



Tasmanian
Electoral Commission

2014
LOCAL GOVERNMENT
ELECTIONS

central
highlands
COUNCIL



MAKE YOUR MARK

VOTE LOCAL

**Your vote must be received by
10 am on Tuesday 28 October 2014**

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Information

There are 3 elections being held for Central Highlands Council

- 9 Councillors – 9 candidates (no ballot required)
- Mayor – 1 candidate (no ballot required)
- Deputy Mayor – 2 candidates

As well as this booklet, your postal ballot pack contains

- a ballot paper
- a ballot paper envelope – you must sign this
- a reply paid envelope

This year, for the first time, the entire Central Highlands Council is being elected for a four-year term. The mayor, deputy mayor and councillors you elect will all serve until 2018.

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Instructions

Follow these five easy steps...

STEP ONE

Consider your vote

The candidates have provided statements for your information. They are printed in alphabetical order in this brochure. Please note that the names on the ballot papers may not be in the same order.

Get to know the candidates before you vote.

STEP TWO

Record your vote

When you have decided how you wish to vote, number all the boxes on each ballot paper from 1 onwards in the order of your choice.

STEP THREE

Make your vote secret

Put your completed ballot papers in the ballot paper envelope and seal it securely.

STEP FOUR

Validate your vote

Sign your ballot paper envelope.

Your vote won't be counted if you don't sign this envelope.

Then put your ballot paper envelope in the reply paid envelope and seal it.

STEP FIVE

Post your vote

Post your reply paid envelope straight away. No stamp is needed.

**Don't delay—
late votes won't be counted!**

Questions? Call 1800 801 701

DOWNIE Andrew

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor

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A high standard of road and ground maintenance waste collection services at a realistic cost and strong financial reserves with no debt have been my focus. Rate charges have been kept realistic despite detrimental govt changes to legislation. At my initiative council budgeted a transport subsidy for residents under 30 who lose all welfare benefits because of the federal budget The interim planning and proposed statewide planning schemes will be a focus if re-elected as will a continuing search for a new generation of councillors.

TRIFFITT Loueen (Lou)

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor



Born & raised in the Central Highlands community, & known for my honesty and can-do attitude, I advocate low rates, transparent council, supporting local business & increasing employment opportunities. As your Deputy Mayor, I will continue my voluntary activities of supporting our local groups including shack owners, CWA, Southern Progress Assoc & the Mens Shed. I strongly support & encourage progress & development in tourism, agriculture and our timber industry; as well as maintenance & upgrading roads & infrastructure, access to health care & emergency services & quality education in our area.

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