

Gateshead

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Related subject: Number of councillors

Gateshead council is one of the biggest councils in the UK and the number of functions taken on by the council has diminished and been constantly cut or reduced in size, and yet the council tax remains one of the highest. The number of councillors needs to be reduced to accommodate the reduced functionality of the council services offered. More accountability needs to be taken by the councillors for the waste of money on pointless cycle and bus schemes for example which has actually increased traffic volume around Gateshead central area and yet they still proceed with clean air zones. Reducing the number of councillors may give the people more say as they might actually listen to their views and promote them instead of their own agenda which has been going on for too long.

Attached Documents:

None attached