

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Port Phillip City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Alma Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	GROSS, Dick

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)
 My vision is to return Port Phillip to a leadership position in arts, culture and business vitality. I want to improve our resilience to climate change. I want to ensure that the basic services of street cleaning and waste management are not the poor performers they currently are. Do better!!

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?
Provide details (maximum 50 words)
 I was the President of Local Government in Victoria. I have had a long service at Port Phillip (though not on the current council which is a mess) and have been four time mayor. I have taught climate change for over a decade at Melbourne Uni. Unique expertise and experience.

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?	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> My address is 18 Irymple Ave, St Kilda. Mobile is 0411446167. My email is dickgross@bigpond.com	

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