



Board Nominations



Marybeth McKeever is an American-born humanitarian leader who relocated to Auckland three years ago with her Kiwi husband and whānau, bringing over 20 years of experience across Africa, Asia, the Pacific, and the Middle East (and quickly learning that New Zealand coffee standards are non-negotiable).

She has held senior roles with USAID, the United Nations, and now Oxfam Aotearoa, and is a committed advocate for justice and inclusion.

A busy mum of three, volunteer, water sports enthusiast, and traveller, Marybeth balances board-level seriousness with good humour—believing that while governance should be rigorous, lasting impact comes from bringing people and communities together around shared purpose.



I've been privileged to call Devonport home for more than 30 years. I'm passionate about the Shore and its breathtaking beauty. It's an amazing place to live and a great place to visit. But our Belmont community centre is facing challenges and change. We need pragmatic, future-focused solutions.

As a television presenter/producer, I have spent the best part of my life telling New Zealand stories, helping the underdog get a fair go and celebrating our sporting success on the world stage. I want to ensure our slice of peninsula paradise remains a great place for future generations.

Working together as a community is where we draw strength. I believe in ensuring an independent decision making that's driven by a vision for a better future.