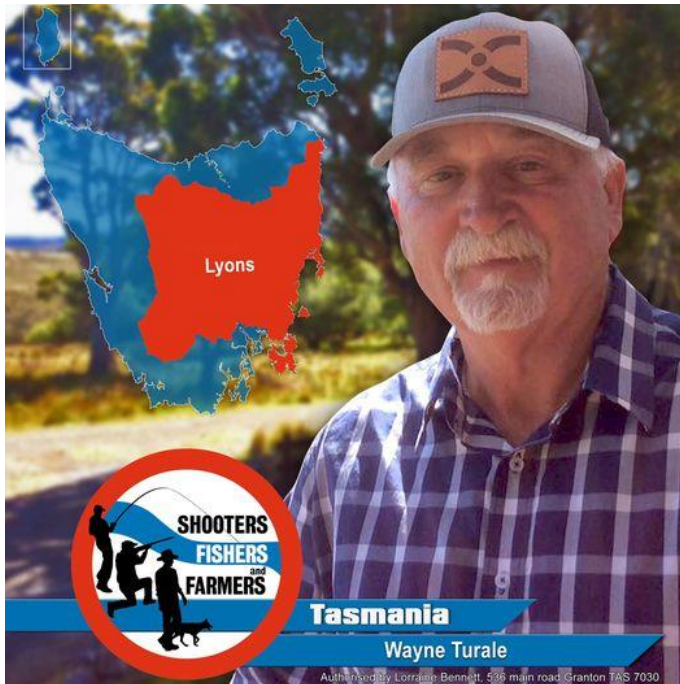




## Wayne TURALE - Lyons Candidate



Introducing Wayne Turale, SFF candidate for Lyons, a steadfast Tasmanian whose journey weaves through the heart of our island's communities and landscapes. From his formative years on a family farm in the NW Coast to two decades of dedicated service in the Tasmania Police, Wayne's rural roots and commitment to public safety run deep. His experiences have honed a profound understanding of the challenges our frontline officers encounter daily, fostering a relentless dedication to keeping our communities safe.

Transitioning from policing to entrepreneurship, Wayne and his wife embarked on a journey of building and nurturing a thriving business in Tasmania's Central Highlands. Through grit and determination, they transformed their modest venture into a beacon of success, embodying the essence of Tasmanian resilience and ingenuity.

Yet, Wayne's path took a poignant turn as he confronted the harsh realities of mental health crises and suicide prevention during his time as a police officer. Motivated by a desire to effect positive change, he played a pivotal role in establishing the Outreach Suicide Prevention Service, Rural Alive and Well (RAW), pioneering a compassionate approach to supporting individuals and communities in distress.

As the statewide Outreach Manager for RAW, Wayne tirelessly traversed Tasmania's rugged terrains, offering vital assistance to rural communities grappling with an array of challenges,

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from financial crises to droughts and mental health struggles. His unwavering commitment earned him recognition as a joint winner of the Tasmanian Bi-Annual Rural Health Worker of the Year—an accolade emblematic of his profound impact on rural health advocacy.

Beyond his professional endeavours, Wayne's passion for Tasmania's natural heritage and outdoor pursuits shines through. Whether guiding anglers through the tranquil waters of our inland fisheries or advocating for responsible game management, Wayne's advocacy extends to preserving Tasmania's unique environmental treasures for generations to come.

Now, semi-retired and nestled in the embrace of his beloved Central Highlands, Wayne continues to champion the causes close to his heart alongside his wife, Tracey. Together, they epitomize a shared commitment to safeguarding Tasmania's cultural heritage and way of life.

Wayne Turale's candidacy isn't just about politics—it's a solemn pledge to protect the very essence of Tasmania's soul. Join us in supporting Wayne as he embarks on a journey to preserve our cherished Central Highlands and uphold the values that define us as Tasmanians.