

**CV DETAILS****NAME:**

Hon. John Banks QSO

**INVOLVEMENT IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT:**

Birkenhead Borough Council, Auckland Regional Council, Mayor Auckland City Council

It is a distinct honour and privilege to have been re-elected to lead this great city. I, along with the council, will be working hard over the next three years to make sure your rates are kept affordable and you are served efficiently, with good value and best practice.

Decisive leadership supported by quality community engagement will be critical to success on the many key issues facing Auckland. This Council will ensure Auckland city is governed professionally and in a businesslike manner.

The Auckland Governance review by the Royal Commission in 2008 will be a key area of interest for this Council. Establishing a framework for the future governance of the region is critical

I'm looking forward to the tasks ahead, and delivering you affordable progress.

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/ AFFILIATIONS:**

Member of Parliament for 6 terms

**OTHER COMMENT (FAMILY, OUTSIDE INTERESTS, OTHER BUSINESSES ETC):**

I am married to Amanda (a pharmacist) with three children.

**PARTY AFFILIATION:**

Independent