



## STEVE TONKIN

## Chair of the Board, Finance, Audit and Compliance Committee Member

Steve Tonkin recently retired as the Principal of Tonkin Accounting, a CPA, business consulting and taxation practice in Tea Tree Gully, South Australia. His professional life spans over 40 years and he remains in the practice as a mentor to a young professional team.

Steve has been a member of the Maxima Board for over 22 years and has served as Chairman, Deputy Chair and Chair of the Finance and Audit Committee.

Steve's commitment to youth employment and training, the disability sector and indigenous employment is also demonstrated by his role as founding member of the Northeast Development Agency and the Northeast Vocational College Board on which he has served for over 32 years having retired in September 2024. The College currently has over 1100 apprentices in training in a variety of construction disciplines.

Steve served as a Member and Chair of the Finance Committee on the Board of King's Baptist Grammar School during the early years of its development. In recognition of this work, Steve was awarded Life Membership of the School.

Steve is a Fellow of CPA Australia, a Member of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and a Member of the Tax Institute as a Chartered Tax Advisor.

Over the past five years Steve has been involved with SA Blind Cricket as a committee member. His youngest son has a severe vision impairment and blind cricket has proven to be an incredible sporting and social outlet, enabling a continuation of team activity and in the creation of a new and incredibly strong friendship group. Steve

is actively engaged in both local and interstate activities acting in a support capacity for club games and interstate competitions.

## Steve's academic and professional qualifications include:

» Bachelor of Arts in Accountancy, South Australian Institute of Technology

## Steve's current board and committee positions:

» SA Blind Cricket, Committee Member