

## Candidate Details



Ballot paper name	<b>FARLEY, Karen</b>
Candidate name	<b>Karen Josephine FARLEY</b>
District	<b>Shire of Peppermint Grove</b>
Nominating for	<b>Councillor for Shire of Peppermint Grove</b>
Election type	<b>Ordinary</b>
Enrolment status	<b>FARLEY, Karen is eligible to stand for election as a resident of the Shire of Peppermint Grove.</b>

I am seeking re-election, having been an elected member prior to being appointed Shire President in 2023.

My husband (Stuart Barrymore) and I have lived in the Shire for nearly 27 years and have raised our three children here. We are passionate about our local area and community and committed to protecting its heritage and amenity for future generations. I am particularly excited to continue to promote Peppermint Grove as our Garden Shire.

I completed a law degree at UWA and have practised in several areas, primarily in Criminal Law. In 2013 I was appointed Senior Counsel for and in the State of WA.

I have sat on numerous government and non-government Boards and Committees. Currently I am Chair of RWWA and Deputy Chair of the Legal Practice Board.

My knowledge of Local Government process and policy and my ability to work collaboratively and constructively with my fellow Councillors, Council staff and the Peppermint Grove community generally have driven my decision to seek re-election.

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