

Bruce Marshall



Unfortunately I'm 82 years of age and getting close to my usefulness to ACHA. However I remain committed to working on the Board for the good of the organisation as long as I am able.

I was an Argyll and Bute Councillor back in 2006 when we took the decision to hand over the 5000 plus Council properties to the new organisation, at that time the housing estate had a £50m deficit and it was very difficult to get any meaningful repairs done to the housing stock. With Government financial assistance ACHA has done amazing work in bringing the stock into much better repair. I wish to see ACHA continue with this work for the benefit of our tenants.

I have been on the Board as a Councillor and an Independent for 12 years and am on the board of AHFA where we can keep a good watch on the repair side.

I am also keen on building new homes which obviously are of a far better standard than our existing stock due to better insulation and higher building standards

I live in Strone, near Dunoon and play golf and bridge and am a keen gardener. I'm also on the board of Argyll & the Isles Coast and Countryside Trust which is going from strength to strength since the Council set it up 9 years ago, I'm also chairman of Dunoon Burgh Hall which we renovated for £1.7m 6 years ago