

TRANSCRIPT OF KAREN WILLIAMS LNP PRESELECTION

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KW: I'm Karen Williams and I'm running to be your candidate for Bowman to continue delivering for our beautiful Redlands Coast.

I was lucky enough to be born and raised in the Redlands and it was the place I chose to raise my family too. From humble beginnings, watching my Mum and Dad farm strawberries and small crops in Redlands' rich, red soil, to eventually starting my own businesses as 'Heidi the Yodeller' and branching out as a florist and café owner with my husband, Peter.

I love the Redlands, and that's why 17 years ago I decided to step up as a representative, **toppling the Labor-incumbent councillor for Capalaba** and then, **eight years later, toppling the Labor mayor.**

In that time, I've removed tip fees, created new destinations for local families, delivered road upgrades, attracted Hollywood productions and jobs for our local residents.

I've raised millions of dollars for local causes including support for victims of Domestic and Family Violence, school chaplaincy programs, and of course, our community grants.

I negotiated the purchase of the Birkdale Commonwealth land, and have always stood up to Labor's dirty politics.

Community service is something I live for – but the Labor State Government has cut the legs out of local government and so the best way for me to continue delivering for our City is as your representative for Bowman.

We need to keep Labor out of Redland City and I am the only candidate with proven electoral success that can energise our community to help return the LNP to government.

If you support me, you'll be getting a born and bred Redlander who has a long-term affiliation with the LNP. A proven record, and of course, high city-wide name recognition.

I love our City, and I know you do too. I'm Karen Williams, and I'm asking you to support me to help send a Redlander to Canberra as your LNP candidate for Bowman.

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