

Canterbury Connected BID Board Election – Night Time Economy

Name	Ian Blackmore
Business name	The Jolly Sailor
Position	Owner/Director
Business Address	75 Northgate, Canterbury, Kent, CT1 1BA
Category	Night Time Economy General
Seconded	Sarah Wharton, Proprietor, 925 Silver

I believe I would be a suitable member of the BID Board because

As a current serving BID Board member, I am proud of the positive impact we have made on Canterbury and would like to continue to serve our business community and city as a whole.

As a committee member of the city's only Area Traders Association, The King's Mile TA, I am well placed to represent that area of the city.

I am also a Director of the District Watch shop and pub scheme and have served on the Purple Flag committee many years so I feel I am well placed to continue representing the night time economy.

Name	Blake McCaskill
Business name	Republic Events Ltd
Position	Director
Business Address	Office 3, 21 St Dunstan's, Canterbury CT2 8BH
Category	Night Time Economy General
Seconded	Dan Grimwood, Owner, The Refectory

I believe I would be a suitable member of the BID Board because

Having set up business in Canterbury 13 years ago, I have a really good knowledge and understanding of its late night businesses.

I also feel I would bring diversity to the Board, in that my business serves mainly young people and students.

I am experienced in working with any stakeholders at the same time. There will be parallels between working with different venues at once, and with many BID Businesses at once.

And lastly, I love Canterbury and am passionate about its development.