



CHARTERS TOWERS
REGIONAL COUNCIL



JULIE MATHEWS

COUNCILLOR

Portfolio Information

Strategic Framework Focus Area

- Tourism

Community Links

- Charters Towers Chamber of Commerce and Mines
- Zara Clark Museum Committee
- CTRC Advocacy Committee

Portfolio Responsibility

- Tourism Economic Development
- Visitor Information Centre
- Tourist Attractions

Biography

Councillor Julie Mathews was born in Charters Towers and has lived in the region her whole life.

Cr Mathews attended primary school at Richmond Hill State School and later Charters Towers State High School, leaving partway through grade 11 to start work in an accountant's office.

From there, Cr Mathews worked as a Trust Officer at Eventide Residential Aged Care and a Property Manager for a local real estate business before purchasing Norton's General Store from her parents in 1995 with her husband, Michael.

Cr Mathews and her husband have successfully owned and operated Norton's General Store for 25 years and counting.

Cr Mathews supports many local sporting clubs and is a keen Motor Sport enthusiast who holds membership at the following clubs:

- Charters Towers Restorers Club
- Charters Towers 4 x 4 Club

Cr Mathews was first elected to Council in March 2020.

The Councillor's Role

Each Councillor is allocated a priority focus area as their portfolio.

A Councillor's primary role is to represent their region and the people who live in it, and can assist residents in signposting them to the right people at the council.

As such, Councillors are charged with staying abreast of their portfolios, and knowing and working with relevant representatives of community and business groups.

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