Kaipara District Council West Coast-Central Ward Electing 2 Councillors



Victoria DEL LA VARIS-WOODCOCK

My principal place of residence is in the West Coast-Central Ward area.

Vote for Victoria for safer roads, a healthy environment and better-connected communities. My achievements this term include helping to secure government funding for roads; preventing

the sale of a coastal asset of significance to iwi; and instigating an awards scheme to encourage environmental action and sustainable food production. I helped to strengthen iwi-council relations, as I believe our future wellbeing depends on partnerships and collaboration. My vision sees Kaipara as a sustainable food production and tourism hub that capitalises on and protects our natural resources. From leading the Love Kaipara waste minimisation project; I know that councils can make long-term economic and environmental gains through waste reduction. My proposals are to investigate an effluent-to-fertiliser plant, to turn waste into money, and to encourage native re-vegetation in order to revitalise the Kaipara Harbour.