## **Candidate Details**



Ballot paper name

JOHN, Ken

Candidate name District Nominating for Election type Enrolment status

Kenneth Peter JOHN Town of Bassendean Councillor for Town of Bassendean Ordinary

JOHN, Ken is eligible to stand for election as a resident of the Town of Bassendean.

As young people my wife and I chose to make Bassendean our home after moving from the regions for it's incredible country town feel. I have worked across state government and I am frustrated by councillors simply saying NO and not engaging with processes to achieve better outcomes. Our town has a role to play in ensuring the lifestyle of all residents is preserved and improved and this is what motivated me to run.

I will push for short stay accommodation to pay higher rates, this will allow our town to maintain low rates for residents without a reduction in services and I want to know who my neighbours are.

I will protect and increase our tree canopy & green spaces for a climate friendly & cool Bassendean.

I will advocate to Mainroads for traffic lights on Guildford Road at Ashfield Reserve.

I believe our town has much to offer 10km from the CBD, there is no reason for empty shop fronts and I will work towards encouraging sustainable small businesses in our community.

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