## **Candidate Questionnaire and Answers**

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COUNCIL	Cardinia Shire Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Toomuc Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	DAVIES, Stephanie Marie

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (maximum 50 words) A thriving community, that is connected and safe. That Cardinia's residents enjoy the highest standards in service delivery, responsible financial management and forward planning. I believe in honesty, integrity and doing the right thing, and that the Council is efficient, effective, accountable and earns the trust of the community.

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

I've had great success in one term on Council, and 17 years in engineering roles in state and local government. I am well-practiced navigating the bureaucracy, solving problems so my residents get fair outcomes. I listen, I take a questioning approach and prioritise a culture that respects the community voice.

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?	Yes	
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.	>90%	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> 0402 749 270 - stephaniemdavies@gmail.com - PO Box 251 Officer Vic 3809 - https://www.facebook.com/StephanieDaviesForToomuc/		
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