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Mayor
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Thank you for electing me for a second term as your Beale Ward councillor

I'm excited about representing the values of our community and ensuring these values are aligned with Council.

I look forward to continuing to make good decisions that add value to the community.

I'll be listening to residents, hearing their concerns and advocating for their best interests. You'll see me at community consultations and committee meetings, connecting with people across Banyule.

My priorities this term

My priority is to ensure that Banyule is socially, financially and environmentally sustainable. This is achieved by:

- Supporting social and sporting clubs with infrastructure upgrades that include multi-purpose meeting spaces.
- Advocating for improved bus services.

- Supporting businesses and jobs through Banyule's Inclusive Employment Program.
- Protecting neighbourhood character and the environment, while allowing appropriate development.

In Beale, I'm focussed on service maintenance and upgrades, traffic issues and ensuring there are places for people to connect.

I look forward to meeting with many of you over the coming months to hear your ideas and concerns.



Role of a councillor

I was elected by Beale Ward voters, but I make decisions for the whole of the municipality, like all Banyule councillors.

It's our job to help make policy decisions, set the strategic direction for Council and make sure that Council services meet the community's needs.

Get in touch

I'm here to help you. Get in touch if you'd like to chat about any concerns in our area, such as planning, roads or community facilities.

Next Council meeting

Banyule Council meetings are open to the public. Find out more at banyule.vic.gov.au/CouncilMeetings

 **9 December**

 **7pm**

 **Council Chambers**
at ILCH, 275 Upper
Heidelberg Road, Ivanhoe



Your new Council

L-R: Olympia Ward Cr Mary O'Kane
Beale Ward Cr Elizabeth Nealy*, Mayor
Bakewell Ward Cr Mark Di Pasquale*
Grimshaw Ward Cr Rick Garotti*
Sherbourne Ward Cr Alison Champion*
Griffin Ward Cr Peter Castaldo*, Deputy Mayor
Ibbott Ward Cr Alicia Curry
Chelsworth Ward Cr Alida McKern*
Hawdon Ward Cr Matt Wood

* re-elected



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