

## 26<sup>th</sup> of April 2024 North East Election News

Inclusion North will update you in 2024 on what elections are happening, how you can vote and what different politicians are saying about important issues.



There are 3 different elections on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 2024.

- Local Council elections
- Combined Authority or Mayoral elections
- Police and Crime Commissioner elections



A person who wants to be elected is called a candidate.

Inclusion North have contacted the candidates for the Combined Authority elections. Sometimes these elections are called the Mayoral elections. Your vote will help decide who is the Mayor.



We have also contacted the candidates for the Police and Crime Commissioner elections. Your vote will help decide who is the Police and Crime Commissioner. The Commissioner decides what problems the police should look at.



We asked each person up for election or candidate the same question.

We asked...

## What does inclusion for people with a learning disability and autistic people mean to you?



Lots of the candidates sent us an answer. Some of the candidates did not.



We have made some accessible information which has their answers.

The information shows

- A picture of each candidate.
- Their answer to the question.
- · Which party they are standing for.



Some candidates do not have a political party. They stand as Independents.



You can access the easy read information on our website.

If you would like Inclusion North to send you a copy please contact <a href="mailto:info@inclusionnorth.org">info@inclusionnorth.org</a> or ring us on 0113 244 4792

## More information about the elections taking place on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2024



To find out more about the elections happening where you live on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2024, you can use the website called Who Can I Vote For.



The website address is

www.whocanivotefor.co.uk



You just need to know the postcode of where you live.



There is also lots of accessible information on the My Vote My Voice website.