

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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| COUNCIL | Greater Shepparton City Council 2024 |
| WARD (if applicable) | Poplar Ward |
| CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper) | SPINKS, Sam |

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

I want to make Greater Shepparton the best it can be - economically, socially and environmentally. I believe in a Greater Shepparton that is inclusive, accessible, and liveable for all, that gets the basics right and that leads the way for its people and its future.

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

Provide details (maximum 50 words)

I've spent the past 4 years working hard as your Councillor and current Deputy Mayor, and I'm ready to work hard for another 4. I believe in working together for the benefit of our region and our people, and I believe in good decision making - economically, socially and environmentally.

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| 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? | Yes |
| 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> | >90% |
| What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> I can be contacted anytime by emailing - sam.spinks@hotmail.com or by calling or messaging - 0432 555 219. | |

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