

Taupō District Council  
Mangakino-Pouakani Ward  
Electing 1 Councillor

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**Kirsty TRUEMAN**

My principal place of residence is in the Mangakino-Pouakani Ward area.

Tena koe. I am 42 years old and mother to 5 children. My husband John and I grew up in beautiful Mangakino and live in Whakamaru.

I have a Bachelor of Management Studies Degree with Honours and for the past nine years have had the privilege of serving as Taupo District Councillor for our Mangakino Pouakani Ward.

My husband works as a tradesman at Kinleith and we own Kiwi Steps Preschool in Whakamaru. We have two children at high school, one at Whakamaru School and one attends a special needs class at Tokoroa North. Our son has taught us much about life with a disability, and I strongly advocate for greater inclusiveness and accessibility in our district.

If re-elected I will do my best to ensure that our ward has a strong voice; that urban and rural needs/viewpoints are heard; and will prioritise the wellbeing of our people and environment.