

Gateshead

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I think we have disproportionately too many councillors per population head than comparable Northern cities/towns, and the 2nd highest in England. At the national average this would be 40 not the current 66. As well as saving significant money, I agree with the Lib Dem argument that a reduced number would make decision making and leading easier, more efficient and effective.

Why on earth does Gateshead council need a far bigger number of councillors than other councils? It does not seem to have translated in any way to better leadership and governance.

Attached Documents:

None attached