

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Nillumbik Shire Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Wingrove Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	O'CALLAGHAN, Roma

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)  
 Nillumbik is where people can live at all stages of their lives in small interconnected communities which support the green wedge environment; in an economy based on micro-businesses in the arts, health services and hospitality; and where life-long learning and physical and mental wellbeing thrive.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?  
*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*  
 73 years of family life; 18 years post secondary study; 40 years living in Nillumbik; a career including 30 years as a professional officer/manager in local government then 7 years as a trainer/coach, and always a pro-active community member.

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><b>Note:</b> 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><b>Note:</b> 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> romaruns4wingrove@gmail.com	

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