

# Gateshead

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**Related subject:** Birtley, number of councilors.

We have too many elected officials. In this current climate of double digit inflation we should be trying to reduce cost wherever possible. My view is that the number of councillors in the Gateshead area should be cut to a level in line with the national average of 40, less if practicable. Also scrap the post of police and crime commissioner, which is a totally unnecessary cost

## Attached Documents:

*None attached*