

Masterton District Council

Mayor

Electing the Mayor



David HOLMES

I have the skills to be Mayor and I am capable of building a Council team to take Masterton forward.

Local companies missing out on major contracts is of concern to me, especially when they have made competitive tenders.

Economic development must be encouraged for more employment opportunities.

I object to excessive Council expenditure especially on consultancy fees. I believe in using local expertise to help ensure ratepayer's money is used constructively.

Hood Aerodrome is one of our potential growth areas. The Eagle Air service has been successful and with water, sewerage and services there are investment and recreational opportunities available.

Completion of the wastewater upgrade, along with sustainable use of the wastewater is paramount. This is Masterton's biggest project and with modern technology available wastewater can be a resource to be utilised for ratepayers benefit.

I am conscious of Council expenditure and will endeavour to spend ratepayer's money appropriately.