

STANDARDS COMMITTEE

The Committee has a majority of independent members, one of whom chairs the committee, plus one councillor each from the Liberal Democrat and Labour Groups.

Father Jim Kennedy

Father Jim, who chairs the committee, has worked as an ordained Roman Catholic Priest in the Copenhagen Street area since 1980. He has acted as the chair for the Docklands Forum, as a member of the neighbourhood and as chair of the community representatives of the Kings Cross Partnership. Father Jim is also Borough Dean for Islington for the catholic church.

Jo Michie

Jo has lived in the borough for over 27 years and is a Justice of the Peace sitting in the Inner London and City Family Proceedings Court and the Inner London Youth Court.

She is also a partner in a business which works independent to T.V. documentaries together with their accompanying books, CDs etc.

John Gilbert

John is a partner in an in international law firm. His legal career follows ten years in the public sector, working as a overseas civil servant in Hong Kong. He has lives in the borough with his family for the past thirteen years.

Matthew Saunders - Substitute Member

Matthew is a solicitor with a large city law firm. He has acted as a volunteer advisor at the North Islington Law Centre and has lived in Islington ?? years.

Councillor Derek Sawyer

Derek is the Labour Group Chief Whip and former Leader of the Labour Group and the Council. Derek has been a councillor since 1982.

Councillor Terry Stacy

Terry is a member of the Liberal Democrat Executive on the Council, responsible for Performance. He has been an Islington councillor since May 2002 having previously been a councillor at Tower Hamlets.