

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Colac Otway Shire Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Colac Otway Shire Council
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	WIGLEY, Rhea Sabine

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

My vision for the Colac Otway Shire is a connected, thriving community that supports small businesses, invests in infrastructure, and ensures every voice is heard. I aim to balance our rich history with sustainable growth, providing opportunities for future generations while preserving our natural environment and local heritage

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

As a business owner and hairdresser, I've honed strong communication, leadership, and analytical skills. My experience with the Chamber of Commerce and local community engagement has prepared me to navigate statutory decision-making, advocate for underrepresented voices, and approach challenges with creativity, passion, and a commitment to accountability.

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.	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: <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> Rhea Sabine Wigley, Sabine Hair Alchemy, 88 Murray Street Colac. rhea@sabinehairalchemy.com	

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