

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Surf Coast Shire Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Torquay Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	PATTISON, Liz

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)  
 My vision for Torquay is to foster a Healthy, Connected Community by enhancing social connections, addressing climate change, and improving accessibility with better footpaths and bike paths. I'll be mindful of cost of living pressures, ensuring efficient use of resources while delivering excellent local services and fostering a supportive community.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?  
*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*  
 With four years on Council, including two as Mayor, my leadership and strategic thinking, combined with decades of engineering experience, equipped me to represent our community on Council. My connection through my children, volunteering, and regional leadership roles, further strengthens my commitment to our Shire.

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?	Yes
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>	>90%
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> Email: <a href="mailto:hello@liz-pattison.com">hello@liz-pattison.com</a> Mobile: 0402328546 website: <a href="http://liz-pattison.com">liz-pattison.com</a> Facebook: @liz.pattison.surf.coast Instagram: #liz.pattison.surf.coast	

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