



Chichester City Council

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

1239	Emery De Rouen	1565	John Moyse
1242-46	Roger Pluket	1566	William Barcomb
1249	William Le Taverner	1567	John Diggins
1250	Roger Pluket	1568	Ralph Chandler
1251	Roger Germain	1569	John Thecomb
c.1255	Geffrey De Westrate	1570	Thomas Blake
1262	Henry Kitelbere	1571	Thomas Farrington
Tre.	Henry III. Henry De Selda	1572	John Cook
1279	Henry Prikelowe	1573	Thomas Adams
1284	Robert Pluket	1574	Ralph Chandler
1287	Richard Danyel	1575	John Moyse
1290	William or Walter De Eartham	1576	Thomas Stillman
c.1300	William De Whitsond	1577	Thomas Blake
1340	John Stubbe	1578	John Cook
1348	John De Boxgrove	1579	Thomas Adams
1377	Walter Oving	1580	William Holland
1378	John Hebbe	1581	Robert Smith
1382	John Syn	1582	Robert Adams
1383	John Hebbe	1583	Ralph Chandler
1384	John Hebbe	1584	Thomas Turges
1386	Adam Enghere	1585	John Farrington
1394	William Neel	1586	George Chatfield
1396	John Hebbe	1587	August Hitchcock
1407	Thomas Pacching	1588	Willam Holland
1408	John Hay	1589	Edward Manning
1409	John Mumford	1590	John Cawley
1411	John Smolyng	1591	Thomas Hill
1418	William Farnhurst	1592	Roabert Adams
c.1425	Thomas Pole	1593	John Farrington
1426	Henry Grenlef	1594	John Roeman
1435	John Smolyng	1595	John Lyving
1437	John Sherer	1596	Richard Reese
1440	William Hore	1597	William Holland
1451	John Hilly	1598	Ralph Chandler
1452	Simon Dyere	1599	George Chatfield (Died May 4th)
1455	Simon White		August Hitchcock (Served Out)
1459	Simon White	1600	Edward Manning
1479	William Jacob	1601	John Cawley
1486	John Exton	1602	Richard Greenfield
1493	William Heth	1603	Thomas Hills
1495	Richard Exton	1604	Thomas Byret
1496	William Feythfull	1605	John Comber
1502	Thomas Woolger	1606	Robert Adams
1505	John Cresweller	1607	Peter Palmer
1512	Richard Exton	1608	Edward Lawrance
1519	Thomas Wulqar	1609	John Exton
1522	John Adyson	1610	Thomas Briggham
1523	John Hardham	1611	John Ransom
1524	John Cresweller	1612	Richard Keare
c.1529	Augustine Cresweller	1613	John Cawley
1530	William Broadbridge	1614	George Andrew
1531	William Broadbridge	1615	Benjamin Hooke
1532	Robert Bowyer	1616	William Strudwick
1533	John Mollins	1617	Thomas Norton
1534	John Lane	1618	Thomas Farrington
1535	John Hardham	1619	Thomas Collins
1536	Elisha Bradshaw	1620	Henry Shelly
1537	Elisha Bradshaw	1621	John Shalat
1538	William Broadbridge	1622	Righard Triggs (Died June 1st)
1539	John Boyes		Edward Lawrance (Served Out)
1540	John Castleman	1623	John Greenfield
1541	Robert Bowyer	1624	Peter Fox
1542	John Mollins	1625	George Green
1543	August Creswell	1626	William Strudwick
1544	John Lane	1627	John Hobson
1545	John Blandford	1628	John Pannett
1546	Robert Bowyer	1629	Thomas Farrington
1547	John Knott	1630	Benjamin Hooke
1548	John Diggins	1631	Thomas Collins
1549	Thomas Hitchcock	1632	Henry Chitty
1550	Briant Banks	1633	John Greenfield
1551	Robert Bowyer	1634	John Palmer
1552	John Knott	1635	Stephen Humphrey
1553	Nicholas Exton	1636	William Handslaw
1554	Richard King	1637	George Green
1555	John Castleman	1638	John Hobson
1556	John Diggins	1639	John Pannett
1557	John Ward	1640	Thomas Farrington
1558	Roger Payne	1641	Robert Exton
1559	Peter Topott	1642	John Bartholomew
1560	John Cook	1643	Thomas Ball
1561	Thomas Farrington	1644	Robert Colpis
1562	Thomas Hitchcock	1645	Nicholas Dallender
1563	Thomas Adams	1646	Thomas Collins
1564	Lawrence Adrew	1647	John Palmer

1648	Edward Hobson	1739	Thomas Samden
1649	Stephen Humphrey	1740	John Dear
1650	Thomas Farrington	1741	Thomas Wall
1651	Nicholas Exton	1742	William Battine
1652	Randolph Tuttee	1743	Thomas Langrish
1653	Thomas Wheeler	1744	Charles Duke of Richmond & c
1654	John Aylwin	1745	Thomas Wall
1655	Richard Manning	1746	John Butler
1656	William Stamper	1747	Robert Norton
1657	John Wood	1748	Sir John Miller Bt
1658	Francis Hobson	1749	Gideon Murray
1659	Richard Mitchell	1750	James Clayton
1660	William Burry	1751	Henry Smart
1661	Anthony Williams	1752	Joseph Baker
1662	John Greenfield (Died March 5th)	1753	Richard Buckner
	Mark Miller (Served Out)	1754	Robert Bull
1663	Nicholas Exton	1755	Yarrall Johnson
1664	Thomas Burry	1756	Gideon Murray
1665	Edward Exton	1757	John Murray
1666	Thoams Valler	1758	Richard Barker
1667	Richard Young	1759	William Higgens
1668	William Day (Died Oct 6th)	1760	Joseph Baker
	Thomas Miller (Served Out)	1761	William Fletcher (Died Aug 15th)
1669	Stephen Penfold		Joseph Baker (Served Out)
1670	Richard Braman	1762	Edward Blaxton
1671	William Burry	1763	Lord Geo. Lennox
1672	Francis Hobson	1764	John Shore
1673	Robert Baker	1765	Francis Dear
1674	Edward Exton	1766	Robert Norton
1675	Richard Young	1767	William Smith
1676	Thomas Valler	1768	William Johnson
1677	Stephen Penfold	1769	Thomas Jones
1678	Thomas Miller	1770	Thomas Sanden
1679	William Jennings	1771	Yarrall Johnson
1680	William Costellow	1772	Lord Geo. Lennox
1681	Henry Peckham	1773	Richard Buckner
1682	Robert Thornden	1774	John Coert
1683	Robert Tayer	1775	Richard West
1684	Robert Tayer	1776	John Peerman
1685	William Costellow	1777	William Knott
1686	Henry Peckham	1778	Richard North
1687	Richard Manning - (Dismissed by Order of Council Feb 20th)	1779	Henry Mullins (Died March 5th)
	Robert Haslen (Served Out)		Richard North (Served Out)
1688	George Stamper - (Dismissed by Proclamation Sept 24th)	1780	William Johnson
	Francis Goater (Served Out)	1781	Richard Halsey
1689	John Clowdesly	1782	John Dearing
1690	Richard Dally	1783	Charles Buckner
1691	Robert Thornden	1784	John Newland
1692	Richard Braman	1785	John Drew
1693	Robert Smith	1786	William Smith
1694	John Sedgwick	1787	William Ridge
1695	Francis Goater	1788	John Murray
1696	John Sowton	1789	James Harvey
1697	John Clowdesly	1790	Loftus Nunn
1698	Richard Dally	1791	Robert Quennell
1699	Robert Haslen	1792	John Blaqden
1700	Thomas Hammond	1793	John Crawford
1701	William Costellow	1794	Richard Murray
1702	John Sherer	1795	Thomas Jones
1703	John Sowton	1796	John Clement
1704	Robert Smith	1797	John Newland
1705	Richard Godman	1798	John Drew
1706	Sir John Miller Bt	1799	William Ridge
1707	James Vavasor	1800	John Murray
1708	Thomas Carr	1801	John Blaqden
1709	John Elson	1802	Charles Lennox
1710	Thomas Hammond	1803	John Crawford
1711	John Lang	1804	Thomas Trew
1712	John Clowdesly	1805	Samuel Cobby
1713	Richard Nash	1806	Thomas Rhoades
1714	William Collins	1807	John Quantock
1715	Thomas Nevill	1808	Richard Murray
1716	Thomas Hammond	1809	William Humphrey
1717	John Sowton	1810	J. Sholto Douglas
1718	Nichols Covert	1811	W. Chas Newland
1719	John Lang	1812	Richard Merricks
1720	John Costellow	1813	Thomas Trew
1721	Williams Collins	1814	Samuel Cobby
1722	Henry Peckham	1815	Sir G. Murray
1723	George Harris	1816	Miles Rowe
1724	John Harris	1817	Thomas Rhoades
1725	John Lang	1818	James Powell
1726	Benjamin Covert	1819	Charles H Smith
1727	George Murray	1820	William Ridge Junr
1728	Henry Peckham	1821	William Humphrey
1729	John Sanden	1822	Charles S Dickins
1730	Francis Sone	1823	W. Chas Newland
1731	Benjamin Covert	1824	Harry Comper
1732	Henry Peckham	1825	Edward Humphry
1733	John Sanden	1826	Thomas Humphry
1734	Robert Norton	1827	Thomas Mills
1735	Charles Duke of Richmond & c	1828	Charles Ridge
1736	Peter Buck	1829	William Gruggen
1737	Thomas Till (Died Aug 14th)	1830	Edward H Cobby
	Peter Buck (Served Out)	1831	William C Rhoades
1738	Robert Norton	1832	William Titchener

1833	Harry Comper	1927	Arthur H. Bostock
1834	William Ridge	1928	Myles Burton
1835	William Ridge	1929	Myles Burton
1836	Henry Co	1930	William H. Leggatt
"	Thomas Howe Clarke	1931	William H. Leggatt
1837	Benness Adames	1932	George T. Apps
1838	George Irving	1933	Charles C. Allen
1839	W. Chas Newland	1934	Charles C. Allen
1840	Wm Woodroffe Dendy	1935	William H.G. Napper
1841	Joseph McCarogher M.D	1936	William H.G. Napper
1842	William Titchener	1937	Walter O. Stride
1843	William Gruggen	1938	Walter O. Stride
1844	Henry Silverlock	1939	Walter O. Stride
1845	Robert Raper	1940	Walter O. Stride
1846	William Mason	1941	Walter O. Stride
1847	Edward Wm. Johnson	1942	Walter O. Stride
1848	Nicholas Tyacke M.D	1943	Walter O. Stride
1849	James Woodman M.D	1944	Walter O. Stride
1850	James Gates	1945	Cecil D. Herniman
1851	William Gruggen	1946	Cecil D. Herniman
1852	Joseph McCarogher M.D	1947	Thomas J. Eastland
1853	Allen Duke M.D	1949	Thomas J. Eastland
1854	Henry Wright	1950	G. A. Russell Purchase
1855	Edward Wm. Johnson	1951	G. A. Russell Purchase
1856	Edward Wm. Johnson	1952	Frank E. Worley
1857	George Henty	1953	Alice F. Eastland
1858	Chas. Townsend Halsted	1954	Alice F. Eastland
1859	Joseph McCarogher M.D	1955	L. Evershed-Martin
1860	Robert Geo. Raper	1956	L. Evershed-Martin
1861	Joseph McCarogher M.D	1957	Charles J. Newell
1862	Nicholas Tyacke M.D	1958	Charles J. Newell
1863	William Duke	1959	William G.S. Pope
1864	Edward Wyatt	1960	William G.S. Pope
1865	Thomas Smith	1961	John M. Selsby
1866	Robert Geo. Raper	1962	John M. Selsby
1867	Robert Geo. Raper - (resigned Sept 14th)	1963	William Brookes
	Samuel Merricks (Served Out)	1964	William Brookes
1868	Samuel Merricks	1965	Harry Bell
1869	Samuel Merricks	1966	Harry Bell
1870	Robert Geo. Raper	1967	E. Robert Stephens
1871	Robert Geo. Raper	1968	E. Robert Stephens
1872	John Caffin	1969	S.J. Watson
1873	John Caffin	1970	Thomas H. Siggs
1874	Edward Habin	1971	John Myles Gilbert
1875	Charles John Atkey	1972	James Seddon
1876	Chas. Townsend Halsted	1973	Peter F. Weston
1877	Robert Geo. Raper	1974	George E. Tullett
1878	Sharp Garland	1975	Kathleen F. Smith
1879	John Caffin	1976	Patrick D. Combes
1880	Edward Collins	1977	Terence M. France
1881	Robert Geo. Raper	1978	William A. Doody
1882	Robert Monk Church	1979	Ursula Hogg
1883	Robert Geo. Raper	1980	Ursula Hogg
1884	Robert Geo. Raper (Resigned Aug 25th 1885)	1981	Philip L. Coombes
	Alfred S Bostock (Served Out)	1982	Terence M. France
1885	Alfred S Bostock	1983	Anne Scicluna
1886	William Smith	1984	Colin Paul Tupper
1887	William Smith	1985	Anthony J. French
1888	William Smith	1986	John C. Rankin
1889	Sir Robert G Raper. Knight	1987	Leonard C. Eyles
1890	Francis V Paxton	1988	Martin J. French
1891	Alfred S Bostock	1989	Colin Paul Tupper
1892	William Smith	1990	R. James Payne
1893	William Smith	1991	John C. Rankin
1894	William Smith	1992	F. John Wilton
1895	Ebenezer Prior	1993	Anne Scicluna
1896	Adolphus Ballard	1994	G. Patricia Hooley
1897	Adolphus Ballard	1995	R. James Payne
1898	Sharp Garland	1996	Clare M M Apel
1899	R. Combe Miller	1997	Raymond E Brown
1900	R. Combe Miller	1998	Barry Fletcher
1901	Peyton T. Mackeson	1999	Eva French
1902	Peyton T. Mackeson	2000	Peggie Frost
1903	Peyton T. Mackeson	2001	Michael Shone
1904	Peyton T. Mackeson	2002	David Siggs
1905	Walter L. Gibbings	2003	Jean E. Le Bourlier-Woods
1906	Walter L. Gibbings	2004	Michael Shone
1907	John Ogburn Holt	2005	Richard E. Plowman
1908	John Ogburn Holt	2006	J. Rob Campling
1909	George M. Turnbull	2007	Raymond E Brown
1910	George M. Turnbull	2008	David Siggs
1911	George M. Turnbull	2009	Michael Woolley
1912	S. Archibald Garland	2010	Michael Woolley
1913	S. Archibald Garland	2011	Anthony J. French
1914	S. Archibald Garland	2012	Anne Scicluna
1915	S. Archibald Garland	2013	Alan Chaplin - resigned (Dec 19th)
1916	S. Archibald Garland		John F Hughes (Served Out)
1917	S. Archibald Garland		John F Hughes
1918	S. Archibald Garland Kt	2014	Peter J Budge
1919	George M. Turnbull	2015	Peter J Budge
1920	Joseph R. Hobbs	2016	Peter Evans
1921	Joseph R. Hobbs	2017	Martyn Bell
1922	Herbert S. Aylmore	2018	Richard E. Plowman
1923	A. Fred Lewis	2019	Richard E. Plowman
1924	A. Fred Lewis	2020	Richard E. Plowman
1925	A. Fred Lewis	2021	John Hughes
1926	A. Fred Lewis	2022	Julian Joy
		2023	Craig J. L. Gershater

