

Kaipara District Council
West Coast-Central Ward
Electing 2 Councillors



Joesephine NATHAN

Independent

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

E ngā mana e ngā reo

Tena koutou kātoa

Ko Waikāretu, Taita ngā marae

Ko Ngāti Whātua te Iwi

Ko Joesephine Nathan ahau

Joesephine Nathan brings a fresh energy focusing on the wellbeing of whānau, communities and the environment. She was born and raised on their family farm at Pouto. Her parents are Gus and Ella Nathan her siblings are Deborah, Steve and Jacinda. Jo is passionate about the sustainability of the Kaipara for future generations.

She is the original founder of the Gumboot Friday campaign and the Pouto Lighthouse Challenge. She recently rode from Rotorua to Wellington supporting the "smear your mea" initiative and is an active campaigner in the fight against cancer including "cycling for a cause".

Joesephine holds a Bachelor of Education, a Master's degree in Indigenous Studies and undertaking a PhD themed around community and environmental wellbeing.

Interests: horse riding, diving, fishing and community development.