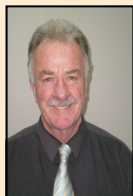


KAPITI COAST DISTRICT COUNCIL

Electing the Mayor



Ross CHURCH

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

It's an honour and privilege to be Mayor of Kāpiti, to lead great progress in our community. Much has been done to secure our water supply, so we avoid summer water restrictions. Clean

fresh drinking water- no bore water.

Kapiti has many new walkways and cycleways (eg Paekākāriki Escarpment Trail: the QE Park cycleway), and vibrant, successful events: eg the Maoriland Film Festival, the Kite Festival and the Arts Trail, bringing visitors, friends, and family into the district.

I see two major goals as we continue our progress. We must take advantage of the economic development opportunities afforded by the Expressway. It will stimulate business, property values, tourism, and growth.

But we must also preserve the right balance, protecting the wonderful 'Kapiti way of life' that we value so much.

Our exciting district is moving forward: calmly, confidently, steadily and surely. I ask for your support in continuing that progress.

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