## **Candidate Questionnaire and Answers**

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COUNCIL	Maribyrnong City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	River Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	McDONALD, Cameron

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

Commonsense council - Focus on what we can do and don't get distracted. Supporting local business - be easier to deal with. Open space and bike paths - more and better linked. Heritage - fiercely protect and improve what we have. Community and Volunteers - More help and structure for these groups.

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

I was a councillor / mayor from 2012 to 2016 and have been running my small business for 21 yrs. My strength is getting things done. Dale stables, Coulson Gardens and Pipemakers Park show what is achievable when you have a common goal. Good council functions best with conversation and compromise.

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?	No
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office?	
<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.	

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