

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Darebin City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	North Central Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	HELMY, Mohammad

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)
 Our community cares about our neighbours, human values and our local environment. Together we can continue building a supportive, vibrant and diverse community where everyone has a voice. I envision a council that boldly addresses the big issues through local action and advocates for residents' aspirations.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?
Provide details (maximum 50 words)
 As an experienced water engineer, human rights activist, community volunteer and a person of colour, I understand how public organisations function and how to engage with diverse people and community groups to ensure that representative, fact-based and cost-effective decisions are made that put our community first.

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.</small> If yes, provide the name of the registered political party.	Yes Australian Greens
Are you currently a Councillor?	No
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>	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> email: mohammad.helmy@vic.greens.org.au 0480 748 937	

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