

## **Mission Statement**

**To protect and improve Arundel for all.**

**Arundel Town Council will implement policies and strategies that are sustainable, environmentally friendly, present best value and will endeavour to support residents' initiatives to improve community life.**

### **Environment**

To ensure that town is always visually presented at its best and that all responsible authorities maintain their resources properly and promptly.

Bearing in mind the guidelines and recommendations of the Arundel Design Statement and the current Neighbourhood Plan, the Council recognises the importance of an ongoing programme of repairs and renewals in the town.

### **Outreach**

To make contact and liaise with all relevant local bodies and organisations whose objectives are consistent with ATC's overall mission statement.

### **Tourism and Leisure**

To ensure, in so far as is achievable by ATC, that all residents and visitors get the best possible experience and value from their time in Arundel. The council will promote healthy activities including walking, cycling and swimming.

### **Affordable Housing**

ATC recognises the need for affordable housing for Arundel's younger community and will support initiatives helping to meet this need.

### **Traffic**

ATC will lobby and liaise with the responsible bodies to improve transport within, to and from the town, including appropriate and co-ordinated traffic calming, parking and road safety schemes.

### **Crime Prevention**

Arundel Town Council fully supports the Police and all agencies of the Law in providing a safe and secure environment for Arundel's residents and visitors.

### **Economy**

The Council will support Arundel's businesses in maintaining a balanced and thriving local economy for the benefit of both residents and visitors, bearing in mind both local and national issues.

### **Health**

The council will back all efforts to ensure the continuance and improvement of all health facilities in the area.

### **Public Open Spaces and Allotments**

The importance of Arundel's public open spaces and allotments is fully recognised, and the Council will endeavour to ensure they are maintained and improved.

### **Green Living**

Protection of the local environment will be a key priority by encouraging 'sustainable living' through recycling and reduction of consumption.

### **Town Hall**

To maintain the fabric of the building so that it can be retained and improved for the benefit of the community.