



Chichester City Council
Full list of Mayors of Chichester from 1242 to
the present day

1239	Emery De Rouen	1556	John Diggins
1242-46	Roger Pluket	1557	John Ward
1249	William Le Taverner	1558	Roger Payne
1250	Roger Pluket	1559	Peter Topott
1251	Roger Germayn	1560	John Cook
c.1255	Geffrey De Westrate	1561	Thomas Farrington
1262	Henry Kitebereg	1562	Thomas Hitchcock
Tre.	Henry III. Henry De Selda	1563	Thomas Adams
1279	Henry Prikelowe	1564	Lawrence Adrew
1284	Robert Pluket	1565	John Moyses
1287	Richard Danyel	1566	William Barcomb
1290	William or Walter De Eartham	1567	John Diggins
c.1300	William De Whitsond	1568	Ralph Chandler
1340	John Stubbe	1569	John Thecomb
1348	John De Boxgrove	1570	Thomas Blake
1377	Walter Oving	1571	Thomas Farrington
1378	John Hebbe	1572	John Cook
1382	John Syn	1573	Thomas Adams
1383	John Hebbe	1574	Ralph Chandler
1384	John Hebbe	1575	John Moyses
1386	Adam Enghere	1576	Thomas Stillman
1394	William Neel	1577	Thomas Blake
1396	John Hebbe	1578	John Cook
1407	Thomas Pacching	1579	Thomas Adams
1408	John Hay	1580	William Holland
1409	John Mumford	1581	Robert Smith
1411	John Smolyng	1582	Robert Adams
1418	William Farnhurst	1583	Ralph Chandler
c.1425	Thomas Pole	1584	Thomas Turges
1426	Henry Grenlef	1585	John Farrington
1435	John Smolyng	1586	George Chatfield
1437	John Sherer	1587	August Hitchcock
1440	William Hore	1588	William Holland
1451	John Hilly	1589	Edward Manning
1452	Simon Dyere	1590	John Cawley
1455	Simon White	1591	Thomas Hill
1459	Simon White	1592	Roabert Adams
1479	William Jacob	1593	John Farrington
1486	John Exton	1594	John Roeman
1493	William Heth	1595	John Lyving
1495	Richard Exton	1596	Richard Reese
1496	William Feythfull	1597	William Holland
1502	Thomas Woolger	1598	Ralph Chandler
1505	John Cresweller	1599	George Chatfield (Died May 4th)
1512	Richard Exton		August Hitchcock (Served Out)
1519	Thomas Vulgar	1600	Edward Manning
1522	John Adyson	1601	John Cawley
1523	John Hardham	1602	Richard Greenfield
1524	John Cresweller	1603	Thomas Hills
c.1529	Augustine Cresweller	1604	Thomas Byret
1530	William Broadbridge	1605	John Comber
1531	William Broadbridge	1606	Robert Adams
1532	Robert Bowyer	1607	Peter Palmer
1533	John Mollins	1608	Edward Lawrance
1534	John Lane	1609	John Exton
1535	John Hardham	1610	Thomas Brigggham
1536	Elisha Bradshaw	1611	John Ransom
1537	Elisha Bradshaw	1612	Richard Keare
1538	William Broadbridge	1613	John Cawley
1539	John Boyes	1614	George Andrew
1540	John Castleman	1615	Benjamin Hooke
1541	Robert Bowyer	1616	William Strudwick
1542	John Mollins	1617	Thomas Norton
1543	August Creswell	1618	Thomas Farrington
1544	John Lane	1619	Thomas Collins
1545	John Blandford	1620	Henry Shelly
1546	Robert Bowyer	1621	John Shalat
1547	John Knott	1622	Righard Triggs (Died June 1st)
1548	John Diggins		Edward Lawrance (Served Out)
1549	Thomas Hitchcock	1623	John Greenfield
1550	Briant Banks	1624	Peter Fox
1551	Robert Bowyer	1625	George Green
1552	John Knott	1626	William Strudwick
1553	Nicholas Exton	1627	John Hobson
1554	Richard King	1628	John Pannett
1555	John Castleman	1629	Thomas Farrington
		1630	Benjamin Hooke
		1631	Thomas Collins
		1632	Henry Chitty
		1633	John Greenfield

1634	John Palmer	1723	George Harris
1635	Stephen Humphrey	1724	John Harris
1636	William Handslaw	1725	John Lang
1637	George Green	1726	Benjamin Covert
1638	John Hobson	1727	George Murray
1639	John Pannett	1728	Henry Peckham
1640	Thomas Farrington	1729	John Sanden
1641	Robert Exton	1730	Francis Sone
1642	John Bartholomew	1731	Benjamin Covert
1643	Thomas Ball	1732	Henry Peckham
1644	Robert Colpis	1733	John Sanden
1645	Nicholas Dallender	1734	Robert Norton
1646	Thomas Collins	1735	Charles Duke of Richmond & c
1647	John Palmer	1736	Peter Buck
1648	Edward Hobson	1737	Thomas Till (Died Aug 14th)
1649	Stephen Humphrey		Peter Buck (Served Out)
1650	Thomas Farrington	1738	Robert Norton
1651	Nicholas Exton	1739	Thomas Samden
1652	Randolph Tuttee	1740	John Dear
1653	Thomas Wheeler	1741	Thomas Wall
1654	John Aylwin	1742	William Battine
1655	Richard Manning	1743	Thomas Langrish
1656	William Stamper	1744	Charles Duke of Richmond & c
1657	John Wood	1745	Thomas Wall
1658	Francis Hobson	1746	John Butler
1659	Richard Mitchell	1747	Robert Norton
1660	William Burry	1748	Sir John Miller Bt
1661	Anthony Williams	1749	Gideon Murray
1662	John Greenfield (Died March 5th)	1750	James Clayton
	Mark Miller (Served Out)	1751	Henry Smart
1663	Nicholas Exton	1752	Joseph Baker
1664	Thomas Burry	1753	Richard Buckner
1665	Edward Exton	1754	Robert Bull
1666	Thoams Valler	1755	Yarrall Johnson
1667	Richard Young	1756	Gideon Murray
1668	William Day (Died Oct 6th)	1757	John Murray
	Thomas Miller (Served Out)	1758	Richard Barker
1669	Stephen Penfold	1759	William Higgens
1670	Richard Braman	1760	Joseph Baker
1671	William Burry	1761	William Fletcher (Died Aug 15th)
1672	Francis Hobson		Joseph Baker (Served Out)
1673	Robert Baker	1762	Edward Blaxton
1674	Edward Exton	1763	Lord Geo. Lennox
1675	Richard Young	1764	John Shore
1676	Thomas Valler	1765	Francis Dear
1677	Stephen Penfold	1766	Robert Norton
1678	Thomas Miller	1767	William Smith
1679	William Jennings	1768	William Johnson
1680	William Costellow	1769	Thomas Jones
1681	Henry Peckham	1770	Thomas Sanden
1682	Robert Thornden	1771	Yarrall Johnson
1683	Robert Tayer	1772	Lord Geo. Lennox
1684	Robert Tayer	1773	Richard Buckner
1685	William Costellow	1774	John Coert
1686	Henry Peckham	1775	Richard West
1687	Richard Manning - (Dismissed by Order of Council Feb 20th)	1776	John Peerman
	Robert Haslen (Served Out)	1777	William Knott
1688	George Stamper - (Dismissed by Proclamation Sept 24th)	1778	Richard North
	Francis Goater (Served Out)	1779	Henry Mullins (Died March 5th)
1689	John Clowdesly		Richard North (Served Out)
1690	Richard Dally	1780	William Johnson
1691	Robert Thornden	1781	Richard Halsey
1692	Richard Braman	1782	John Dearling
1693	Robert Smith	1783	Charles Buckner
1694	John Sedgwick	1784	John Newland
1695	Francis Goater	1785	John Drew
1696	John Sowton	1786	William Smith
1697	John Clowdesly	1787	William Ridge
1698	Richard Dally	1788	John Murray
1699	Robert Haslen	1789	James Harvey
1700	Thomas Hammond	1790	Loftus Nunn
1701	William Costellow	1791	Robert Quennell
1702	John Sherer	1792	John Blagden
1703	John Sowton	1793	John Crawford
1704	Robert Smith	1794	Richard Murray
1705	Richard Godman	1795	Thomas Jones
1706	Sir John Miller Bt	1796	John Clement
1707	James Vavasor	1797	John Newland
1708	Thomas Carr	1798	John Drew
1709	John Elson	1799	William Ridge
1710	Thomas Hammond	1800	John Murray
1711	John Lang	1801	John Blagden
1712	John Clowdesly	1802	Charles Lennox
1713	Richard Nash	1803	John Crawford
1714	William Collins	1804	Thomas Trew
1715	Thomas Nevill	1805	Samuel Cobby
1716	Thomas Hammond	1806	Thomas Rhoades
1717	John Sowton	1807	John Quantock
1718	Nichols Covert	1808	Richard Murray
1719	John Lang	1809	William Humphrey
1720	John Costellow	1810	J. Sholto Douglas
1721	Williams Collins	1811	W. Chas Newland
1722	Henry Peckham	1812	Richard Merricks

1813	Thomas Trew	1903	Peyton T. Mackeson
1814	Samuel Cobby	1904	Peyton T. Mackeson
1815	Sir G. Murray	1905	Walter L. Gibbings
1816	Miles Rowe	1906	Walter L. Gibbings
1817	Thomas Rhoades	1907	John Ogburn Holt
1818	James Powell	1908	John Ogburn Holt
1819	Charles H Smith	1909	George M. Turnbull
1820	William Ridge Junr	1910	George M. Turnbull
1821	William Humphrey	1911	George M. Turnbull
1822	Charles S Dickins	1912	S. Archibald Garland
1823	W. Chas Newland	1913	S. Archibald Garland
1824	Harry Comper	1914	S. Archibald Garland
1825	Edward Humphry	1915	S. Archibald Garland
1826	Thomas Humphry	1916	S. Archibald Garland
1827	Thomas Mills	1917	S. Archibald Garland
1828	Charles Ridge	1918	S. Archibald Garland Kt
1829	William Gruggen	1919	George M. Turnbull
1830	Edward H Cobby	1920	Joseph R. Hobbs
1831	William C Rhoades	1921	Joseph R. Hobbs
1832	William Titchener	1922	Herbert S. Aylmore
1833	Harry Comper	1923	A. Fred Lewis
1834	William Ridge	1924	A. Fred Lewis
1835	William Ridge	1925	A. Fred Lewis
1836	Henry Co	1926	A. Fred Lewis
"	Thomas Howe Clarke	1927	Arthur H. Bostock
1837	Benness Adames	1928	Myles Burton
1838	George Irving	1929	Myles Burton
1839	W. Chas Newland	1930	William H. Leggatt
1840	Wm Woodroffe Dendy	1931	William H. Leggatt
1841	Joseph McCarogher M.D	1932	George T. Apps
1842	William Titchener	1933	Charles C. Allen
1843	William Gruggen	1934	Charles C. Allen
1844	Henry Silverlock	1935	William H.G. Napper
1845	Robert Raper	1936	William H.G. Napper
1846	William Mason	1937	Walter O. Stride
1847	Edward Wm. Johnson	1938	Walter O. Stride
1848	Nicholas Tyacke M.D	1939	Walter O. Stride
1849	James Woodman M.D	1940	Walter O. Stride
1850	James Gates	1941	Walter O. Stride
1851	William Gruggen	1942	Walter O. Stride
1852	Joseph McCarogher M.D	1943	Walter O. Stride
1853	Allen Duke M.D	1944	Walter O. Stride
1854	Henry Wright	1945	Cecil D. Herniman
1855	Edward Wm. Johnson	1946	Cecil D. Herniman
1856	Edward Wm. Johnson	1947	Thomas J. Eastland
1857	George Henty	1949	Thomas J. Eastland
1858	Chas. Townsend Halsted	1950	G. A. Russell Purchase
1859	Joseph McCarogher M.D	1951	G. A. Russell Purchase
1860	Robert Geo. Raper	1952	Frank E. Worley
1861	Joseph McCarogher M.D	1953	Alice F. Eastland
1862	Nicholas Tyacke M.D	1954	Alice F. Eastland
1863	William Duke	1955	L. Evershed-Martin
1864	Edward Wyatt	1956	L. Evershed-Martin
1865	Thomas Smith	1957	Charles J. Newell
1866	Robert Geo. Raper	1958	Charles J. Newell
1867	Robert Geo. Raper - (resigned Sept 14th)	1959	William G.S. Pope
	Samuel Merricks (Served Out)	1960	William G.S. Pope
1868	Samuel Merricks	1961	John M. Selsby
1869	Samuel Merricks	1962	John M. Selsby
1870	Robert Geo. Raper	1963	William Brookes
1871	Robert Geo. Raper	1964	William Brookes
1872	John Caffin	1965	Harry Bell
1873	John Caffin	1966	Harry Bell
1874	Edward Habin	1967	E. Robert Stephens
1875	Charles John Atkey	1968	E. Robert Stephens
1876	Chas. Townsend Halsted	1969	S.J. Watson
1877	Robert Geo. Raper	1970	Thomas H. Siggs
1878	Sharp Garland	1971	John Myles Gilbert
1879	John Caffin	1972	James Seddon
1880	Edward Collins	1973	Peter F. Weston
1881	Robert Geo. Raper	1974	George E. Tullett
1882	Robert Monk Church	1975	Kathleen F. Smith
1883	Robert Geo. Raper	1976	Patrick D. Combes
1884	Robert Geo. Raper (Resigned Aug 25th 1885)	1977	Terence M. France
	Alfred S Bostock (Served Out)	1978	William A. Doody
1885	Alfred S Bostock	1979	Ursula Hogg
1886	William Smith	1980	Ursula Hogg
1887	William Smith	1981	Philip L. Coombes
1888	William Smith	1982	Terence M. France
1889	Sir Robert G Raper. Knight	1983	Anne Scicluna
1890	Francis V Paxton	1984	Colin Paul Tupper
1891	Alfred S Bostock	1985	Anthony J. French
1892	William Smith	1986	John C. Rankin
1893	William Smith	1987	Leonard C. Eyles
1894	William Smith	1988	Martin J. French
1895	Ebenezer Prior	1989	Colin Paul Tupper
1896	Adolphus Ballard	1990	R. James Payne
1897	Adolphus Ballard	1991	John C. Rankin
1898	Sharp Garland	1992	F. John Wilton
1899	R. Combe Miller	1993	Anne Scicluna
1900	R. Combe Miller	1994	G. Patricia Hooley
1901	Peyton T. Mackeson	1995	R. James Payne
1902	Peyton T. Mackeson	1996	Clare M M Apel

1997	Raymond E Brown
1998	Barry Fletcher
1999	Eva French
2000	Peggie Frost
2001	Michael Shone
2002	David Siggs
2003	Jean E. Le Bourlier-Woods
2004	Michael Shone
2005	Richard E. Plowman
2006	J. Rob Campling
2007	Raymond E Brown
2008	David Siggs
2009	Michael Woolley
2010	Michael Woolley
2011	Anthony J. French
2012	Anne Scicluna
2013	Alan Chaplin - resigned (Dec 19th) John F Hughes (Served Out)
2014	John F Hughes
2015	Peter J Budge
2016	Peter J Budge
2017	Peter Evans
2018	Martyn Bell

