

Tasmanian Electoral Commission





GLAMORGAN SPRING BAY COUNCIL





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 Glamorgan-Spring Bay Council

- 8 Councillors 17 candidates
- Mayor 3 candidates
- Deputy Mayor 5 candidates

As well as this booklet, your postal ballot pack contains

- 2 sheets of ballot papers (one for councillor positions, the other for mayor and deputy mayor positions)
- a ballot paper envelope you must sign this
- a reply paid envelope

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

Successful candidates for mayor and deputy mayor must be also elected as councillors to be able to accept the office of mayor or deputy mayor.

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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.

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.

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

ARNOL Cheryl Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor

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I have 16 years local government experience including 2 years as Deputy Mayor and 6 years as Mayor with a strong understanding of planning, infrastructure and the social concerns of the community. A business background has been invaluable in understanding the financial and administrative aspects of Council. I live and work in the Triabunna/Orford area; as a councillor I will fairly and equitably represent the whole municipal area. I have a solid understanding of meeting procedures and governance and will strive for honest and transparent outcomes for all areas.

BROWN Chelsea Lee

Candidate for Councillor



A 29 year old working mother, residing in Cranbrook & have been a Councillor for 3 years. As a volunteer with the SES & Fire Brigade I will continue to enhance the relationship between our rural community, Council & volunteer organisations. I will continue to work at representing my community. I seek your vote to ensure a balanced representation in terms of gender, geography, age & experience.

CADART Bertrand Candidate for Councillor, Mayor

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Is it not peculiar how sometimes life takes you to unchartered places? It has now been 9 years since you elected me Councillor. As much as I have been lucky enough to live a most interesting life so far (please check out my website) this decade in Glamorgan Spring Bay Council has been one of the most stimulating and thought provoking periods indeed. I gave it my best shot. I can only hope it was good enough for most of you. Please remember should you wish me to stay your Mayor for the next 4 years, you must first elect me Councillor and vote 1 Bertrand Cadart for Councillor and Mayor.

CRAWFORD Jenifer

Candidate for Councillor, Mayor

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As Mayor, I will lead with experience and proven integrity. My background in agriculture, the arts, community development, education and small business has equipped me to represent all sections of the community. I am committed to open and accountable practices in all areas of Council. I will continue to listen, visit, work with and represent the whole of the electorate from Buckland to Bicheno. With 20 years in the region and 9 on Council, I have the experience, passion, time and commitment to lead your Council in building the future. Vote 1, Jenifer Crawford for Mayor and Councillor.

FAMA Michael

Candidate for Councillor



Your council has been innovative, sustainable and progressive. As a Councillor, my innovations such as community notice boards, 'Our Park' improvements, Spring Beach footway and the GSB calendar concept have been well-received. Through my monthly 'Council Clips' I have reported to you on every council meeting. Being retired, I am able to work within the many committees and organisations both in and outside of council to further improve our community and quality of lifestyle. I am reliable, approachable, experienced and will always listen: so I ask for your no. 1 vote.

FORBES YOUNG Robert

Candidate for Councillor



Rate reduction, reduce overheads, road improvement, use local workforce, encourage industry & tourism, any major changes or projects to be first genuinely raised with rate payers; local resident. Experienced: commercial & industrial lawyer; Former: legal practice partner, public company & private company director, President Royal Guide dogs Association of Tasmania, Council Member of The Law Society of Tasmania, Board Member of The Royal Tasmanian Society of the Blind & Deaf, Board Member of The Hutchins School, Law Society of Tasmania delegate to the Faculty of Law University of Tasmania.

GREGSON Kenneth

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor



It would be a privilege to represent the municipality of Glamorgan/Spring Bay as an independent member. I would advocate for open and inclusive governance, with improved communication between Council and the community one of my highest priorities. I make no promises, but to examine Council issues with due diligence. I believe mutual respect is essential, and a keen sense of area history is critical when examining future Council matters. I am opposed to forced Council amalgamation. Please consider a number 1 vote for both positions, and be part of a vibrant and progressive Council.

HECK John

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor



John Heck for Councillor & Deputy Mayor Greetings, I respectfully ask for your support to be Councillor and Deputy Mayor, I will work for the whole municipality supporting relevant, transparent, achievable development and core Council services, your every day needs. I have the skills, experience and enthusiasm to work with the Mayor and Council management to maintain and protect your amenity, your lifestyle. I do care for our whole municipality, I will support and assist in protecting our valuable history your Council's assets and your future. All inquiries welcome phone: 03 62573550 John Heck

KENT Michael

Candidate for Councillor, Mayor



I've always had a love and passion for the East Coast, and finally moved here permanently over ten years ago. During the last decade I have built businesses on the Coast and have experienced the same issues that many other people living and working here have faced. I see this election as an opportunity to use my diverse experience to foster a fairer, better and stronger community. I stand for transparency and responsibility in Council and sensitive, sensible economic development that will protect and advance our extraordinary lifestyle.

MATTHEWS Clem R

Candidate for Councillor

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PARKER Richard

Candidate for Councillor



I am a family man and reside with my wife, Lynette, in Triabunna where I have proudly lived for my whole life. I have three adult children and five grandchildren. I owned an operated a successful tourism business for 17 years and have served as a councillor for the past seven years. I went to the last election saying I would be your voice on council and believe I have fulfilled that promise. If re-elected I will fight for what is in the best interests of the whole community and its residents. Please give me you number 1 vote for councillor and I will continue to be your voice on council.

RASPIN Greg

Candidate for Councillor



54 Years of age, raised and educated in Triabunna where completed a motor mechanic apprenticeship, before spending 15 years in the logging industry as driver and self employed owner/operator. Spent last 20 years as proprietor of the Swansea Corner Store IGA in partnership with wife Jo and been involved with various community groups and projects. A director of Tasmanian Independent Retailers (IGA Tas), board member of the Swansea/Bicheno Community Bank and board member May Shaw Health Centre, Swansea. Enjoyed a lifetime on the East Coast with a focus on modern business technology and development

SCURRAH Miriam (Mim)

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I believe in our community. I believe that when we work together, we can make great things happen. It is our people, our local businesses and community organisations who make our region the best place to live. I believe that our greatest ambassadors are the everyday people who go about their lives and work, creating great experiences for visitors and residents. I believe that each of us has the capacity to enrich our communities; that our diversity creates the innovation which our council must support, encourage and which will bring to our region the prosperity and recognition it deserves.

STEINER Britt

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor

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I am currently a small business owner in Triabunna and from 2002 to 2010 worked across the municipality to establish and manage health services through the State Government. I have been in the health sector for over 30 years as an administrator and as a practitioner. Since 2010 I have owned and operated a successful gallery/cafe. I believe that together we must make a commitment to building our future within GSBC. Everyone should have the opportunity to participate in the social and economic well being that this future holds. I welcome the chance to serve this great region.

TAYLOR Lyn

Candidate for Councillor

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Statement not available

WISBY Debbie

Candidate for Councillor



I will represent all residents within our municipality ensuring equality, transparency, consultation and respect. Our Council is a business, our business, and must be managed by the elected councillors in an informed, professional and transparent manner. I will source and encourage business expansion and new development opportunities that are environmentally responsible, sustainable and provide much needed economic benefits and employment for the region. Our region requires new, innovative and forward thinking representation with relevant skills, experience and the energy to achieve.

WOODS Jenny

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor

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For the last 5 years I have truly enjoyed representing and working for you the residents and ratepayers I've supported critical infrastructure and works projects across all towns I believe that Council has a very important economic development role to play. As Councillor and Deputy Mayor I will continue to build on the working relationship I have with you and Council I listen to and value the community's views whilst forming my opinions and maintaining my values I'm committed to working for positive and progressive change in our municipality to ensue we grow and prosper as a region



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