

## Wiggin not considered to be a 'good MP'

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Change.org has published [The People-Power Index: How did your MP score?](#) listing all current MPs (ie. those elected in 2017) in order of 'goodness'.

Bill Wiggin (Conservative - North Herefordshire) is listed as 595th (out of 650).

Change.org used ten data sources to make the index: these measure the following (in priority order):

1. Your MP's availability to their constituents.

This looks at how your MP is available online (email and social media), offline (holding "surgeries" in your local area and a caseworker), and whether your MP is distracted by a second (or third) job;

2. Your MP's participation in Parliament.

This looks at your MP's participation record for voting in Parliament, so that your constituency is counted when new laws are passed, and how often your MP raises issues from your constituency in Parliament;

3. How an MP listens to the public.

An MP's top priority is their constituency, but they also have a responsibility to the wider general public to bring political attention to public campaigns and priority issues by discussing them in Parliament.

**Update:** Even a certain J. Rees-Mogg came in at 555th and his ERG chum Marc François (whose French surname is spelt here as it should be - with a cedilla) was 560th. Jesse Norman (Conservative - Hereford and South Herefordshire) did somewhat better, at 341st position. It has come to something when former senior Tories Sir John Major and Lord Heseltine are both advocating voting for independents or Lib Dems. However, voting tactically in North Herefordshire would be pointless, according to <https://tactical.vote/north-herefordshire> - not surprising since even a sheep with a blue rosette attached to it would stand too good a chance of getting in....  
("Numquid quis oves mentionem? Speeble. Squirp.." "Errm.. Yes, Boris - no, Boris....")

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-aMjAJApyg4>

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Jonathan Pie's rant about austerity and Boris's appalling track record says it all:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MjUWX6S8iYU>

Warning: contains colourful language. *Nil illegitimi carborundum...*