

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Northern Grampians Shire Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Kara Kara Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	PROBST, Karen

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? *(maximum 50 words)*
 To build a community where everyone feels heard and valued. To be approachable and open to consider creative ideas to attract people, businesses and new experiences. To communicate in ways that encourage involvement and sharing of ideas and knowledge.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?
Provide details (maximum 50 words)
 I am passionate in understanding people's life experiences. I continue to learn by asking questions, studying and reading. I look at issues from different views to then analyse, assess and explain. I have run my solicitor's practice for 30 years using my legal, accounting and business skills.

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> ph: 0468 773 478 or email karenkarakara@yahoo.com or post PO Box 183, St Arnaud 3478	

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