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**Your vote must be received by
10 am on Tuesday 28 October 2014**

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Information

There are 3 elections being held for Glenorchy City Council

- 10 Councillors (Aldermen) – 17 candidates
- Mayor – 4 candidates
- Deputy Mayor – 7 candidates

As well as this booklet, your postal ballot pack contains

- 2 sheets of ballot papers (one for aldermen positions, the other for mayor and deputy mayor positions)
- a ballot paper envelope – you must sign this
- a reply paid envelope

This year, for the first time, the entire Glenorchy City Council is being elected for a four-year term. The mayor, deputy mayor and aldermen you elect will all serve until 2018.

Successful candidates for mayor and deputy mayor must be also elected as aldermen to be able to accept the office of mayor or deputy mayor.

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Instructions

Follow these five easy steps...

STEP ONE

Consider your vote

The candidates have provided statements for your information. They are printed in alphabetical order in this brochure. Please note that the names on the ballot papers may not be in the same order.

Get to know the candidates before you vote.

STEP TWO

Record your vote

When you have decided how you wish to vote, number all the boxes on each ballot paper from 1 onwards in the order of your choice.

STEP THREE

Make your vote secret

Put your completed ballot papers in the ballot paper envelope and seal it securely.

STEP FOUR

Validate your vote

Sign your ballot paper envelope.

Your vote won't be counted if you don't sign this envelope.

Then put your ballot paper envelope in the reply paid envelope and seal it.

STEP FIVE

Post your vote

Post your reply paid envelope straight away. No stamp is needed.

**Don't delay—
late votes won't be counted!**

Questions? Call 1800 801 701

BRANCH-ALLEN Jenny

Candidate for Alderman, Mayor

[Web link](#)



Jenny Branch-Allen is there working for you, bringing positive, proven results. Jenny gets things done with courage and conviction and is focused on the job; Jenny gets the issues important to Glenorchy. Jenny will build community pride, appearance and reputation. Jenny is committed to our community plan', revitalising our CBD and has vision for the future. Open space, safety, and a cleaner city are all things Jenny is committed to delivering. Jenny is an active on-the-job Alderman. Re-elect as Alderman and vote Jenny no. 1 for Mayor. Visit www.talkglenorchy.com

CARNES Sharon

Candidate for Alderman

[Web link](#)



Sharon is proud to be your local Labor Alderman. Since being elected in 2011, she has been working hard to make Glenorchy an even better place. Improvements such as CCTV for CBD areas and better street lighting are two examples of Council initiatives that Sharon has supported as an Alderman. The new Moonah Arts Centre, the GASP! Boardwalk and Moonah Taste of the World Festival are among the many projects and events that Sharon is proud to have backed. Sharon is approachable, proactive and local. Your number 1 vote will ensure that Sharon continues to be your local Labor voice on Council.

DUNSBY Jan

Candidate for Alderman

[Web link](#)



35% in rate increases over the past five years is cruel. If we were seeing value for money maybe it could be justified but our City is full of rubbish, with potholes, unkempt areas and graffiti plastered everywhere. Enough is enough! The time has come for all of us to make a stand. It's time to elect new people to Council who live in Glenorchy, who will bring back community pride and put Glenorchy first. I am a life-long resident, recognised volunteer, I care what happens in our area and will be your voice on Glenorchy Council. Clean up Glenorchy and clean out the Council. Vote 1 Jan Dunsby

JOHNSTON Kristie

Candidate for Alderman, Mayor

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The position of Mayor of Glenorchy is now vacant. You have the responsibility to select the best person for the job. I submit to you my qualifications as a criminologist, lawyer, Alderman and a lifelong resident of Glenorchy and ask that you consider me for the position. Like you I'm fed up with continual rate rises, dirty and uncared for streets with graffiti plastered everywhere, and a lack of community consultation. We can do better. I can do better for you. Get Glenorchy out of its rut - Vote 1 Kristie Johnston for Mayor & Alderman. Help me to clean up Glenorchy & clean out the Council!

KING Steven David

Candidate for Alderman, Mayor

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Current alderman standing for re-election. As Mayor of Glenorchy, I will provide determined leadership, and act as a unifying voice for Council. I have 28 years business experience in Glenorchy, with a diploma of management. Many years of community service including Scouts, Moonah School Council, sports coaching and more. Strong family values. Current Chair of Tolosa Park, Emergency Services and Eady St recreation ground committees. Advocate of “user pay” system for rates control. Good listener with a sense of humour. Always available to assist you. Vote 1 Steve King for Alderman & Mayor.

LOWRIE Richard K

Candidate for Alderman, Deputy Mayor



I joined Council in 2007 and have been active on many committees. I am a strong advocate for developing industry and small business within Glenorchy and have been employed with Incat for almost 20 years. My priorities are to improve the effectiveness, efficiency and cost of Council; promote Glenorchy as a business, industrial and retail hub to create ongoing employment opportunities; encourage greater infrastructure and government services into the municipality; continue the recognition of our significant volunteer effort and ensure people's voices are heard on matters affecting them.

LUCAS Christine

Candidate for Alderman, Deputy Mayor

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As an experienced alderman I've been working enthusiastically on issues affecting our fantastic city, with courage and conviction. I'm committed to the Community Plan and our vision for the future, including family-friendly open spaces, revitalised and attractive CBDs, enhanced community pride and reputation. I'm committed to providing strong leadership in partnership with the other Alderman to build a vibrant city into the future. I'll represent your views in Council from a balanced perspective, to build a stronger community. Vote 1 for Alderman and Deputy Mayor. See www.talkglenorchy.com.au

NIELSEN Haydyn

Candidate for Alderman, Deputy Mayor

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As full time Deputy Mayor since 2011, I have gained broad experience and skills in local government. Residing in West Moonah and married with 2 children, extensive involvement in sport including umpiring TFL football and organising City to Casino, Point to Pinnacle and MONA GASP fun runs. As Citizen of the year in 2000, I give my assurance of fostering employment opportunities, supporting cultural diversity along with increasing our current \$100 million of economic development. I am seeking your support to be re-elected Alderman and Deputy Mayor. For further details www.haydynnielsen.com

PEARCE David

Candidate for Alderman, Deputy Mayor



With 13 years experience on Council I believe in your ability to make a positive impact in your community. Please allow me the opportunity to work with you and for you in joint efforts. Vote 1 David Pearce for Alderman and Deputy Mayor.

POWELL Michael

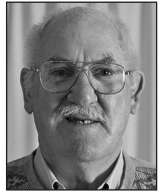
Candidate for Alderman



As a fourth generation resident I have a clear vision for Glenorchy. I will bring proven business and management skills to Council and help business grow local jobs, reduce the outrageous rates increases of 35% since 2010, and curtail wasteful Council expenses. I will work towards improved services, better rate concessions and programs for our Seniors and a Council that is more transparent and community focussed. We have not been served well by longstanding Aldermen. It's time for a change. Please vote 1 for Michael Powell so that together we can clean up Glenorchy and clean out the Council.

QUICK Harry

Candidate for Alderman, Deputy Mayor



Living in Glenorchy for 47 years, teaching in 3 of its schools, working tirelessly as a Federal PM for 15 years, and now volunteering with Scouts Tasmania and St. John Ambulance, I know rate payers deserve a far more community and family focused responsive council. Rates must be CPI indexed, weekly garbage collection and green waste bins provided, parks and playground equipment enhanced, community transport improved and road marking prioritised. Fresh faces on the council dedicated to ensuring a revitalisation and renewal of Glenorchy is essential. Your vote for me will ensure this occurs.

RICHARDSON Colin

Candidate for Alderman



Statement not available

RIDLER Peter William

Candidate for Alderman, Deputy Mayor

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Current alderman, qualified accountant, chartered secretary, company director. Strong on improving city finances; community and better quality of life via community participation, key infrastructure, land use and service delivery; user pay charges instead of rate imposts; crime prevention; support for youth and pensioners; economic growth, educational opportunities, business and job creation; best practice to manage and develop our natural and built environment; pensioner rate relief. For guaranteed stability and leadership based on proven experience and expertise vote 1 to re-elect Peter.

SLADE Stuart

Candidate for Alderman, Mayor

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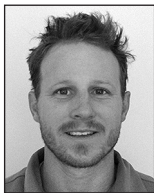


Being your Mayor since 2011, I have gained experience, knowledge and skills in local government. I am happily married, a father and live at Berriedale. I have qualifications in governance, health science and risk management. I am committed to community safety; strong council financial management; economic development; and services for seniors, young people, families and persons with disabilities. I give my assurance to our community of council's commitment to over \$100 million in projects. I am seeking your support to be re-elected Alderman and Mayor. For further details www.stuartslade.com

STEVENSON Matt

Candidate for Alderman, Deputy Mayor

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I know increases in rates is the number 1 concern of residents and businesses, and I'm fighting to ensure that recent high increases end. Enough is enough. Over the past 4 years I have brought the most number of successful motions to Council including items improving budget measures to ensure Alderman can't hide in their decisions on rates and reducing the number of Alderman. I've also been the strongest voice on our Council for being pro-active with investment in the city such as the Cable Car from Tolosa Park and getting FTTP NBN access for our CBD areas.

Visit www.matt-stevenson.com.au

WARD Vanessa

Candidate for Alderman

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I live and work as an advertising executive in Glenorchy City. It is my plan to be part of shaping a positive future for our city. We need a stronger business sector; promoting the city as an arts hub; and extending our walkways/cycleways and family friendly reserves. I'll advocate for greater services and programs for our seniors; our youth; our people with disabilities; and a review of waste management services and costs. I recognise and embrace our aboriginal and multicultural heritage. I'm seeking your support to be elected an Alderman. For more information please see my website.

WHYKES Alan

Candidate for Alderman

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A local business & home owner, to me it's vital we build communities that are economically, socially & physically healthy. That's why I started Lutana Link project for the old rail spur & have been active in arts, community houses, precincts & sports clubs. We are starting long-term renewal: reviving our suburbs to make them better places to live & work requires vision & dedication. We also need better education & employment opportunities, access to healthy food & recreation. With solid Greens values I will work hard to ensure Council uses its resources to play a pivotal role in these areas.



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