

Whakatāne District Council
Whakatāne-Ōhope Community Board
Electing 8 Members



Kay BOREHAM

My principal place of residence is in the Whakatāne-Ōhope Community Board area.

The Whakatāne District has been my home for the past 32 years; during which time I have attempted to balance raising a blended brood of five children, with a career in media, public relations and the GLAM (Galleries, Libraries, Archives and Museum) sector.

I have been actively involved in organising and promoting many corporate and community events over the years, including Summer Arts Antique Fairs, multiple Summer Arts activities, the LIVE-Art Festival at Puawairua Marae and most recently, Sunshine and Canvas - an arts-driven fundraiser for Jezreel House and Wairaka Centennial Park Project.

I believe the Community Boards should be a greater vehicle for communication and engagement between residents and Council. I think the Board could also contribute more to social and economic development via the way it directs its budget to community events and organisations. I'm willing to offer a high level of commitment to help achieve those goals.