

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Port Phillip City Council 2020
WARD (if applicable)	Gateway Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	JAMES, Earl

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council?

(maximum 50 words)

I want to live in a wonderful municipality that is a vibrant, safe and welcoming place for all. I will bring this about by advocating for improved active transport, more housing options and affordable childcare. If you share my vision this October Elect Earl, that's me.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?

Provide details (maximum 50 words)

I have been teaching economics for almost 20 years. In my job as an organiser I negotiate superior outcomes for teachers. I live in Port Melbourne and work in South Melbourne while my daughter goes to school locally. As a local, I will be here to listen to your needs.

Have you read the current Council Plan for the council named above?	Yes
Have you read the current Councillor Code of Conduct for the council named above?	Yes
Are you endorsed by a registered political party? Note: <i>Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002.</i> If yes, provide the name of the registered political party.	Yes
Are you currently a Councillor?	No
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office? Note: <i>Council meetings means Council meetings referred to in section 61 of the Local Government Act 2020 but does not include meetings held for which a Councillor has been granted leave from attending by the Council.</i>	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> Earl.james@vic.greens.org.au 0466596599	

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