

Waipa District Council

Mayor

Electing the Mayor



Jim MYLCHREEST

Independent

My principal place of residence is in the Waipa District Council area.

I have over 40 years local government knowledge and experience in senior management roles and as an elected representative, with the last 9 years as Mayor. I am proud of the contribution that I have made to the development and growth of Waipa over the years which has made this District such a desirable place to live and do business.

A critical skill I have is the ability to constructively lead a team of Councillors and staff to ensure that the majority of the community benefit from the outcomes of those decisions. Local communities are facing unprecedented challenges at the present time, not only from loss of democratic and private property rights, but also climate and housing crises. Now, more than ever, a stable and well informed leadership is required to protect and build on progress already made.

I would be honoured to serve you for another term.