Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Melbourne City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Councillors
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	BERIH, Barry

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

"My vision for the City of Melbourne is a thriving, inclusive community where everyone has access to quality public housing, meaningful employment, and robust support services. I aim to champion sustainability, enhance accessibility, and create opportunities for young people, ensuring our city remains vibrant, diverse, and resilient for future generations

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

As a dedicated community advocate with over 12 years of experience in youth work and as the founder of a non-profit supporting young Australians, I bring a deep understanding of public housing, disability rights, and youth employment. My experience and strong community ties will guide my work as a Councillor.

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.	Yes
Australian Greens	
Are you currently a Councillor?	No
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.	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? Provide details	

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