

Your story can curb council cuts - speak to your MP

Local councils across the UK are struggling to deliver vital services, which has put the public at risk. However we have a unique opportunity to change this. The government's weak majority means they are particularly vulnerable to pressure from your MP and we are going to force them to invest more money in local government at the November budget.

You can make this happen. Visit your MP in person at their regular constituency surgery meeting. Tell them firsthand why you and your family are struggling and the impact increased investment would make to

your community. Your personal story is what will persuade MPs to use their influence.

- Arrange to attend your MPs surgery. Check their website to see when it is or email them to book.
- Let your local UNISON branch know. They can support you.
 We've got a handy guide to lobbying MPs which is a good start.
- 3. Meet your MP and tell them your story. We've also got evidence from across the UK, which might help you convince them how severe the problem is.

See how you can get involved in the campaign at unison.org.uk/saveourservices

