

ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

PAST AND PRESENT CHAIRMEN Name	Area	Date
Andrew Johnston	Woodford	1889-1916
William Swaine	Theydon Gernon	1916-1929
Chisenhalemarsh Sir Christopher George Musgrave	Snaresbrook	1929
Herbert Edmund Brooks	Grays	1929-1931
John Henry Burrows	Hadleigh	1931-1933
Arthur Porter	Romford	1933-1937
Hugh De Havilland	Great Horkeley	1937-1941
Colonel Gilbertson Smith TD	Brentwood	1941-1946
Percy Astins	Walthamstow	1946-1948
Joseph Hewett	Loughton	1948
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Frank Savin Foster CBE	Loughton	1949-1952
William James Bennett CBE	Chadwell St Mary	1952-1955
Sir Frank Savin Foster CBE	Loughton	1955-1958
William James Bennett CBE	Chadwell St Mary	1958-1960
Charles Edward Leatherland OBE	Buckhurst Hill	1960-1961
George Frederick Chaplin CBE	Great Warley	1961-1965
Sidney Woodfull Millard	Broomfield	1965-1968
Brig Thomas Frederick James Collins CBE	Ashdon	1968-1971
Elizabeth Coker	Danbury	1971-1974
Geoffrey Waterer	Halstead	1974-1977
Stanley George Barnett	Chigwell	1977-1980
Robert George Reginald Daniels	Theydon Bois	1980-1983
Ronald Millward Williams	Hadleigh	1983-1986
Robert William Dixon Smith	Coggeshall	1986-1989
Paul Edward Winston White	West Hanningfield	1989-1992
Kathleen Mary Nolan	Woodham Walter	1992-1993
Beverly Ann Barton	Chadwell St Mary	1993-1994
Thomas Edward Dale	St Osyth	1994-1995
James Joseph Gordon	Rayleigh	1995-1996
William Archibald DL	Basildon Fryerns	1996-1997
Ronald John Kennedy BEM,JP,DL	Victoria	1997-1998
David Frederick Rex	Frinton-On-Sea	1998-1999
Joan Beard	Great Baddow	1999-2000
Joseph William Pike	Halstead	2000-2002
Edmund Anthony Peel	Tolleshunt D'Arcy	2002-2004
Christopher Benbow Manning-Press DL	Mersea and Stanway	2004-2006
Gerard William McEwen	Ongar	2006-2008
Elizabeth Marion Hart	Hockley and Hullbridge	2008-2010

Rodney Lister Bass	Great Totham	2010-2012
Kay Twitchen OBE	Billericay and Burstead	2012-2014
Norman John Hume	South Woodham	2014-2016
John Francis Aldridge	Broomfield and Writtle	2016-2018
John Gilbert Jowers	Mersea and Tiptree	2018-