Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Bayside City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Boyd Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	BARCA, Christine

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (maximum 50 words)

Bayside is an inclusive community that encourages active participation and connection for all its' members through facilitating a range of activities and promoting agency; plans agreed projects which incorporate sustainable approaches for open space, for the environment and building structures and infrastructure for the short and long term.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor? *Provide details (maximum 50 words)*

Constituent Representation: Ability to listen, represent, build and maintain effective relationships with constituents. Communication and Interpersonal: Empathetic and compassionate. Enjoy motivating and inspiring others to successfully achieve agreed outcomes. Creative, lateral and inclusive approach to resolving complex Issues. Ability to stay calm and work under pressure, organised, adaptable and flexible.

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: Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002. If yes, provide the name of the registered political party.	No
Are you currently a Councillor?	No
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office?	
Note: 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.	

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