



Tasmanian
Electoral Commission

2018 Local Government Elections



MAKE YOUR MARK



VOTE LOCAL

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

INFORMATION

There are 3 elections being held for Sorell Council:

- 9 Councillors
 - 9 candidates
(no ballot required)
- Mayor – 1 candidate
(no ballot required)
- Deputy Mayor – 4 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

The elected mayor, deputy mayor and councillors 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!**

De WILLIAMS, Deborah

Candidate for Deputy Mayor

[Web link](#)



As your Councillor, I know the high standards you expect from your Council. Responsible operating of budgets & Council are vital to our future viability. However, there should always be a balance between the business of Council & the needs of the community. Through my business experience, my extensive charity work; you might know me, as the lady & her dog that ran around Australia raising funds for breast cancer & my involvement in various community groups, I have a proven record of being a strong, active voice and leader for this community. Vote 1 Deborah for Councillor & Deputy Mayor.

REED, Melinda

Candidate for Deputy Mayor

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I bring extensive local experience with the integrity and professional skills to support thriving, inclusive and sustainable communities.

A Dodges Ferry local since 1992, I grew up at Richmond with long-standing family ties in the Sorell area. After a successful public sector career and university qualifications in business, accounting and communication, I've dedicated the past 10 years to getting to know my community and championing local issues as a parent, community leader, Sorell Times writer, Company Secretary of Sorell & District Community Bank and President of Okines Community House.

REYNOLDS, Natham

Candidate for Deputy Mayor

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Hello. I'm 36, married and the proud father of 2 young children. I run a small local business (Sorell Night Rider), Chair the Sorell School Association and am a Dodges Ferry School Association Committee Member.

I would like to see our municipality become more vibrant with better opportunities/facilities in employment, education, sport/rec, arts and events creating more active lifestyles. Improving communication and strengthening relationships between Council and community along with improving traffic congestion are my goals. I am a very community orientated person and want to be your voice.

TORENIUS, Carmel

Candidate for Deputy Mayor



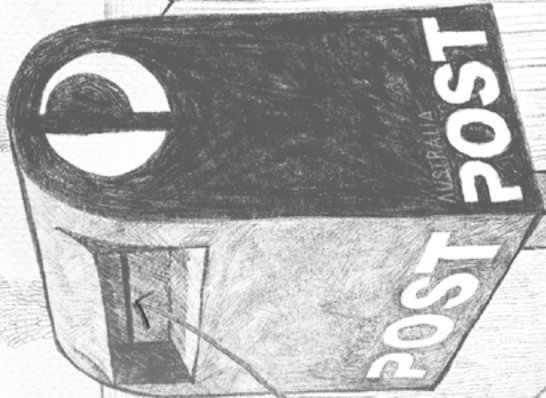
Experience and common sense where it counts. Director in local family business, former teacher at Sorell and Dunalley Schools and former Mayor of Sorell. Carmel is a forward thinker, always willing to listen and not afraid to make the hard decisions. She is a proven performer and certainly not a fence sitter. Experience counts when dealing with the growth challenges facing Sorell and districts now and into the future.

"I am a committed advocate for the Sorell Municipality. Let my experience work for you."

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