

Christchurch City Council Shirley-Papanui Community Board Electing 5 Board Members



Barbara WATSON

Independent - City 1st - No Party Politics

My principal place of residence is in the Shirley-Papanui Community Board area.

As a family mentor Barbara has a genuine concern for the health of families and will advocate strongly on issues affecting family wellbeing. Barbara is an approachable, friendly and intelligent local mum and businesswoman who is actively involved in her community. Currently serving on the Northgate Community Services Trust, Barbara has communication and leadership skills which would be a real asset to the Community Board. If elected, Barbara aims to actively develop greater efficiencies and collaboration between community groups, having already built great relationships with a network of local organisations. A positive and caring person with the courage of her convictions, she will advocate strongly on issues which threaten the wellbeing of our community. Liquor outlets in residential areas, increased pokies and inadequate housing are issues of real concern. As a constructive team member, Barbara offers heart, skill and energy to continue the great legacy of the Shirley/Papanui Community Board.