

CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL

Election of FIVE (5) Members of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board



Simon TAM

Christchurch 2021

My Commitment to the Community!

My vision for the future of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Ward is to empower local communities to care for and support families, the older person and create to opportunities for youth. I have campaigned vigorously to ban the increase in “pokie” machines which are destroying individuals and families.

I have excellent advocacy skills, and wide community networks both in Chinese and other Ethnic communities. I am able to liaise between Asian and Western communities due to the nature of my work.

I am Chinese and married to Sandra (European descent); we have a blended family of six teenage children. I work as the Asian social worker/counsellor and Project Leader for the Problem Gambling Foundation and prior to that I was a residential social worker for Child Youth & Family. I am a Justice of the Peace.
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