

Bay of Plenty Regional Council
Tauranga General Constituency
Electing 5 Regional Councillors



Matt COONEY

Independent

My principal place of residence is in the Tauranga General Constituency area.

I'm Matt Cooney and respectfully submit myself as your representative for Tauranga.

I have real-world skills to contribute to our region's success. I find ways to get things done, but don't believe in progress at any cost, and don't want divisive or negative politics preventing a better life for our families.

I'm CTO at software company SwipedOn which I've helped grow in the last five years from a team of four to over 40, with HQ in downtown Tauranga and offices in the UK and US. My family is well established here: my wife works with Civil Defence and our daughters attend local schools.

My background in technology and management will help Council get value from every dollar.

We're blessed in Tauranga and the Bay with a wonderful environment and natural resources. It's possible to have growth and investment alongside a beautiful and healthy place to live.