

THE CHOICE FACING LONDON

MORE WASTE

MORE SPIN

MORE BLAME

WITH KHAN

LESS CRIME

CLEANER

TRANSPORT

MORE HOMES

WITH A PLAN

TO DELIVER



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Khan's Crime Record

On the Mayor's watch violent crime in London has soared. In the past three years, knife crime has increased by 52%, robbery by 59%, and gun crime by 30%.

AS MAYOR, SADIQ KHAN HAS:

Wasted taxpayers' money by choosing to increase culture spending, City Hall bureaucracy, and TfL perks instead of putting extra police officers on the streets.

Flip-flopped on stop and search, undermining efforts to curb the rise in knife crime. Instead of backing our police, Khan's played political games.

Let police numbers fall below 30,000 for the first time in 10 years by failing to recruit enough officers, despite having the budget for a thousand extra cops.



Our Plan To Cut Crime

We have published a fully-costed alternative budget for London that would save £83 million and put an extra 1,378 police officers on the beat to keep our city safe.

OUR CRIME PLAN WOULD:

Put more police on our streets by prioritising policing over City Hall bureaucracy, TfL perks, trade union facility time and cultural projects.

Give police officers the political top cover they need to use intelligence-led stop and search to take knives off our streets.

Protect London's brave police officers by allowing all cops to carry tasers, improving counselling services, and calling on the government to speed up investigations against police officers.



Khan's Housing Record

Londoners know the housing crisis is not getting better under Sadiq Khan's mayoralty, but worse. The Mayor has broken his housing promises and failed to deliver the homes our city needs.

PROMISE BROKEN: Khan promised to start building 10,000 homes on TfL land by 2020, but after three years he's started just 322.

FALSE CLAIMS: Sadiq Khan claims to have started a record number of affordable homes as Mayor of London. However, in his first three years as Mayor, Boris Johnson started 10,000 more homes than Khan.

RENT CONTROLS: Sadiq Khan has pledged to introduce rent controls in London, despite a report by the London Assembly showing it could reduce rental stock by up to 62%.



How to build more homes

City Hall could help deliver the homes that Londoners need if the next Mayor reversed Sadiq Khan's damaging decisions.

OUR PLAN TO BUILD MORE HOMES:

Remove Sadiq Khan's ban on new homes being developed on large swathes of brownfield land which has severely limited the land available for development.

Restore the target to build more family-sized homes which the Mayor scrapped. In the past two years, the number of homes built for families has fallen by a third, despite overcrowding in London increasing. London needs homes for young families to grow.

Step up house building in London. Sadiq Khan has £4.82 billion to build 116,000 affordable homes by 2022, but he's only managed to deliver his minimum targets by fiddling the figures. To make housing more affordable we need to increase the supply by removing the obstacles to building the homes that Londoners need.

Khan's Climate Hypocrisy

The Mayor's climate record is one of virtue signalling and hypocrisy. Sadiq Khan's only green act as Mayor has been to rush Boris Johnson's Ultra Low Emission Zone in central London giving working people, charities, and small businesses less time to prepare.

PROMISE BROKEN: The Mayor promised a "major tree planting programme" to plant two million trees by 2020. After three years, he's only planted 175,000.

KHAN'S DIRTY SCHOOL RUN:

A shocking 89% of London's schools in air pollution hotspots are served by dirty TfL diesel buses, breaking his promise to transform the air we breathe.

HYPOCRISY: Sadiq Khan and his team have racked up 280,000 air miles, producing 180,000 tonnes of CO₂, despite the Mayor declaring a climate emergency.



Cleaning up London's air

London needs a targeted approach to clean up the pockets of air pollution outside of the central London ULEZ.

OUR PLAN TO CLEAN UP LONDON'S AIR:

Accelerate the increase in hybrid, hydrogen and electric buses to ensure that NO2 pollution hotspots are served by cleaner buses as soon as possible. Cancelling Khan's ULEZ extension to the North and South circulars would save £780 million - enough to clean up a third of London's buses.

Expand electric vehicle use within inner and central London by improving the charging infrastructure, supporting electric car clubs, and bringing forward an electric vehicle hire scheme.

Promote freight consolidation schemes for pollution hotspots. This is where a group of companies, usually in the same area, agree to have their deliveries co-ordinated to reduce the number of lorries travelling into London.

KHAN DERAILED

Sadiq Khan's financial mismanagement of Transport for London has led to many upgrades being delayed or cancelled.

CROSSRAIL: The Elizabeth Line has been delayed for more than two years after the Mayor took his eye off the ball, costing Londoners £30 million each week.

BAKERLOO LINE: The extension down Old Kent Road to Lewisham has been put on hold due to lack of cash.

NORTHERN LINE: The extension to Battersea was scheduled to open next year, but it has been delayed until September 2021.

STATION UPGRADES: Both the Camden Town and Holborn station upgrades have been delayed because of a lack of funds.

HAMMERSMITH BRIDGE: The bridge has been shut to vehicles indefinitely, and TfL has struggled to help due to its financial problems.

SUTTON TRAM: The long-promised Sutton Tramlink isn't even mentioned on TfL's list of potential projects anymore.

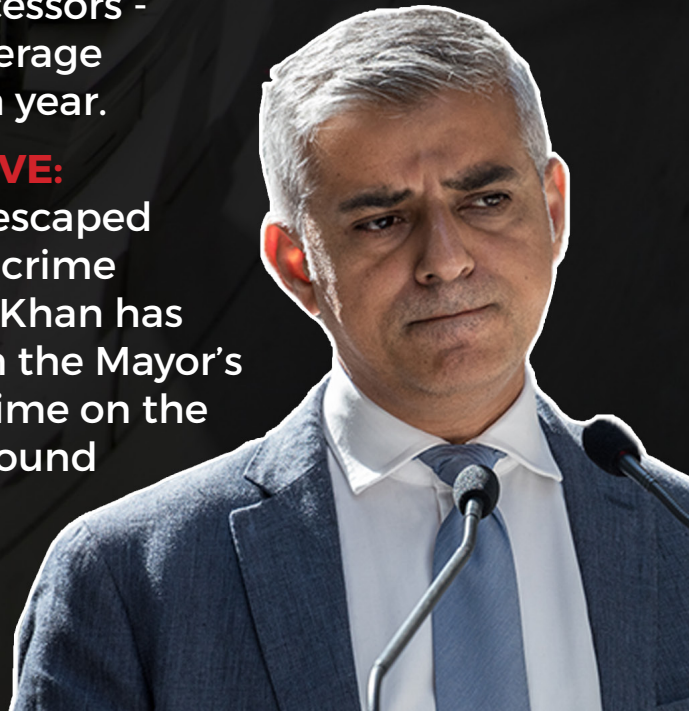
PROACTIVE ROAD MAINTENANCE: TfL has stopped the work to cut costs, despite their own warning it will increase congestion.

TFL DEBT: Londoners will be paying for Sadiq Khan's mismanagement for years to come as TfL's debt reaches record levels. The Mayor has **maxed out TfL's credit card** by borrowing £11 billion. The situation is set to get worse, with Sadiq Khan's £640 million partial fares freeze resulting in TfL's budget deficit reaching nearly £1 billion last year.

**HOW LONG UNTIL TFL PAYS ITS DEBTS?
ONLY 580 YEARS**

PROMISE BROKEN: Sadiq Khan promised there would be "zero days of public transport strikes if I am elected Mayor," but the Mayor now has a worse strike record than any of his predecessors - racking up an average of over 6 strikes a year.

TUBE CRIME WAVE: The Tube hasn't escaped London's violent crime epidemic which Khan has failed to curb. On the Mayor's watch, violent crime on the London Underground **has risen by 43%** in three years.



KHAN'S WASTE

As Mayor, Sadiq Khan has wasted millions of pounds instead of putting more police on London's streets.

£21 MILLION ON CITY HALL STAFF

The Mayor has increased City Hall staffing budget by an **unprecedented 58%** despite London being no more complicated to govern than it was three years ago.

£9.4 MILLION ON SPIN

Sadiq Khan prioritised PR above police officers after he increased his spin doctor budget by a whopping 34%. Sadly, he has a better record of recruiting spin doctors, than police officers.

£10.8 MILLION FOR TRADE UNIONS

Under Khan, the cost of Transport for London staff working for trade unions during work hours has doubled, reaching record levels. The Department of Work and Pensions, a similarly sized department, spends 93% less than TfL on staff working for unions.

£10 MILLION ON PERSONALITY TESTS

The Met spent millions to determine the colour of police officers' personalities....

£11 MILLION MORE ON CULTURE

In the face of soaring violent crime, the Mayor has doubled his culture budget, claiming it is a “crucial part” of his work to cut crime. His crucial culture programme included spending £30k on a bicycle ballet...

£700K ON TWO BEACH PARTIES

This summer, Newham was treated to a second ‘beach party’ complete with a paddling pool, for the small bill of £300k. Sadly, Sadiq Khan wasn’t as generous when it came to policing the borough after knife crime increased by 12% in Newham.

£25 MILLION LOST ON JUNK FOOD BAN

The Mayor has lost TfL an estimated £25 million after banning junk food adverts on the tube. So far, his ban has removed a poster because it pictured strawberries and cream, but TfL still allows Deliveroo to advertise KFC...

£42 MILLION LOST ON NOMINEE PASSES

A travel staff perk enjoyed by TfL staff cost a record £42 million last year. The perk allows current and retired TfL staff to nominate a member of their household for free travel, and it can even be their housemate....

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HOLDING THE MAYOR TO ACCOUNT

The Mayor of London is responsible for our city's policing, house building and public transport. The London Assembly is tasked with scrutinising the Mayor and ensuring that City Hall is working for Londoners.

MAYOR'S QUESTION TIME

The London Assembly questions the Mayor ten times a year. This is our opportunity to challenge the Mayor on his failure to deliver, broken promises, and wasteful spending.

WHAT WE'VE DELIVERED

GLA Conservative campaigns have delivered real change for Londoners.

- 1) CCTV ON CENTRAL LINE:** Transport for London has agreed to roll out CCTV on the Central line three years earlier to curb sexual assaults on the tube after our campaign.
- 2) SPIT GUARDS:** After campaigning for London's police officers to be given spit guards, Sadiq Khan finally agreed this year to roll them out.
- 3) STOP & SEARCH:** We pressured the Mayor into stepping up stop and search to take more knives off London's streets.



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LEADING THE DEBATE

We regularly publish policy reports that investigate the challenges facing our city and what can be done to solve them. Our recent reports included:

THE ALTERNATIVE BUDGET FOR LONDON:

We've set out a fully-costed budget for London that would put an extra 1,378 police officers on our streets by cutting Sadiq Khan's City Hall waste and spin.

IN HARM'S WAY: Assaults against police officers have increased by over 80% in three years. We've set out what more can be done to protect our police officers.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY: Labour is planning to introduce a 'pay as you drive' charge in London. This report explains why their plan would hammer hard-working families.

MAKING LONDON AUTISM FRIENDLY:

There is far more we can do in London to ensure our city works for everyone. This report recommends providing mandatory training for police officers, TfL staff, and firefighters on autism.

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