

**HARROW VOTES**  
**THE LONDON BOROUGH OF HARROW, 2002-2021**

**A Handbook of Borough Election Results**

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