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### **SUNIL CHOPRA ELECTED AS MAYOR IN UK FOR THE SECOND TIME**

Indian-origin businessman Sunil Chopra has been elected as the mayor of London Borough of Southwark for the second time. Delhi-born Chopra took the oath on Saturday at Southwark Cathedral, Montague Close in Central London. Chopra was the mayor of the London Borough of Southwark in 2014-2015, and deputy mayor in 2013-2014, the first Indian-origin person to hold the prestigious office in the Borough. UK's Labor Party has gained victory over the Liberal Democrats in London Bridge and West Bermondsey seats under Chopra's leadership. These seats were held by the opposition party for decades. This victory is important as the London Borough of Southwark Council has only 2 per cent Indian-origin people. Chopra entered UK politics in 2010 and was elected as the mayor of the London Borough of Southwark for the first time in 2014. He has also served as the Deputy Mayor three times. His political journey started long before that in the 1970s in Delhi. (Read full story at [www.theindianpanorama.news](http://www.theindianpanorama.news))

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Southwark Mayor Sunil Chopra & IDC President Ashook Ramsaran – Neuve Chapelle, France (Nov 11, 2018)