Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Whitehorse City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Cootamundra Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	LEEREVELD, Nyssa

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? *(maximum 50 words)* My vision for Whitehorse is a vibrant, inclusive, and sustainable community where everyone feels heard and represented. I aim to create affordable housing, support local businesses, and enhance green spaces while prioritizing climate action and protecting our natural and cultural heritage. Together, we can build a resilient and thriving future.

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

As a dedicated community advocate and criminology graduate with studies in law, human rights, and ethics, I have a strong foundation in representing the rights of all. My experience in leadership, advocacy, and local engagement equips me to ask tough questions, stand up for what's right, and drive positive change.

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? 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.	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? 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.		
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> You can find more at http://greens.org.au/nyssa-leereveld or reach out at nyssa.leereveld@vic.greens.org.au.		

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