Christchurch City Council Heathcote Ward Electing 1 Councillor



Sara TEMPLETON

Strong Community: Healthy Environment My principal place of residence is in the Heathcote Ward area.

As your councillor for the last three years I've been active, open and accessible in our many communities. Amongst other achievements, I championed the extended delegations to

Community Boards, secured funding to complete the Coastal Pathway around Moncks Bay and chaired the Taylors Mistake Baches working group, enabling a resolution after thirty years. We have made significant progress as a city in the last three years, opening many community facilities and addressing the worst flooding. However, like you, I know there is still much to do, especially with our drinking water and roading. I have consistently pushed to keep our water chlorine free, for safe and sustainable transport options, a healthy natural environment and greater Council transparency. Council also needs to engage residents meaningfully in the development of our Climate Change strategy, including the challenges and opportunities of mitigation and adaptation, enabling the transition to a thriving, sustainable city.