



Unite Alliance
Independent • Democratic • Industrial

Executive Council Candidate 2017

Construction



Steve Blakemore



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Dear Colleague

I am a 42 year old Electrician, Father of 3 from Stoke on Trent. I came into the Construction industry late in life after I left the Army. I have worked on-sites (house Bashing) and in council maintenance, one thing remains the same, greedy bosses.

That's why I helped to create the Unite National Forum within Kier, to raise the profile and influence of the union, and the critical issues affecting members. But that's not enough, there needs to be better communication from the union and more engagement with members.

That's why I am standing as a Unite Alliance candidate in this election.

Unite rep Alliance share a strong common belief that ordinary members are best served by Industry focused, democratic and above all independent representation. Our members are concerned about their jobs, their earnings and their working conditions and it is our belief that it is upon these areas that our union must urgently refocus.

Many representatives, like myself, work hard to make sites safe and we have had some real successes, but it is regular inspections from the HSE that help make employers maintain a safe workplace too.

Its time for us to make our great union a truly member led union, we need:

- More union recruitment so that we can lead a stronger fight
- Improved terms and conditions and an end to bogus self-employment contracts and over use of agency labour.
- An end to the illegal and immoral practice of blacklisting.
- Protection of our right to work in a safe place, free from intimidation.

Vote for me to lead a united workforce in the fight for safety and standards, terms and conditions, for the future.

I hope you will vote for Chris Haigh and Meurig Thomas and myself.

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UNITE Executive Council Election 2017

Your Shop Steward/Union Reps committee at:

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is supporting the candidates listed below and therefor is recommending you vote for these candidates when you receive your ballot papers;

Industrial Sector Seats		
	Candidate Name	
Construction	1.	Steve Blakemore <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	2.	Meurig John Thomas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	3.	Chris Haigh <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Regional Seats		
	Candidate Name	
	1.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	2.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	3.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	4.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

National Seats		
	Candidate Name	
BAEM (1)	1.	Hamed Chohan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
LGBT (1)	1.	Iain Croker <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Disabled Members (1)	1.	Alex Dewinter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Young Members	1.	Alexandra Haworth <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



WE NEED YOU TO VOTE!