

Otago Regional Council
Dunstan Constituency
Electing 3 Regional Councillors



Graeme Robert BELL

My principal place of residence is in the Dunstan Constituency area.

It has been a privilege to serve on the ORC for the past two terms. It's my consistent view that Otago must work together, and continue building on our land-based strengths, with sustainable, efficient and equitable development. My contribution is built on extensive local government experience, rural, community and commercial knowledge, and a working life in the farming and wool industries. I believe in fair and frank discussion and take care to listen to and represent individual and community viewpoints. I have been a district councillor, three term trustee and deputy chair of the Central Lakes Trust and deputy chair of the Otago Land Transport Committee. In my work I travel widely across our region, meeting, working with, and hearing the opinions of a wide cross-section of people. My experience informs an increasingly strategic approach to the challenges we face, in the best interests of town and country.