

Christchurch City Council  
Papanui Ward  
Electing 1 Councillor

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**Peter MCDUGALL**

Independent Citizens

My principal place of residence is not in the Papanui Ward area. I am also standing for the Papanui Ward of the Papanui-Innes Community Board.

Christchurch can have and do more - but to afford it, a major rethink of how our City Council operates is required to cut back the unsustainable rate increase and projected debt blowout being proposed.

As a management accountant and associate member of Governance NZ, I bring over 20 years' experience working in both local and central government. Living just outside the ward, Papanui is my family's local community and I have the local understanding and knowledge to represent Papanui on Council. Christchurch can reduce both debt levels and reduce rates by having councillors and staff working closer together, re-focusing on delivering core services more economically addressing the assets that are losing us money and increasing our debt, and no longer having the Council lend money to businesses who cannot get financing from banks.

We can have better services and infrastructure, but I need your vote to do it.