Councillor character statement - Newton, Dot

Some may wonder why I am putting my name forward as your ward councillor again. I have missed being your representative on Council, there were personal reasons for my decision not to stand in 2021. Many in our community still contact me not realising I am no longer on Council.

I am asking you to put your trust in me again. I cannot guarantee there will be no rate increases, what I can guarantee is that if elected I will with my one vote, that I will only support a responsible budget.

I am a member of, and involved with quite a few community groups, I shop, walk and recreate in the local area. I am lucky to meet many residents as a JP. I guess you could say I care.

Fortunately, I know the time needed to invest in being your representative on Council, I have the time and although some people will just see me as a senior, many will realise with age comes experience and an ability to relate to all age groups.

I respectfully ask you to trust me with your vote. Newton, Dot

No signs they are visual pollution, no leaflets or pamphlets because I like trees.