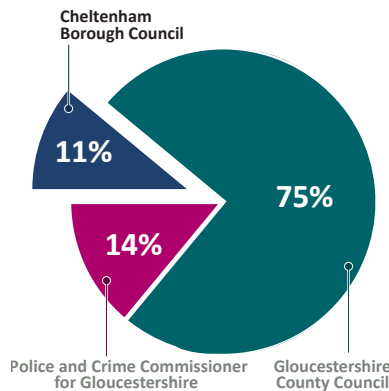


Did you know

Approximately 11% of your total council tax bill goes to Cheltenham Borough Council.



We are committed to delivering high quality, value-for-money services.

Some of the services we are proud to provide...



Parks and green spaces



Community development



Recycling and waste collection



Planning and development



Leisure and culture



Street cleansing



Regeneration - investing in your town



Council housing and homelessness support



Bereavement services

Some of our plans for this year will be to:

Golden Valley

Together with our development partner, we're aiming to achieve detailed planning permission for the first phase of the offices and event space including the associated infrastructure such as sewers, electrical supply, and stormwater drainage. We will also be appointing a building contractor to begin the construction of this phase.



Green Flag awards for the fantastic parks across the borough

We look forward to continuing to work with friends groups and resident associations to improve and enhance existing facilities in our parks.



Continue to improve our kerbside recycling service

Residents can now recycle a huge variety of materials at the kerbside, such as paper, tin, glass, cardboard, plastics and batteries, small electricals and textiles, with a trial in some areas of soft plastics. 'Bring bank' sites at various locations around the borough also provide a good option, especially for those with limited space at home.





An update on housing at Cheltenham Borough Council:

Direct management of our council homes

Following the Social Housing (Regulation) Act, the council took the decision to bring the management of our council-owned homes back in house. It is more important than ever that we work directly with our tenants to understand their needs and respond to issues directly. This decision will continue to generate efficiency savings and offer an improved service to our tenants.

Affordable housing delivery across Cheltenham

The council delivered 49 affordable homes during 2023/24, with a further 25 anticipated between April 2024 and end of March 2025. A further 230 affordable council-owned homes are anticipated to be delivered in the next few years. We will continue to explore opportunities to increase the delivery of council-owned affordable homes even further.

Elections

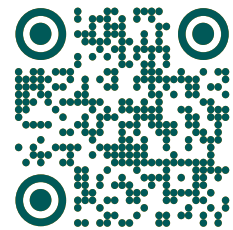
The next scheduled elections to take place in Cheltenham will be the County Council elections to be held on **Thursday 1 May 2025**. Some polling stations have changed, residents are encouraged to refer to their poll card to check if there is a change to their polling station.

Voter ID

If you want to vote in person, including anyone acting as a proxy on your behalf, you'll need to bring an accepted form of photo identification (ID) to the polling station.

Voters who do not produce valid photo ID or a Voter Authority Certificate, will not be allowed to vote on the day. The photo ID must be an original, it cannot be a photocopy or show on a device. A free Voter Authority Certificate is available if you do not have photo ID. You can apply online at gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate or in person at the Municipal Offices.

You can apply for a postal vote until 5pm on Monday 14 April.



For more information about Voter ID, scan this code

www.cheltenham.gov.uk/voter-id

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Win cash prizes for getting your recycling right with LitterLotto® AtHome™ and Cheltenham Borough Council. Every item you put in the right box or bag will earn you an entry into the prize draw. Each month, one lucky resident is guaranteed to win a monthly cash prize of £100, you will also be entered into a national £1000 weekly jackpot.

Scan to download the app and start sorting today!