

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Greater Geelong City Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Barrabool Hills Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	McGINNESS, David

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

I want to see the City of Greater Geelong as a leader of inclusivity, that attracts and creates a diverse and a vibrant community. A place that respects traditional owners, with a sustainable economy that builds community value, provides social and affordable housing whilst maintaining our social infrastructure and services.

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

*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*

I have had over 35 years management experience holding senior finance, governance and workplace relations positions in private industry, including serving on boards as director and company secretary for over 25 years. I have developed governance systems and prepared strategic plans, skills that will assist in the role of Councillor.

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? <b>Note:</b> <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? <b>Note:</b> <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> Mobile: 0499 234 869 Email: davidm4barraboolhills@gmail.com Mail: PO Box 6072 Highton 3216	

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