

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



Allan BENBOW

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

Born and bred in Dannevirke, I have lived all my life in the Tararua District. My wife Kathy and I have raised our family here. Currently I am Deputy Mayor of Tararua and also Chairman of

Scanpower, having been a Director since its inception.

My passion for economic development and job creation has seen me involved in establishing wool processing and more recently managing a large engineering business in Dannevirke.

I believe Regional Council should firmly stick to its core responsibilities. These include regional development, land, river and water management along with pest/weed control etc.

One Plan rules regarding nitrogen leaching pose serious concerns for Tararua dairy farmers and the communities. A comprehensive plan review is needed to resolve this issue and I am committed to supporting a plan change that addresses the flaws that exist.

I am committed to supporting our region, with particular interest in our district.

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