

STRAIGHT TALKING HARD WORKING FOR RAMSEY

I've lived in Ramsey all my life. It's my home, and I care deeply about making it the best it can be for everyone who lives here. I first stood for the Commissioners because I wanted to give something back—and I still believe I have a lot to offer.

As your Commissioner, I've always spoken up for the town — even when it's uncomfortable or unpopular to do so. I've introduced livestreaming of public meetings, opened up the agenda for public questions, and brought art and events like Sprintfest to the town centre. I've worked to do more with less, bringing colour and culture to the Mooragh shelters without cost to the ratepayer.

I've been Chair of the Northern Swimming Pool Board since 2021, and served as Lead Member for Finance from 2016–2023. I know how the system works — and how to fight to protect what matters.

I believe in openness, transparency and accountability. I'll continue to speak out when central government offloads services onto local authorities without proper funding. I want to see rates reform put firmly back on the agenda, and to passionately promote Ramsey as a place to live, work and visit.

I'm not here to be a silent, unaccountable vote on a committee. I'm open with constituents, active on social media, and always ready to explain my position. I play the ball, not the man — I believe in robust, respectful debate and getting the best outcome for Ramsey.

If re-elected, I'll continue to speak up, stand firm, and put Ramsey first.

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