

Important Notes:

1. The front pages of completed nomination forms are required to be available for public inspection at the Buller District Council office, 6-8 Brougham Street, Westport.
2. Candidate name, email address and/or phone number details as provided in Section B will be made available from the council's website.
3. Nominator names may also be made available from the council's website.
4. In this form LEA = Local Electoral Act 2001 and LER = Local Electoral Regulations 2001

A TE ROHE PŌTI | ELECTION AREA

I wish to stand for election as the **Buller District Trustee** for **Development West Coast**.

My principal place of residence
(tick ONE circle):



is **WITHIN** the Buller District Council
area



is **NOT WITHIN** the Buller District
Council area

B MĀ TE KAITONO | CANDIDATE TO FILL OUT (after reading important information on reverse)

I (candidate's full name),

accept the nomination and confirm that I have read and understand the **Eligibility and Candidacy Notes** on the reverse of this form and certify that I am not disqualified by any of the provisions of clause 11.1 of the Trust Deed, namely I am not a Member of Parliament or an elected member of any of the West Coast Councils or a full time permanent employee of any of the West Coast Councils.

Contact details (will be made available for public inspection):

Phone No.:

Email Address:

I am also standing for the following elections:

I wish my name to be shown on the voting document as:

I wish to use the following affiliation (to be left blank if the candidate does not wish to use any party / group affiliation. A candidate with no affiliation may request that 'independent' be shown. Maximum length is 38 characters (including any spaces between words)):

Signature:

Date:

C MĀ TE KAITAUTOKO | NOMINATORS TO FILL OUT

We, the undersigned electors of the Buller District Council hereby nominate the candidate listed in **Section B** above with their consent, as a candidate for the office of **Trustee for the Buller District**, the election for which is to be held on 11 October 2025.

Full name of First Nominator:

Residential Address:

Phone No.:

Signature of First Nominator:

Full name of Second Nominator:

Residential Address:

Phone No.:

Signature of Second Nominator:

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CANDIDATE CONTACT DETAILS FOR THE ELECTORAL OFFICER/OFFICIAL

These contact details will not be made public and will be used for election communication by the Electoral Officer/Official:

Residential Address:

(For the following 2 fields only complete if different from details listed in Section B of this form):

Phone No.:Email Address:

ELIGIBILITY & CANDIDACY NOTES

Note: If required, details of the legislation referred to below can be viewed online at www.legislation.govt.nz

- 1 Candidates for this position do not need to live within the Buller District Council election area, but must be a New Zealand citizen and enrolled as a New Zealand parliamentary elector.
- 2 Both nominators must be enrolled as electors of Buller District Council.
- 3 The following restrictions from clause 10.1 of the Trust Deed apply. Candidates cannot be:

(d) a bankrupt who has not obtained a final order of discharge or whose order of discharge has been suspended for a term not yet expired, or is subject to a condition not yet fulfilled, or to any order under section 299 of the Insolvency Act 2006;

(e) a person who has been convicted of any offence punishable by a term of imprisonment of two or more years;

(f) a person who is disqualified from being a director of a company under section 382 of the Companies Act 1993;

(g) a person in respect of whom an order has been made under section 383 of the Companies Act 1993;

(h) a person who is mentally disordered within the meaning of the Mental Health (Compulsory Assessment and Treatment) Act 1992;

(i) a person who is subject to a property order made under section 30 or section 31 of the Protection of Personal and Property Rights Act 1988;

(j) a disqualified person under section 14 of the Financial Service Providers (Registration and Dispute Resolution) Act 2008;

(k) a disqualified person under section 16 of the Charities Act 2005;
- 4 No person can be elected to a local authority if they are concerned or interested in contracts over \$25,000 with that local authority. This restriction is waived if prior approval from the office of the Controller and Auditor-General is obtained (Section 3(1) Local Authorities (Members' Interests) Act 1968).
- 5 A candidate cannot nominate themselves for office.
- 6 A candidate may under Section 56 of the LEA be nominated under a name which the candidate is commonly known as provided that the name will not: cause offence to a reasonable person; be unreasonably long; include or resemble an official rank or title; cause confusion or mislead electors (Section 56 of the LEA).
- 7 Where no affiliation is claimed, or an affiliation is disallowed by the Electoral Officer under Section 57 of the LEA, nothing will be shown in the public notice or the voting paper alongside the candidate's name. A candidate with no affiliation may request that 'Independent' be shown.
- 8 Under Section 121 of the LEA, any person is liable to a fine of up to \$2,000 who:

(a) Knowing themselves to be ineligible for election, consents to being nominated for election; or

(b) Nominates any person as a candidate whom they know to be ineligible for election; or

(c) Not being the candidate signs any nomination paper knowing that they are not qualified to vote at the election.
- 9 Evidence of NZ citizenship is required at the time of candidate nomination. Acceptable evidence includes a copy of a NZ passport, NZ birth certificate or NZ citizenship documentation.
- 10 Nominations of candidates must be in the hands of the Electoral Officer, Buller District Council, before 12 noon on Friday 1 August 2025.

RETURN DETAILS

I submit with this nomination (please tick appropriate circles):

☐ Evidence of NZ citizenship

☐ Photo

☐ Profile statement

I understand that if I do not provide a profile or photo, the words "Profile/Photo not supplied" will appear below my name in the profile booklet that will be sent out with the voting paper.

Deliver to (do not post):Buller District Council, 6-8 Brougham Street, Westport

Or, scan and email to:[email]

ELECTORAL OFFICIAL TO FILL OUT

Received at the hour of: on the day of 20

Candidate roll #:

First nominator roll #:Second nominator roll #:

Nomination documents approved:

☐ Nomination paper

☐ Place of residence

☐ Photo

☐ Profile statement

☐ Proof of NZ citizenship

☐ Standing for other elections

Signature of Electoral Official:Date: