Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Moorabool Shire Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Moorabool Shire Council
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	WARD, Rodney

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

To support population & economic growth via a sustainable & planned framework that protects councils unique rural charm, but allows Moorabool to capitalise on our close links with other regions and cities to deliver economic and tourism benefits. My other key priorities are on community well being & community connection.

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

I have been a resident of Bacchus Marsh since 1985 and have been heavily involved in community & sporting groups as a volunteer for 4 decades. I have also spent over 30 years in professional & leadership roles in Finance, Administration and managing community sport. Community engagement is my passion.

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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.	No
Are you currently a Councillor?	Yes
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office?	>90%
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.	

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What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? Provide details

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