



**EU REFERENDUM**  
**23<sup>RD</sup> JUNE**

## **WE'RE FAIRER, SAFER AND GREENER IN EUROPE**

“Our membership of the EU is vital for tackling climate change, protecting workers’ rights, and advancing equality.

By working together with our closest neighbours, we can build a better Europe and secure a fairer, safer, greener future.”

CAROLINE LUCAS MP



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## FIVE GREEN REFORMS FOR A BETTER EUROPE

1

**STRONGER ENVIRONMENTAL AMBITION** on climate change and nature conservation, for example, policies and funding to help achieve 100% renewable energy.

2

**BETTER EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS** for workers in the UK and across Europe, including fair pay and the enforcement of rules that protect us at work.

3

**FAIRER TRADE POLICIES** including an end to trade deals like TTIP that allow corporate interests to undermine democracy.

4

**TOUGHER ACTION ON TAX DODGING** and bank regulation including an EU-wide financial transaction tax and tougher EU rules to tackle tax fraud and evasion.

5

**BOLDER DEMOCRATIC REFORMS** and changes to make EU institutions more accountable to citizens, for example, votes at 16, more live-streaming, and increased transparency.

## TO MAKE A BETTER EU

## FIVE GREEN REASONS TO REMAIN IN THE EU

1

**ENVIRONMENT AND HEALTH** Our beaches and rivers are cleaner, our air less polluted, and our children better protected from toxic chemicals thanks to EU rules. Our wildlife is safer. The EU has championed global action on climate change and renewable energy.

2

**JOB AND EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS** Paid holidays, maternity rights, and fair treatment for temps, agency and part-time workers come from our EU membership. Over 3 million jobs are linked to trade with other EU countries.

3

**CONTROLLING BIG BUSINESS** With corporations operating across borders we need international rules to keep them in check - on wage levels, working conditions, and environmental standards. EU rules are helping to close tax loopholes and clamp down on tax dodging.

4

**FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT** As EU citizens, we are free to study, work, travel and retire anywhere across Europe. Freedom of movement enriches our lives, culture and opportunities.

5

**PEACE AND SECURITY** The EU has secured lasting peace in Europe after the bloodshed of the Second World War, and has a vital role in spreading democracy and human rights throughout the world.

## WE NEED A SEAT AT THE TABLE

# “Yes, but what has the EU ever done for us?”

ANIMAL WELFARE ANTI-RACISM  
ARTS FUNDING BANKERS' BONUS CAP  
BIRDS AND NATURE CONSERVATION CLIMATE ACTION  
CLEANER AIR AND BEACHES CONSUMER STANDARDS  
DATA PROTECTION ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
GENDER EQUALITY GLOBAL JUSTICE GREEN JOBS  
HEALTH AND SAFETY HUMAN RIGHTS LGBT RIGHTS  
LIVE, WORK, STUDY OR RETIRE ABROAD ORGANIC FOOD  
TAX JUSTICE REGULATE BIG BUSINESS RENEWABLE ENERGY  
REDUCE WASTE REGIONAL FUNDING  
RESTRICT PESTICIDES RIGHTS AT WORK  
SAFER LORRIES SOLIDARITY  
PEACE...



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