Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Merri-bek City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Pascoe Vale South Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	YILDIZ, Oscar

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? *(maximum 50 words)* If elected I pledge to upgrade footpaths, roads, bike paths; remove graffiti and dumped rubbish; green and improve parks; increase childcare/kindergarten places; redevelop sports pavilions; improve home support services; address youth issues; increase road safety; advocate for affordable housing; ensure developments are appropriate and support businesses.

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

Since 2008 as Mayor, Deputy Mayor and Councillor, I've demonstrated honesty without ambiguity and delivered on my election promises. Under my leadership residents have seen an increase in funding for infrastructure, open space, roads, parks, sporting facilities, the elderly, youth and more.

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: <i>Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002.</i> 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? 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.	>90%	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> Mobile: 0413 850 357 Email: contact@oscaryildiz.com.au Instagram: oscaryildiz4pascoevale Facebook: oscaryildiz4pascoevale Twitter: @oscarYILDIZVIC LinkedIN: Cr Oscar YildizJP		

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