

Taupō District Council
Taupō Ward
Electing 7 Councillors



Duncan CAMPBELL

My principal place of residence is in the Taupō Ward area.

I am a self-employed civil engineer specialising in transportation who has spent more than a decade working in local government. I believe Taupō District Council needs common sense guidance in the areas of efficient traffic flow and road safety in its projects. I oppose the Three Waters legislation as a centralised government takeover of ratepayer owned resources, and support evidence-based decision making, and informed medical consent as a fundamental human right. I believe there has been an overall lack of critical thinking in local government in Taupō, which is where I can contribute most. We need to reduce inefficient spending that has been going on the past few years, and start making smarter decisions. Taupō is a wonderful place to work and play, however opportunities for young people are limited which needs improving in the long term. Tourism alone is not enough.
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