

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Banyule City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Sherbourne Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	GIOVAS, Michelle

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? *(maximum 50 words)*
 Banyule is a connected, healthy, caring community where we can thrive. We have well maintained and planned neighbourhoods, beautiful green spaces, parklands and facilities. Our local centres are sustainable and vibrant. Our council is trusted and respected through listening to you and providing the services you want fairly and efficiently

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?
Provide details (maximum 50 words)
 Applied Science/Environmental Sustainability tertiary qualifications. Expertise in compliance, risk management and governance. I regularly speak at Council meetings for greater transparency and accountability. I sit on Council's Environmental Committee (BECAAC) and Municipal Health & Wellbeing Plan Working group and a passionate representative on the NELink Project Community Liaison Group

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> My email is michellegiovas@gmail.com My mobile is 0491677365 My webpage ,is michellegiovas.com My facebook page is Michelle Giovas for Sherbourne Ward	

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