

Manawatū-Whanganui Regional Council  
(trading as Horizons Regional Council)  
Tararua Constituency  
Electing 1 Regional Councillor

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**Lorraine STEPHENSON**

Independent

My principal place of residence is in the Tararua Constituency area.

Kia ora Tararua, my name is Lorraine Stephenson. I have lived in Tararua all my life. My love for the Land was the catalyst for my work around managing natural resources and conservation. I

have extensive governance experience at local, regional and national levels, including various Ministerial appointed roles. My practical hands-on business skills gained whilst dairy farming the past 30 years, my vast knowledge of Tararua as a community leader and volunteer will bring invaluable skills and experience to the Regional Council table.

We need community development, economic growth and environmental sustainability. With increasing land use pressures and regulations, my 27 years' experience working with the Resource Management Act and role as an independent Hearing Commissioner will ensure Tararua has a strong voice where it counts. I am passionate about providing opportunities for our children and grandchildren. In strong communities the best ideas win, not egos, not politics.

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