Councillor Belinda Cooke

I have lived at Quarry Farm House on Quarry Farm Road since 2011 and prior to that lived in Bramhope from 1991.  Now that myself and my family are settled here and intend to remain here, I would like to support our community by offering my services to the council.  
  
  
In a nutshell, I am a senior academic and manager at Leeds Beckett University with considerable previous experience in volunteering in public service including as a governor at Bramhope Primary school for 9 years, in support of Refugees  and Asylum seekers in Leeds, and in Widening Participation in Higher Education  
  
 My lifetime of experience in academia, on too many committees to list here, means I am familiar with the working of committees and boards and have the skills required to make an effective and supportive contribution. I am a good listener but also an effective advocate.