



Tasmanian
Electoral Commission

2018 Local Government Elections



MAKE YOUR MARK



VOTE LOCAL

Your vote must be received by
10am on Tuesday 30 October 2018

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INFORMATION

There are 3 elections being held for Break O'Day Council:

- 9 Councillors
 - 17 candidates
- Mayor – 2 candidates
- Deputy Mayor – 5 candidates

As well as this booklet, your postal ballot pack contains:

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

Successful candidates for mayor and deputy mayor must also be elected as councillors to be able to accept these offices.

The mayor, deputy mayor and councillors you elect will serve until October 2022.

Questions? Call 1800 801 701

With changes to Australia Post services, it is important to complete and return your vote now.

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INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these five easy steps:

1 Consider your vote

Each candidate has been invited to provide a statement, for your consideration. Statements are reproduced substantially as supplied by candidates. They are printed in alphabetical order. Note - the names on the ballot papers may not be in the same order. ***Get to know the candidates before you vote.***

2 Record your vote

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

3 Make your vote secret

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

4 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.

5 Post your vote

Post your reply paid envelope straight away. No need for a stamp
or take to your Council office.

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

BIRCH, Tyler

Candidate for Councillor

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I am a young, passionate member of the Break O'Day community having grown up & lived here most of my life. I engage with the community through my work at the St Helens Neighbourhood House which resulted in my nomination for the Australia Day Young Citizen of the Year award. Recently I worked with youth members to promote the Triple J ONS event.

My focus is to advocate for real action on youth empowerment & mental health. In addition, I believe that community consultation and transparency are key factors in good decision making. I will uphold these principles in my role as Councillor.

CHAPPLE, Kristi

Candidate for Councillor

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If elected I will provide a new, refreshing and independent voice to Council, I will utilise my own life experience and passion which will benefit the entire community. I have worked locally in various industries including real estate and customer service. I am a passionate supporter of our community including nominating St Helens for Triple J's One Night Stand concert and I am a proud volunteer. Issues that are important to me (amongst many) include improving youth services, better access to health services, growing employment opportunities, sustainable development and economic growth.

DRUMMOND, Janet

Candidate for Councillor

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I was elected onto BODC in 2014 and I find it challenging and rewarding. I'm passionate about working with the community and I'm accountable; using transparent decision-making processes based on best practise, research and evidence. Using leadership skills forged in a background of community and policy development - BA Law, BA Juris, Dip. of Comm. Services work - I know that local government must show leadership on sustainable practises, as this results in a strong economy, a healthy environment and vibrant communities. Living in St Marys since 2007, I remain an active community volunteer.

LANGOULANT, Nick

Candidate for Councillor



I live in Scamander with my wife and two kids.

I am about sustainable development and building a community that can look after itself. I am qualified in management, project management, marketing and community development and have also managed small business. I believe in our youth, having worked as Manager of Police and Community Youth Centres as well as in aged-care and disability organisations. I respect that there are many voices to be heard within a competent and transparent Council. I love my family, the bush, the ocean and growing food. I do not support the dumping of dive wrecks.

LEFEVRE, Barry

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor

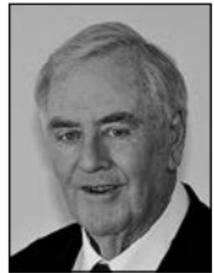


As an educated and community driven person I am relentless in pursuing improved services for all of Break O'Day. Being a proactive leader and real local with extensive networks I have a burning passion to maximise opportunities.

Working together we can expand on the present momentum in Break O'Day. Better infrastructure, employment creation, improved delivery of health services and extended recreational opportunities are paramount for our future and priorities for me. We are ideally placed to not only thrive but lead the State in innovation and best practice.

McGIVERON, John

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor



Born in St Marys & have lived in BOD all my life where I have worked & raised our family. I worked in the local coal mining industry for 42 years in various roles including before retirement as Operations Manager. Being a retiree allows me to be your full time representative. I have served this community on BODC for the past 18 years with the last 4 years as Deputy Mayor. During this time I have enjoyed a strong productive working relationship with Councillors, management & staff based on mutual respect and commonsense.

McGUINNESS, Glenn

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor



I am seeking your support for my third term as Councillor and I am also nominating for the position of Deputy Mayor. I believe that I have been a strong and consistent performer in a team which has achieved an extraordinary amount over the past 4 years.

I believe that my role as your representative on the board of East Coast Regional Tourism and chair of the Titley Shack Preservation Committee, as well as several other internal oversight committees, demonstrate that I am more than capable of a leadership role. Thank you for your vote.

MANNING, Bill

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor

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A vote for me is a vote for change. In each and every election, it's your rights, your freedoms, your interests that are on the ballot. I'm a forward thinker and believe in empowering everyone in the community in the decision making process. Key areas I want changed are zero rates for pensioners; a new swimming pool at St Helens; introduction of a solar panel rebate purchase scheme; well planned and maintained dog parks and access to off lead beaches; community liaison officer; against the selling of land to foreign investors; amalgamation of councils with an inquiry into the roles of staff.

OSBORNE, Margaret

Candidate for Councillor



I have represented my community for the last 18 years as a Councillor and Deputy Mayor. I ask for your vote to be able to continue to do so. I am President of the Hospital Auxiliary running the tip shop with a great group of volunteers in aid of a palliative care ward at the new hospital. I am also the coordinator of the school op shop and a life member of Little Athletics and St Helens Netball Association. Please give me your no 1 vote so I can ensure that your Council implements plans for future job growth, increasing visitor numbers, supporting education, and improving sports facilities.

QUINN, Ross

Candidate for Councillor, Deputy Mayor

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With my young family, I escaped Melbourne in 1993 for the tranquillity of the N/E Highlands. Over the past 25 years I have become immersed in this beautiful place. Now married to retiring Clr Hannah Rubenach-Quinn, we have a 1 year old daughter. Having been self employed in the auto industry, working at St Marys District School, then disability support work, I have a broad understanding of community needs and down to earth skills to fulfil the role as Deputy Mayor and Councillor. A vote for me will ensure a common sense and fresh approach. I would love to be part of vibrant new team.

RAYNER, Neville

Candidate for Councillor



I am an enthusiastic, local radio presenter, highly motivated with a desire for music and the arts. I am keen to revive the Jazz Festival with the addition of Blues music. If elected I would seek to update all public infrastructure including, roads, walkways, recreational parks, fishing jetties and boat ramps.

I will support all our community centres, emergency services, health centres and sporting bodies, plus LINC's, Online Centres, and business in our community, and want to see them assisted and progress. I am pleased to hear from the community.

TUCKER, John

Candidate for Councillor



Currently a councillor, I am 43 years old, married to Mhari we have four children. We run the Antu Cattle and Pig Companies at The Gardens. We are a 4th generation St Helens farming family.

I will continue to represent this community with honesty and integrity. I have achieved equalisation of rural, residential and commercial rates. I support the mountain bike tracks in Break O Day and the sinking of the HMAS Darwin. I support the creation of economically sustainable jobs in all areas. I want our young people to have bright futures here.

TUCKER, Mick

Candidate for Councillor, Mayor



I was born in St Helens and have been married for 39 years with 2 children and run a family business. It has been a privilege being the Mayor of Break O Day for the last 4 years. I have a 30 year community service history and I understand our community and its constraints.

I have a well prepared development action plan based on a clear vision (which I have) for our community based on community pride, happiness and economic prosperity. As a truly independent Mayor I will continue focus on attracting investment and fully support that the municipality is open for business as we are a can do Council.

WHITTAKER, Lesa

Candidate for Councillor

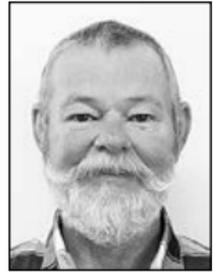


I worked in banking, retail and currently part-time in property management and as a relief librarian. I am a youth mentor with the Whitelion program. I judge things on their merits and will not be swayed by opportunistic ideas or whims that benefit the minority at the expense of the majority. I believe in a society based on harmony and values where the benefits are spread and not constrained to a particular area. I will work diligently and my decision making will be based on logic, merit, people's needs and long term sustainability. I support youth, health services and a healthy environment.

WILSON, Randy

Candidate for Councillor

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Being a Councillor is all about BOD collectively; to be accountable, transparent and prepared to work with others with an unbiased mind. I understand these responsibilities. I have the high ethical standards to represent you, garnered during my 40+ years of Navy service. Please allow me the opportunity to work with you and for the entire region of BOD. From 1998 I've been a BOD ratepayer, retiring here in 2012. I'm active in our community with the Anglican church, RSL, Navy cadets, the Pyengana endurance race, plus, I and my tractor, have been involved in many community efforts.

WRIGHT, Kylie

Candidate for Councillor, Mayor

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I am asking for the opportunity to serve as Mayor and Councillor. I am very passionate about people and caring for our community.

I believe I can bring a fresh approach to the role of Mayor and if elected and will give my full time commitment. We have an immediate need for improved access to health/mental health facilities and specialist services, as well as greater youth engagement and community consultation. Good governance, transparency and accountability are essential. Sustainable economic growth and tourism will increase employment opportunities, while safeguarding our lifestyle.

YOUNG, Brady James

Candidate for Councillor

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Thankyou voters, for this opportunity. I have the credentials to represent you. I'm family-oriented; farmer; tourist operator; businessman; MH social worker; researcher; builder & President (BODField Archery Club). I'm running represent you. My vision is to ensure you have a voice, you're heard, listened to & your concerns acted upon. I admire & support the people of Break O'Day; the diverse range of businesses; community organisations & sporting clubs who are making dynamic contributions to our regions liveability. I seek your endorsement as Councillor to make a difference for you.

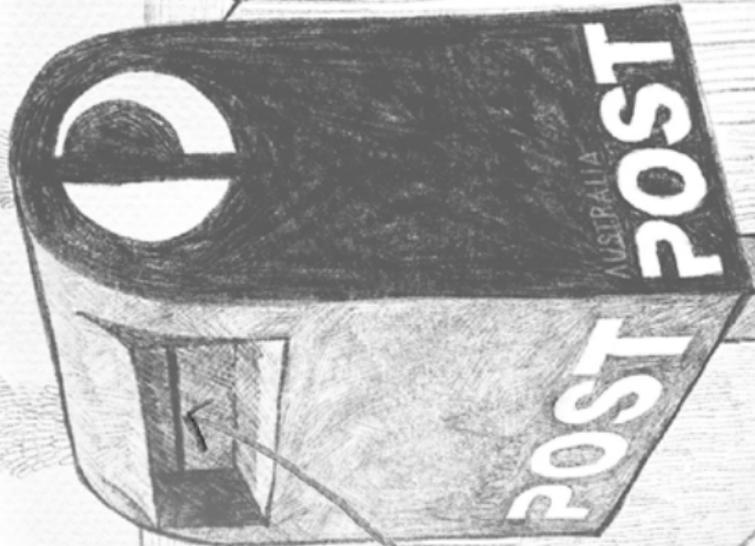
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