

My vision for the Green Party

Hi Green Party members,

I am putting myself forward for the role of Deputy Leader because I believe now is the time for us all to come together and fight for our vision for Ireland as a safe, equal and sustainable country.



Our Green Party: Right Now

- We are facing one of the most consequential elections in our party's history. We must focus on a general election campaign that is dynamic, fearless and ideas driven.
- Having served in government the Green Party can offer a unique perspective to the electorate on how the systems and organisations of the Irish state can be developed or remade to foster a society that is person centred, kind and in harmony with the natural world
- The Green Party has the quality and strength of ideas to transform our communities - that can be a challenging place to be and it is why some political groups seek to demonise the Green agenda. It is also an opportunity to advocate for change in every corner of the country.

Our Green Party: Next Steps

I believe that, as with the last time we served in government, there is an opportunity post the next election to re-engage with our core values as a party. As Deputy Leader I will:

- Support us as a party that keeps the climate emergency at its core but that recognises national and international social justice concerns
- Strengthen one of the most unique aspects of our party, our member led policy and party structures
- Lean in to the unique status of the Green Party as a non-sectarian, all Ireland political grouping. In the next few years Ireland will need leadership on cross border cooperation and interconnectivity.

Some Information About Me

I live in Cabra with my husband, three children (ages 12, 9 and 6), a dog and a cat. I trained as an architect and worked in both the private and public sector for almost 20 years in that field. Prior to winning a council seat in 2019 I was a full time carer for my oldest child. I am originally from Limerick city.