

Marcus Jones MP

Parliamentary Under Secretary of State (Minister for Local Government)



Marcus Jones was appointed Parliamentary Under Secretary of State (Minister for Local Government) in May 2015. He is the Conservative MP for Nuneaton.

He has previously served as the Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Financial Secretary to the Treasury and Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport.

Prior to his election to parliament, Marcus was a councillor on Nuneaton and Bedworth Borough Council, serving as leader of the Conservative Group from 2006 to 2009 and leader of the council. He stood down as council leader in 2009.

Responsibilities:

- local government policy, including adult social care and children's services
- local government finance
- homelessness
- community rights, including community pubs
- high streets, town centres and markets
- welfare reform
- supporting minister on the Housing Bill
- planning casework