



Wednesday 3 August 2022

## Take a seat at the Circular Head Council Table

Tasmanian local government elections will be held in October 2022 and several Circular Head Councillors have announced that they will not be nominating for re-election to the Council, including the Mayor and Deputy Mayor.

Circular Head Mayor Daryl Quilliam said

*“Together, we have served our community for many years on the Council and while it’s been a great honour and a privilege to do so, each of us feel that It’s time to pass the baton on to someone else.*

*Choosing to serve your community can be one of the most rewarding of choices you will ever make and we are urging local residents to consider running for the Circular Head Council in the local government elections in October. We encourage Circular Head residents to put their hands up and nominate for a position on the Council.”*

Mayor Quilliam and General Manager Vanessa Adams will be hosting a series of Election Candidate Informal Drop-in Information Sessions during August at venues in Smithton, Marrawah and Stanley.

### **12.30pm to 1.30pm:**

Monday 15 August - Time Out On Emmett Café, Smithton

Wednesday 24 August - Marrawah Pub, Marrawah

Monday 29 August – Marley’s Cafe, Stanley

Local government is the closest level of government to the community and being a Councillor offers an exciting and rewarding opportunity for residents to be part of the Council decision making process, which can make a real difference to the local community.

Terms last for four years and nominations open on 5 September 2022. Voting for Tasmanian local government elections is by postal vote and voting begins in early October 2022.

The Local Government Association website has all the information potential candidates need to run as a candidate: <https://www.lgat.tas.gov.au/council-elections>

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