Manawatū-Whanganui Regional Council (trading as Horizons Regional Council) Horowhenua Constituency Electing 2 Regional Councillors



## Geoff KANE

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

Farming in Horowhenua for 30 years I know the District. We farm on the Arawhata stream so know the problems of the Lake and market gardeners well. My family also has an organic

dairy farm at Shannon. From Young Farmers, Federated Farmers and Rural Support Trust, to a member of Levin Rotary club and instigator of the Queen Street walkway, I am well known to both Horowhenua people, and Horizon matters.

Times have changed and Horizons has to focus on getting clean unpolluted waterways and swimmable rivers and Lakes. This will hurt some farmers and councils. Somehow we have to find a balance.

Infrastructure such as the new Levin expressway and gorge road are a must. Just as a growing population needs better access to public transport and train services.

Horizons is about keeping our region a sustainable, growing and great place to work and bring up our families.