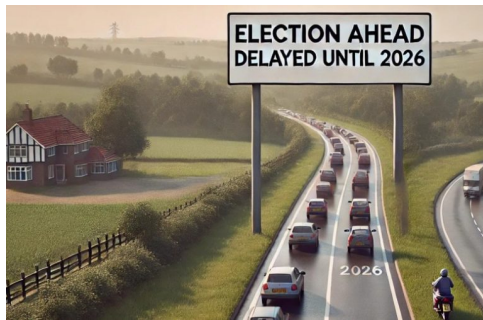
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Claims of potential corruptions of due process have been levelled at key figures linked to Surrey County Council's local government reorganisation (LGR) plans. The charges were put in a letter ... [Read More](#)

Council Elections



Surrey elections: Democracy delayed, democracy denied?



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Surrey's politicians have clashed over rumours that Conservative council leaders have tried to stop local elections taking place next year. An article in The Times this week, by Max Kendix, ... [Read More](#)

Council Planning Westminster

Surrey home extension charges aired in Parliament



20 October 2025

"Complex and inflexible" rules that unintentionally and "unfairly penalise" homeowners with six-figure fines "for the apparent crime of building a home extension" will be reexamined, the housing minister has said. ... [Read More](#)

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Epsom's Rugby Team Make Light Of Missing Men To Go Top



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LibDems continue to rise in Surrey



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Editorial

Local government reform or just more layers?



17 October 2025

EDITORIAL When Whitehall speaks of “streamlining” local government, most people imagine fewer tiers of decision-making, simpler accountability, and a shorter distance between citizen and power. Yet, as the



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Where do we stand on local government reorganisation in Epsom and Ewell and the County?



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The future shape of local government in Surrey is moving into its final stage, with national and local plans converging on the abolition of all borough, district and county councils ... [Read More](#)

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Epsom Hospital's support for bereaved mum of baby



17 October 2025

A Tadworth mother whose baby died tragically from a rare infection aged only eight days has praised the nurses and midwives who supported her family during "the darkest time in ... [Read More](#)

Environment News

Epsom Downs leftovers



15 October 2025

Heaps of leftover racing dirt and old equipment have been abandoned on Epsom Downs, prompting criticism of the “weed-infested eyesores”. Epsom Civic Society has raised the alarm over soil heaps ... [Read More](#)

Council Environment

Ewell High Street gets a cleaner bill of health



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Epsom and Ewell Borough Council’s Environment Committee has agreed to revoke the Air Quality Management Area (AQMA) for Ewell High Street, marking a major milestone in local environmental improvement. The ... [Read More](#)