

KO WAI AU? WHO AM I?



*He uri ahau nō te waka o Takitimu
Ko Whakapunake te maunga
Ko Te Wairoa Hopuupū Hōnengenenge
Mātangi Rau te awa
Ko Ngāi Te Apatū rāua ko Ngāti Morewhare
ngā hapū
Ko Waihirere te marae
Ko Ngāti Kahungunu ki Wairoa te iwi
Ko Siiam Daniel tōku ingoa*

HAVE QUESTIONS OR WANT TO KORERO?

"I'm here for it. If you have any patai about the campaign, voting, or the kaupapa, please feel free to reach out."



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HASTINGS DISTRICT COUNCIL
CANDIDATE



VOTE

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MĀORI WARD FOR HASTINGS DISTRICT COUNCIL



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WHY VOTE ME?

✓ Lived Experience

I've walked the same path as many in our community. I understand our struggles because I've lived them.

✓ Proven Leadership

I have extensive management experience in the NGO sector, leading frontline teams delivering real outcomes.

✓ Strong Advocacy

I know how to work with government and iwi to get results, and I'm not afraid to challenge systems that aren't working for us.

✓ Community-Focused

I've always put whānau first. My mahi is grounded in what our people actually need, not just what looks good on paper.

✓ Culturally Ground

I believe in solutions that are community-led, whānau-focused, and rooted in our values and tikanga.

✓ Always Present

I'm not standing for council to start serving. I'm standing because I never stopped.

✓ Backing Rangatahi

I'm standing to uplift our rangatahi, make sure they're seen, supported, and ready to lead.

KEY PRIORITIES *MOVING THE WAKA FORWARD*

🌿 Protecting our Whenua, our Moana, our Taiao

We have a duty to care for our taiao. I'll advocate for decisions that protect our whenua, our moana, wai, and our natural resources for our future generations.

🏠 Housing with Mana and Purpose

Whānau-led solutions that restore mana, meet urgent needs, and build secure, thriving futures. Housing shouldn't just be a roof, it should be a foundation for wellbeing.

👤 Uplifting Rangatahi & Whānau

Backing services that awhi our rangatahi and tautoko whānau, helping them stand strong in their identity, their culture, and their dreams. When our young people thrive, so do our communities.

💰 Smarter, Transparent Spending

Ratepayer dollars should be treated with care. I'll support spending that is carefully planned, clearly prioritised, and focused on real outcomes for our communities, not unnecessary extras.

🛡️ Safer, More Connected Communities

Safety isn't just about policing, it's about connection, prevention, and community-led solutions. I'll support kaupapa that uplift kotahitanga and create safe, vibrant spaces for everyone.

📦 Backing Business

Reducing barriers and opening doors for Māori-led and local businesses to thrive. I'll push for access to council contracts and champion whānau-driven enterprise that keeps wealth circulating in our rohe.

ABOUT ME

He uri tēnei nō Ngāti Kahungunu ki Te Wairoa, born and bred in Te Matau-a-Māui. Flaxmere is more than just home, it's where I grew strong, alongside our people, facing the same challenges and celebrating the same successes that shape us all.

I'm not your typical candidate. I don't come with fancy suits or polished speeches, but I bring something just as important, real lived experience, deep understanding, and a genuine commitment to our whānau, our values, and our community.

I have stood shoulder to shoulder with rangatahi, kaumātua, and whānau through tough times, sharing their struggles, their hopes, and their dreams.

My mahi has been on the frontline, leading teams and delivering essential services in housing, youth justice, MSD, iwi partnerships, and Corrections. I know the systems that are meant to serve us, and more importantly, I know where they fail. I'm ready to challenge those systems to work better, to create real opportunities, and to lift up our people.

I'm not standing to start serving, I've been serving all along. Now, it's time to move the waka forward, with leadership that understands our journey, embraces our strengths, and fights fiercely for our future.

Mā tātou, mō tātou.

Vote for someone who will always stand with you.