





Number of legislature	1
Start Day and End day	1 <sup>st</sup> March 1994 - 31 <sup>st</sup> March 1998
Election Date	Saturday, 19 <sup>th</sup> February 1994
Registered Voters	2545
Number of votes cast	2057
Turnout	80.8%
Malta Labour Party (PL) 	Did not contested the election
Nationalist Party (PN) 	48.95% (relative majority) The PN obtained 3 out of 5 seats
Independent Candidates	46.25% The Independent 'party' obtained 2 out of 5 seats
Members forming the Xaghra Local Council	Mr. Mario Xerri (Nationalist Party) Mr. Joseph Grima (Nationalist Party) Mr. Anthony Attard (Nationalist Party) Mr. Saviour Bonello (Independent) Mrs. Maria Stella Buttigieg (Independent) Executive Secretary: Mr. Joseph Azzopardi
Mayor	Mr. Mario Xerri (1 <sup>st</sup> March 1994 – 18 <sup>th</sup> April 1996)  Mr. Joseph Grima (26 <sup>th</sup> April 1996 – 31 <sup>st</sup> March 1998)


Other Remarks	This was the first election held for the Xaghra Local Council. As one can see, the turnout was relatively high mainly due to this reason. In August 1996, Mrs. Maria Stella Buttigieg resigned from the local council. In a casual election held on 26 <sup>th</sup> August, Mr. Raymond Mifsud was elected to form part of the council for the remaining years of this legislature.
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Number of legislature	2
Start Day and End day	1 <sup>st</sup> April 1998 – 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2001
Election Date	Saturday, 14 <sup>th</sup> March 1998
Registered Voters	2794
Number of votes cast	1894
Turnout	67.8%
Malta Labour Party (PL)	 Did not contested the election
Nationalist Party (PN)	 62.1% (absolute majority) The PN obtained 3 out of 5 seats
Independent Candidates	37.9% The Independent 'party' obtained 2 out of 5 seats

<b>Members forming the Xaghra Local Council</b>	<p>Mr. Anthony Attard (Nationalist Party)</p> <p>Mr. Joseph Micallef (Nationalist Party)</p> <p>Dr. Aaron Attard Hili LLD (Nationalist Party)</p> <p>Mr. Saviour Bonello (Independent)</p> <p>Mr. Raymond Mifsud (Independent)</p> <p>Executive Secretary: Mr. Joseph Azzopardi</p>
<b>Mayor</b>	<b>Mr. Anthony Attard</b>
<b>Other Remarks</b>	<p>The turnout was 13% lower than that registered in 1994. It was the first time for the PN to obtain absolute majority in the Xaghra Local Council election. In April 2000, Dr. Aaron Attard Hili resigned. Mrs. Maria Assunta Attard was elected to fill the vacant seat during a casual election held on 24<sup>th</sup> April of the same year.</p>



<b>Number of legislature</b>	3
<b>Start Day and End day</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> April 2001 – 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2004
<b>Election Date</b>	Saturday, 10 <sup>th</sup> March 2001
<b>Registered Voters</b>	2981
<b>Number of votes cast</b>	2325
<b>Turnout</b>	78.0%
<b>Malta Labour</b>	45.6% (minority)



Party (PL)	The PL obtained 2 out of 5 seats
Nationalist Party (PN) 	47.3% (relative majority) The PN obtained 3 out of 5 seats
Independent Candidates	7.3% There were no independent candidates during the Xaghra Local Council of this legislature
Members forming the Xaghra Local Council	Mr. Anthony Attard (Nationalist Party) Mr. Carmelino Refalo (Nationalist Party) Mrs. Maria Assunta Attard (Nationalist Party) Mr. Saviour Bonello (Malta Labour Party) Mr. Joseph Cordina (Malta Labour Party) Executive Secretary: Mr. Joseph Azzopardi
Mayor	Mr. Anthony Attard
Other Remarks	The turnout was relatively high (when compared to the previous election) due to the fact that the Malta Labour Party contested for the first time this election. <i>This party began contesting local elections in 1999.</i>



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Number of legislature	4
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Start Day and End day	1 <sup>st</sup> July 2004 – 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2007
Election Date	Saturday, 12 <sup>th</sup> June 2004
Registered Voters	3392
Number of votes cast	2939
Turnout	87.0%
Malta Labour Party (PL)	 <p>44.4% (minority) The PL obtained 2 out of 5 seats</p>
Nationalist Party (PN)	 <p>54.2% (absolute majority) The PN obtained 3 out of 5 seats</p>
Independent Candidates	<p>1.4%</p> <p>There were no independent candidates during the Xaghra Local Council of this legislature</p>
Members forming the Xaghra Local Council	<p>Mr. Anthony Attard (Nationalist Party) Mr. Carmelino Refalo (Nationalist Party) Mr. Joseph Spiteri (Nationalist Party) Mrs. Mary Carmen Bajada (Malta Labour Party) Mr. Joseph Cordina (Malta Labour Party) Executive Secretary: Mr. Joseph Azzopardi</p>
Mayor	Mr. Joseph Spiteri
Other Remarks	<p>The turnout was the highest registered one since the first election in 1994. This is mainly due to the fact that on 12<sup>th</sup> June 2004, the first MEPs election was also held in our islands. During the first sitting of the Council (which was held on 8<sup>th</sup> July 2004), the members of the Council chose Mr. Joseph</p>

	<b>Spiteri to be the fourth Mayor of Xaghra.</b>
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<b>Number of legislature</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Start Day and End day</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> April 2007 - present</b>
<b>Election Date</b>	<b>Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> March 2007</b>
<b>Registered Voters</b>	<b>3716</b>
<b>Number of votes cast</b>	<b>2596</b>
<b>Turnout</b>	<b>69.9%</b>
<b>Malta Labour Party (PL)</b> 	<b>52.4% (absolute majority)</b> <b>The PL obtained 3 out of 5 seats</b>
<b>Nationalist Party (PN)</b> 	<b>47.6% (minority)</b> <b>The PN obtained 2 out of 5 seats</b>
<b>Independent Candidates</b>	<b>No independent candidates contested the 2007 election</b>
<b>Members forming the Xaghra Local Council</b>	<b>Mr. Joseph Cordina (Malta Labour Party)</b> <b>Dr. Christian Zammit (Malta Labour Party)</b> <b>Mrs. Mary Carmen Bajada (Malta Labour Party)</b> <b>Mr. Joseph Bartolo (Nationalist Party)</b> <b>Dr. Kevin Cutajar (Nationalist Party)</b>

	<b>Executive Secretary: Mr. Joseph Azzopardi</b>
<b>Mayor</b>	<b>Mr. Joseph Cordina</b>
<b>Other Remarks</b>	<b>For the first time in history of the Xaghra Local Council elections, the Malta Labour Party obtained an absolute majority of first preference votes. The Xaghra Local Council is currently embarking on several number of projects in order to embellish our locality.</b>

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