

## The Council logo



The logo was designed and adopted by the Council in 2015. The symbolism is as follows: The mural coronet is a symbol of local government and also reminds us of the medieval moated site near Willaston Hall. The green represents the Green Gap which surrounds the village. The wheel represents the railway and the nearby major junction of Crewe. The wheatsheaf represents agriculture in Willaston and is also an historic symbol of Cheshire. The red and gold quarters and black band are derived from the shield of the Malbank family, who once owned all the land around Willaston. The black band also symbolises the railway line that runs through the centre of the village.

## The Chairman's Chain of Office



The chain of office was purchased by the Council in 2010 for the then Chairman Councillor Heywood. The chain consists of 30 metal gilt plates with a pendant. The two large plates are engraved with the names of past-chairmen Michael D. Heywood and Maurice R. Jones.

The logo does not feature on the pendant as it was created after the chain was purchased. The chain is worn by the Chairman at Council meetings and when invited to community and civic events.