

INVERCARGILL CITY COUNCIL

Electing the Mayor



Tim SHADBOLT

My principal place of residence is in the INVERCARGILL CITY COUNCIL area.

As the longest serving Mayor in the history of New Zealand I know what it takes to achieve results.

First, you must be an inspiring public speaker who can keep Invercargill City 'On the Map'. It helps to be a national identity.

Secondly, you should be an experienced political veteran, who can fight to protect our assets from the 'Better Local Services Bill', prevent funding cuts to our health services and support the Smelter over transmission costs. In the next term we need to maintain the lowest average rate increase of any city in New Zealand, continue the upgrading of our infrastructure, invigorate our inner city, respond to the SoRD's recommendations, keep our AA credit rating and improve on our 2.7% population growth. We've built the new Stadium, Velodrome and Airport. We've renovated the Civic Theatre and saved Rugby Park. Let's keep the momentum going. Let's keep this City growing.