

Summary on a Page – MARK HELYAR

I am committed to tackling Guernsey's biggest challenges with practical solutions. My top priority is fixing the housing crisis - by working with builders and developers to solve practical problems, not just writing more government reports. I will push for urgent action on new staff accommodation at the hospital and the stalled Leale's Yard project, so we can increase housing supply, and will support the GHA's new projects to their completion as well as the work of our new housing committee, which I supported in its creation.

I believe government must be accountable and efficient. Too many decisions are made without proper political oversight, and the public sector has grown too large and costly. I will fight for reforms that put decision-making back in the hands of elected representatives, cut waste, and ensure you can hold politicians to account, as well as looking for other solutions to the provision of services including outsourcing and increased use of the third sector.

On tax and spending, I have worked tirelessly to protect our economy and avoid unnecessary tax and cost rises, including bringing a requete to try and reduce the number of deputies. The new GST+ package I helped design means 60% of households will pay less tax overall, with significant protections for pensioners and lower earners.

I have also led efforts to broaden our tax base responsibly, including the introduction as treasury lead of the Pillar II corporate tax proposals, raising £30m or more for Guernsey so that we can rebuild our infrastructure without putting our Island's economy and our future at risk.

Guernsey needs a clear, unified plan for economic growth-one developed by our industries, not imposed by government. I will bring all sectors together to create real opportunities for our people, ensure that regulation is proportionate, and keep our economy strong.

If you want experience, accountability, and results - vote for me. No flag waving without justifiable and reasonable solutions, no "jam tomorrow" - I will always be straight and put Guernsey's interests first.