

# Whanganui District

## Electing 12 Councillors

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### **Kiritahi FIRMIN**

My principal place of residence is in the Whanganui District area. I am also standing for elected member of Whanganui District Health Board.

I'm Kiritahi Firmin

I'm standing again for you because I believe in the importance of diversity and advocating for those who don't always have a voice.

I'm a business woman and an educator. I have travelled through the country sharing with communities strategies to keep them safe from suicide and violence, and by focusing on wellness I've taught sustainable practices to help families and communities thrive.

I'm on a few Boards and a national Ethics committee focussed on Health. The Mental Health Foundation is one of the Boards in particular I'm proud of because of the innovative and engaging ways we are helping all New Zealanders.

I'm employed by a Govt agency where I strengthen cultural capability with multiple Govt agencies' NGO's and communities to get us working together.

Whanganui is my home.

I'd love your vote. It will count and it WILL help to make the difference.

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