

# VOTE FOR MAIRE BOOTH

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## Bringing Politics back to the People

## ABOUT MAIRE BOOTH



Hello, I'm Maire Booth and I want to be your voice in the House of Keys. In return I promise fair representation for the benefit of Douglas North, and transparent feedback on issues tackled and policies implemented by government. Although I'm not Manx born, I have been lucky to be here for twelve years and I love the Island. It is the perfect place for a biker family to live and there is nowhere better to raise my son.

My son's birth, along with the recent austerity measures, have both reignited my passion in politics. I believe that by working together in a political party we can make fundamental changes that will have a lasting and positive effect on future generations. For too long your money has been wasted by successive administrations with no accountability to the Manx public. **This needs to change. Government must be fully open, transparent and accountable to those who vote for them.**

My manifesto will be posted to you soon. The policies in it are mine and LibVan's as I have been instrumental in formulating these policies. I believe that they will make the Island a fairer place for all. I am proud to be part of LibVan and believe the time is right to embrace party politics and the advantages that it brings. One such advantage being, should you agree with the policies in the manifesto, you will know that at least two other MHKs agree and support them as well.

If I have not been able to talk with you while I have been canvassing and you would like to have a chat, please contact me on 417486.

Please be aware that the polling stations are Willaston Methodist Church – Willaston Estate, Cronk y Berry School – Cronk y Berry, Project 21 (A) – Voters on Glencrutchery Electoral Roll and Project 21 (B) – Voters on St Ninians Electoral Roll. Should you require a lift to/from please let me know. I will arrange transport for you.

Thank you for taking the time to read my leaflet.

 Maire Booth

### A word from our Leader Kate Beecroft



I do hope that you will vote for Maire. She has been a party member for some time and has worked very hard with the team developing the policies in the manifesto. I have found her to be a person of integrity who makes a 100% commitment to whatever she does.

I am sure that she will not only be a real asset to the constituents of Douglas North but to the whole of the Island as a national politician.

I hope you agree with the policies in the manifesto and will give Maire your vote on 21st May.

## EXTRACTS FROM SOME OF OUR POLICIES

### HEALTH

- Free of charge at the point of delivery
- Protect frontline staff and services
- Appoint an independent regulator
- Ensure compliance with best practice
- Publish a list of all consultants, their qualifications and waiting times
- Promote through education and encouragement better lifestyle choices
- Create a working party to develop an effective first class dental health care policy and system
- Define and eliminate fuel poverty

### EDUCATION

Investing in our young people has to be the best investment that we can make and all should be provided with the opportunity and encouraged to meet their full potential.

- A University grant system based on achievement
- Protect frontline teaching
- Ensure all class sizes are appropriate
- Give more decision making powers to head teachers
- Make better use of technology
- Reintroduce tax relief on educational covenants

### REFORM

- A publicly elected Legislative Council
- An open Tynwald ballot for Chief Minister
- Candidates for Chief Minister to publish a programme for Government prior to the ballot
- Restrict collective responsibility to Ministers and then only to the policies in the programme for government
- Abolish the supplement paid to Tynwald members for memberships of departments and statutory boards
- Appoint an independent Auditor General
- Remove commercial confidentiality clauses from government contracts unless there is a proven need

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# Some of the LibVan Team

LibVan has many people working together for the betterment of our beautiful Island. These are all people united by the desire for fairness, equality and responsibility, and with that determination and support LibVan is the only means of change.

Maire will not be a politician who will only be seen every five years as we hold monthly meetings and all of our MHKs attend to give their reports and answer any questions.

**Peter Karran**



**Party Ard  
MHK for Onchan**

**Roy Redmayne**



**Party Chairman**

**Pat Ayres**



**Party Vice-Chairman**

**Kate Beecroft**



**Party Leader  
MHK for Douglas South**

**Keith Fitton**



**Candidate for  
Douglas South**

**Andrew Jessop**



**Chairman of  
Braddan Commissioners**

**Lawrie Hooper**



**Ramsey Commissioner**

**Jamie Irving**



**Party Secretary**

**Paul Beckett**



**Legal Advisor**

**Tom Crowe**



**Central Branch Chairman**

**Neil Cushing**



**Membership Secretary**

**Tony Beecroft**



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