

# CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL

## Election of SEVEN (7) Members of the Canterbury District Health Board

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### Richard DEAR

*Independent Citizens*

Hello I'm Richard Dear, married to Helen with five children and the first grandchildren starting to arrive. I'm an accountant, businessman and chartered secretary (governance and risk management professional). With business interests in both Christchurch City and North Canterbury I am a good mix of town and country.

From my experience on company and community boards, I chair a school BOT, I know the best decisions are made when people bounce ideas off each other to reach a consensus. I challenge others to improve on my suggestions and I am delighted when they do.

The District Health Board has a tough job providing the best possible outcomes for Cantabrians from limited resources. It needs strong proactive leadership. It needs to be working to ensure future health problems are anticipated, rather than reacting to a series of crises. I can provide the necessary experience and vision. Thank you for your support.

#### *Conflict of Interest Statement*

I state in good faith that to the best of my knowledge and belief, as at the date of my consenting to nomination that I have no conflict(s) of interest with the Canterbury District Health Board. I state in good faith that to the best of my knowledge and belief, as at the date of my consenting to nomination that I do not believe that conflict(s) of interest with the Canterbury District Health Board are likely to arise in the future.