



# Authorised Media Spokespersons Rotorua District Council

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For all Rotorua District Council departments phone 07 348 4199

Spokesperson	Position	Phone direct	Mobile	Area of Responsibility
<b>MAYOR'S OFFICE</b>				
Kevin Winters	Mayor	(07) 351 8306	0275 589 947	Council, governance

<b>CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S GROUP</b>				
Peter Guerin	Chief Executive	(07) 351 8320	0272 494 064	General management RDC
<b>COMMUNICATION DEPARTMENT</b>				
Rex Moore	Manager, Strategic Communication	(07) 351 8248	0274 465 465	Communication advice; Civil Defence emergency
<b>KAUPAPA MAORI DEPARTMENT</b>				
Mauriora Kingi	Director, Kaupapa Maori	(07) 351 8348	0274 791 798	Maori/iwi issues
<b>HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT</b>				
Judy Holden	Human Resources Manager	(07) 351 8318	0273 336 568	Human resources; payroll; health & safety

<b>CASTLECORP BUSINESS UNIT</b>				
Mike Davies	General Manager, Castlecorp	(07) 351 8901	0274 929 392	Castlecorp management; Rural Fire

<b>ECONOMIC &amp; REGULATORY SERVICES GROUP</b>				
Mark Rawson	Group Manager, Economic & Regulatory Services	(07) 351 8305	0274 405 843	Managing Economic & Regulatory Services Group

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<b>BUILDING SERVICES DEPARTMENT</b>				
Darrell Holder	Manager, Building Services	(07) 351 8063	0272 941 944	Building Services
<b>CITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT</b>				
Dennis Olliver	City Services Manager	(07) 351 8326	0274 488 915	CBD maintenance; toilets; parking building; CBD entertainment; Pay & Display meters and parking meters; CTV surveillance system.
<b>DESTINATION ROTORUA MARKETING</b>				
Tania Bui	Acting General Manager – Destination Rotorua Marketing (DRM)	(07) 351 7101	0272 444 155	All areas tourism, destination marketing
James Fitzgerald	International Marketing Manager	(07) 351 7108		International marketing (tourism)
Denise Siviter	Conventions & Incentive Manager	(07) 351 7106		Conventions & incentive marketing (tourism)
Shelley Huang	Fixed-Term Asian Market Executive	(07) 351 7075		Tourism marketing – China & other Asian markets
Craig Hammond	Domestic Marketing Manager	(07) 351 7102		Domestic marketing (tourism)
Gina George	Research & Insights Coordinator	(07) 351 7109		Research (tourism)
<b>TRAVEL OFFICE AND i-SITE</b>				
Grant Delamore	General Manager Travel Office	(07) 351 7333	0274 768 678	Destination Rotorua Travel Office and i-SITE
<b>ECONOMIC PROJECTS ROTORUA</b>				
Nick Dallimore	Manager Economic Projects	(07) 351 8307	027 201 1536	All economic projects
Heather McAllister	Settlement Support Coordinator	(07) 351 8225		Immigrant support
<b>EVENTS &amp; VENUES ROTORUA</b>				
Peter McLeod	General Manager, Events & Venues Rotorua	(07) 351 8650	0274 503 848	Venues and events management
Crispian Stewart	Operations Manager, Events & Venues	(07) 351 8653	0272 498 672	Event Venues operations
Tia Smith	Operations Manager, Events & Venues	(07) 351 8671	0272 498 674	Event Venues operations
Brett Jeffrey	Sales & Marketing Manager, Events & Venues	(07) 351 8651	0272 498 677	Event Venues sales/marketing
Joelene Elliot	Operations Manager, Energy Events Centre	(07) 351 7150	0272 498 681	Energy Events Centre operation
Martin Croft	Events Manager	(07) 351 8654	0272 498 670	Major events
Amanda Hohneck	Events Coordinator	(07) 351 8694		Community events
Kylie Lang	Community Programmes & Events Coordinator	(07) 351 8685		Community programmes

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<b>MUSEUM</b>				
Greg McManus	Director, Rotorua Museum	(07) 351 7828	0272 714 328	Museum management
Cherie Meecham	Deputy Director, Museum	(07) 351 7842	0272 714 335	Museum collections; programmes
Joanna Doherty	Sales & Marketing Manager	(07) 351 7831	027 272 5768	Museum sales & marketing
<b>PLANNING SERVICES DEPARTMENT</b>				
Liam Dagg	Manager, Planning Services	(07) 351 8057	0272 487 775	Planning Services management
VACANT	Team Leader Policy			Planning policy
<b>REGULATORY SERVICES DEPARTMENT</b>				
Jim Nicklin	Manager, Regulatory & Support Services	(07) 351 8079		Regulatory Services management
Kevin Coutts	Supervisor, Animal Control	(07) 351 8058	0274 579 332	Animal Control
Allan Culpan	Principal Environmental Health Officer	(07) 351 8075	0274 882 187	Environmental health

<b>INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES GROUP</b>				
Nico Claassen	Group Manager, Infrastructure Services	(07) 351 8304	0272 311 283	Managing Infrastructure Services Group
<b>ASSET MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT</b>				
Clayton Oldham	Asset Manager	(07) 351 8218	0272 272 636	Airport infrastructure, environmental laboratory
<b>ENGINEERING SERVICES DEPARTMENT</b>				
Andy Bell	Engineering Services Manager	(07) 351 8221	0274 635 132	Engineering services
Ian Hayes	Pollution Control Engineer	(07) 351 8201	0272 731 336	Pollution control
<b>HYDRUS ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS BUSINESS UNIT</b>				
Greg Manzano	HYDRUS General Manager	(07) 351 8204	0274 937 222	Water & wastewater planning and development
<b>PARKS &amp; RECREATION DEPARTMENT</b>				
Garry Page	Parks & Recreation Manager	(07) 351 8308	0274 934 184	Parks; sports fields; reserves; boat ramps; jetties; Redwoods, cemetery/crematorium, aquatic centre, reserve concessions, trees
Walter Miller	Parks Asset Manager	(07) 351 8117	0272 448 710	Horticulture; public programmes
Joby Barham	Landscape Architect	(07) 351 8133		Landscaping
Louis Sylvester	Aquatics & Leisure Programmes Manager	(07) 351 7622	0272 752 484	Aquatic Centre management

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Colin Elstob	Operations Manager (aquatic centre)	(07) 351 7624	0273 667 562	Aquatic Centre operations
Julianne Wilkinson	Redwoods Visitor Centre Manager	(07) 351 7640	0272 426 235	The Redwoods management; operations
<b>STATE HIGHWAY &amp; ROAD SAFETY DEPARTMENT</b>				
Kevin Thompson	Highway and Road Safety Manager	(07) 351 8314	0272 735 274	State Highways; Road Safety
<b>UTILITIES OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT</b>				
Eric Cawte	Utilities Operations Manager	(07) 351 8316	0274 765 969	Water & wastewater operations
Kim Lockie	Senior Engineer	(07) 351 8212	0274 587 847	Water & wastewater operations
<b>WORKS DEPARTMENT</b>				
Peter Dine	Works Manager	(07) 351 8214	0274 929 389	Roading; solid waste; drainage
Elizabeth Wood	Roading Engineer	(07) 351 8264	0274 929 390	Roading
VACANT	Solid Waste Manager			Recycling; landfill; refuse
Christine Findon	Keep Rotorua Beautiful Coordinator	(07) 351 8253	0274 741 753	Keep Rotorua Beautiful

<b>CORPORATE &amp; CUSTOMER SERVICES GROUP</b>				
Jean-Paul Gaston	Group Manager, Corporate & Customer Services	(07) 351 8302	0276 554 415	Corporate & Customer Services Group management
<b>CORPORATE PLANNING &amp; SUPPORT DEPARTMENT</b>				
Oonagh Hopkins	Project Manager	(07) 351 8734	027 259 8677	Democracy; LGOIMA official information requests
<b>PROCUREMENT &amp; SUSTAINABILITY DEPARTMENT</b>				
Kerry Starling	Procurement & Sustainability Manager	(07) 351 8450	0274 585 741	Procurement & sustainability
Niki Carling	Road Safety & Sustainability Coordinator	(07) 351 8220	0273 243 244	Road safety & sustainability
<b>EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT</b>				
Pauline Hitchcock	Emergency Management Coordinator	(07) 351 8312	027 454 5402	Civil Defence; emergency management
<b>COMMUNITY POLICY &amp; RESOURCES DEPARTMENT</b>				
Ann Esler	Manager, Community Policy & Resources	(07) 351 8303	0274 997 253	Social policy, research & monitoring, community policy
Carole Parker	Community Services Officer	(07) 351 8115		Pensioner housing & community halls;
Caroline Matangi	Social Research Officer	(07) 351 8138		Social research
Jill Campbell	Youth Projects Officer	(07) 351 8180		Youth policy & action plans

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Kiri Jarden	Community Arts Officer	(07) 351 8154		Art policy and action plans
Bob Austin	Community Projects Officer	(07) 351 8140		Community funding & capability building
Amy Duckett	Community Safety Projects Officer	(07) 351 8172		Community safety projects & crime prevention plan
<b>CUSTOMER CENTRE DEPARTMENT</b>				
Roanna Dunn	Customer Centre Manager	(07) 351 8095	0275 625 456	Customer Centre management
<b>FINANCE DEPARTMENT</b>				
Teresa Foster	Finance Manager	(07) 351 8041	0274 467 777	Finance
Murray Ramage	Manager, Rates Operations	(07) 351 8040		Rates
<b>LIBRARY</b>				
Jane Gilbert	Library Manager	(07) 351 7022	0272 378 650	Library management
Lois Haddon	Deputy Library Manager	(07) 351 7056		Library
Sue Heke	Marketing & Promotions Officer	(07) 351 7046		Library marketing; promotions

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