



## UNISON Campaign Briefing October 2020

On 1st April 2021 the eight existing County, District and Borough councils in Northamptonshire will be abolished and two new councils will be formed; West Northamptonshire and North Northamptonshire.

**Council services in Northamptonshire need to work**. Over the last few months, it has been clear how much we all rely on our local services whether we are local residents, businesses, the staff who work in those services, or all of the above.

The difficulties in the management of Northamptonshire County Council are well known. The forming of two new Councils must provide Northamptonshire with real change. In these uncertain times the retention and recruitment of committed well qualified staff is crucial to delivering high quality services in Northamptonshire. A county that doesn't work for us all, is a county that doesn't work.

## That's why we're launching our 'Northamptonshire Needs to Work' campaign.

Things you can do;

1. Like our Facebook & twitter and share/retweet.

## https://twitter.com/NorthantsN2W

## https://www.facebook.com/NorthantsN2W

2. Go to our campaign page; - Please share the link! https://eastmidlands.unison.org.uk/campaigns/northamptonshire-needs-work/

Where you can;

- A. Sign our petition,
- B. leave a message of support
- C. Submit a photo holding one of our campaign cards.
- 3. Encourage your friends, family and colleagues to sign the petition and to give their support to our campaign page.

Are you a UNISON member? Interested in becoming a 'Campaign Ambassador' for your workplace? Email <u>unisonprotectnorthants@gmail.com</u>