



## **Cllr. Ayub Korom Ali**

Place of Residence: **London**

Sector: **Politics**

**A**yub has several years experience of working in local government both in UK and in Bangladesh. He began his career in the voluntary sector in Tower Hamlets, London moving to social services where he worked as a social worker and team manager. For the last 10 years he has worked as a senior manager in education and regeneration and served as a non-executive director on a community health services NHS trust. In these roles Ayub has managed and monitored large budgets and staff teams, developed and delivered a wide range of public services and programmes. Ayub is also an elected Councillor in the London Borough of Newham.

In 2001, Ayub was appointed as

Project Director for an EC Asia-Urbs funded project in Sylhet. This was a partnership project supported by the London Borough of Tower Hamlets in UK, Horsens Municipality in Denmark and Sylhet City Corporation in Bangladesh promoting international co-operation in urban environmental management. The partnership designed, developed and delivered pilot projects focusing on solid waste management, enterprise development and health. The project also undertook a skills audit and delivered staff development programme for senior managers in the City Corporation. The Sylhet Partnership project was a huge success and within two years became fully sustainable.

Presently Ayub is working as the Extended Schools Adviser for the London Borough of Tower Hamlets, Education Department where he is responsible for strategic planning and co-ordination of the extended schools programme. He works closely with headteachers offering advice and support in developing new learning opportunities and connecting schools more closely with the local community. As an elected member in Newham, Ayub has lead responsibility for community forum and has a special interest in community cohesion and education.

Ayub has a Diploma in Applied Social Studies from Ruskin College, Oxford and an MA in Public and Social Administration from Brunel University, UK.