

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Macedon Ranges Shire Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	West Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	PEARCE, Janet

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

Active community involvement in all aspects of life here and Council partnering with the community in its processes and decision-making. Ensuring our Shire continues to be a wonderful place to live and everyone feels connected and supported. Balancing the community, business and the environmental needs now and in the future.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?

*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*

Councillor in the Macedon Ranges for the last eight years and Council delegate on many committees. Graduate and member of Australian Institute of Company Directors (GAICD). Continuing education, conferences and training related to Local Government. Current and past Board experiences including the Victorian Local Governance Association (VLGA).

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? <b>Note:</b> 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? <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.	>90%
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> Janet Pearce email: jpearce66@bigpond.com Mobile: 0400 230 431 Facebook: @JanetPearceforWestWard Instagram: janetpearce4westward	

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