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Bexley Labour Group has a new Shadow Cabinet

Bexley's Labour Group of councillors have announced their Leader and frontbench team for the 2022/23 municipal year.

At last night's annual council meeting, Cllr Stefano Borella officially became the Leader of Labour Group with Cllr Mabel Ogundayo being appointed Deputy Leader of the Labour Group.

Speaking after the meeting, Cllr Stefano Borella said "I am proud to serve another year as Leader of the opposition and look forward to continue highlight the difference a Labour Council would make over a Conservative Council to help more residents dealing with the cost of living crisis and a Conservative Council that have done nothing to deal with the housing crisis in Bexley"

Cllr Ogundayo said "I look forward to highlighting the difference a Labour council would make to Bexley residents in creating a better transport links like extending the Dockland Light Railway to Thamesmead and Belvedere, dealing with fly tipping and bringing more council services in house where appropriate to give more accountability to public services."

Bexley Labour group will continue to campaign to improve the quality of lives for Bexley residents to build council housing again and genuinely affordable housing, improve bin collections and street cleansing, deal with fly tipping, review parking charges in our town centres to support local businesses, improve public transport links and combat crime.

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Notes to editors

Bexley Labour's new front bench team is made up of:

Cllr Stefano Borella, Leader – Budget and Corporate Policy

Cllr Mabel Ogundayo, Deputy Leader – Places; Climate Change, Transport, Environment and Leisure.

Cllr Daniel Francis, Finance and Corporate Services

Cllr. Zainab Asunramu, Children's Services and Education

Cllr Nicola Taylor, Adult Social Care and Health

Cllr Chris Ball, Communities, Regeneration and Housing