

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Melton City Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Hilltop Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	VERDON, John

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

My Vision for the municipality is to have a supported and inclusive community that celebrates diversity. A municipality that provides needed services and facilities for all residents that meet their needs. My vision includes a connected community well supported via road infrastructure that supports our schools and public assets.

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

I currently work in the education sector and understand the pressures placed on our education sector better than most. I have had the opportunity to work in the building regulatory environment and school planning space. This provides me valuable insight on how decisions are made at all levels of government

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> John Verdon mrjohnverdonhilltopward@gmail.com 0407366691	

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