## Types of council

## County councils – Warwickshire County Council 01926 410410, CC Chris Williams – <a href="mailto:chriswilliams@warwickshire.gov.uk">chriswilliams@warwickshire.gov.uk</a>

These are responsible for services across the whole of a county, like:

- education
- transport (report potholes 01926412515)
- planning
- fire and public safety
- social care
- libraries
- waste management
- trading standards
- Street light faults (01926 412515)

## District councils – Stratford District Council 01789 267575 – DC John Feilding – john.feilding@stratford-dc-gov.uk 07966698239

These cover a smaller area than county councils. They're usually responsible for services like:

- rubbish collection
- recycling
- Council Tax collections

- housing
- planning applications

Parish, community and town councils – Tysoe Parish Council – contact details <a href="http://www.tysoe.org.uk/parish-council/parish-councillors-areas-of-responsibility/">http://www.tysoe.org.uk/parish-council/parish-councillors-areas-of-responsibility/</a> email: Parishclerk.tpc@gmail.com

These operate at a level below district and borough councils and in some cases, unitary authorities.

They're elected and can help on a number of local issues, like providing:

- allotments
- public clocks
- bus shelters
- community centres
- play areas and play equipment
- grants to help local organisations
- consultation on neighbourhood planning

They also have the power to issue fixed penalty fines for things like:

- litter
- graffiti
- fly posting
- dog offences