

# The LGA in the East of England

**Councillor William Nunn - Regional Peer**  
**Gary Hughes – Principal Adviser**  
**James Mehmed – Programme Manager**

# East of England - Team



Rachel  
Litherland  
Principal  
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Programme  
Manager



James  
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Manager



Kirsty  
Human  
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# East of England – Regional Peers



**William  
Nunn**

**Conservative  
(Breckland)**



**Bryony  
Rudkin**

**Labour  
(Ipswich)**



**Sarah  
Butikofer**

**Liberal  
Democrat  
(North  
Norfolk)**



**Ron  
Woodley**

**Independent  
(Southend)**

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# East of England - Wider Team

- Gill Elliot - Equalities
- Andrew Hardingham and Stephen Fitzgerald - Finance Improvement and Sustainability
- Andrew Bunyan - Children's Improvement
- Claire Bruin - Care and Health Improvement
- Cheryl Davenport – Managing Director  
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# East of England Councils

- 50 Councils - 5 County, 6 Unitary & 39 Districts
- 6 Fire & Rescue Authorities
- 6 Police & Crime Commissioners
- 1 National Park - Broads Authority
- 1 Combined Authority – Cambridgeshire & Peterborough



# East of England – Hot Topics

- Financial Sustainability
  - Communities, Equality, Diversity and Inclusion
  - Growth and Economic Regeneration – Post COVID
  - Climate Emergency
  - Adults, Children's and Health
  - Decision Making and Governance
  - Digital Innovation and Cyber Security
  - Local Plans
  - Housing and Prevention of Homelessness
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**What are your hot topics?**

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# Recent support in the region

- Post election support / Councillor induction and development
  - Peer Challenges – inc Corporate Peer Challenge
  - Remote peer support
  - Children's and Adults programmes
  - Peer support - Financial improvement, equalities, planning, communications
  - Sharing best practice/case studies
  - Lobbying – understanding local issues
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**What are your support needs?**

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# For more information

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