

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Bayside City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Ebden Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	EVANS, Laurence

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)
 My vision is encapsulated in Bayside's 2050 community vision. It focuses on a liveable and inclusive community with increased and enhanced open space whilst keeping to the State Government's rate capping policy. As a retired Architect I believe in good planning and respectful built environment outcomes.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?
Provide details (maximum 50 words)
 I am an experienced Independent, accessible local government Councillor. Councillor of the City of Sandringham 1984 - 1991 - Mayor 1990/1991 Councillor of the City of Bayside 2012 - 2024 - Mayor 2013/2014, 2017/2018 and 2020/2021. I am not, nor have been a member of any Political party. I represent our local community.

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? <small>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.</small>	No
Are you currently a Councillor?	Yes
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office? <small>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.</small>	>90%
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> Email: laurenceevans2401@icloud.com Mobile: 0414 399 540	

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