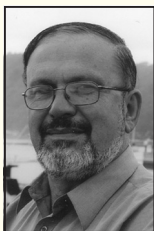


# BAY OF PLENTY DISTRICT HEALTH BOARD

## Election of seven (7) Members

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### **Kerry FARMER**

*Independent*

I want Whakatane Hospital to remain strong. It is in the best interests of both the Whakatane and Tauranga Communities to have a hospital in Whakatane offering a full range of services. The new building process for Whakatane Hospital must begin soon. Local Hospital Management based in Whakatane is essential for the Hospital. The waiting lists need to be better managed and I will work to see this is done. I will strive to prevent needless industrial action by Hospital staff. My 12 years experience as a Senior Manager at Whakatane Hospital will be valuable to the District Health Board. I know how to achieve these aims. I intend to ensure that the Eastern Bay Of Plenty's views are heard, and your views too. I will make myself readily available for public consultation at all times. Many of you will already know me and my wife Sharon, from 'Ohope Books'.

#### *Conflict of Interest Statement*

I hereby disclose the following conflict of interest with the Bay of Plenty District Health Board at the date of my notice of consent to being nominated as a candidate: My company, Dynamic Intelligence Ltd, did supply a small software package called Dynamic Monitor for continuous monitoring of the electrical current and other parameters to Whakatane Hospital in 2006 and it is possible that we could be called to support or extend the use of this software. There are more details on <http://dynamicintelligence.co.nz/about> some of our other programming services. My Bookshop "Ohope's Famous Bookshop-on-the-Lawn" does not provide any services to the DHB, although many of the Whakatane Hospital staff are our clients.

I hereby disclose the following conflict of interest with the Bay of Plenty District Health Board that may arise in the future: My company, Contract checker Ltd, does supply contract advice but has no previous or current business with the DHB. There are more details about us on <http://contractchecker.net/>