

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Latrobe City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Tyers Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	HOWE, Darren

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

I want our community to be proud of where they live. A City that is expanding with strong planning principles and community involvement, addressing the social, economic, environmental and health factors. My vision is for Latrobe City to be a great place to live, work, invest and visit.

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

Provide details (maximum 50 words)

I have extensive experience operating a small business in Latrobe City. I have been involved with several community and sporting groups, as well as being a Councillor for eight years, twice being Deputy Mayor, and Mayor for the last 12 months. I have learnt to listen, listen, then act.

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: <i>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.</i>	>90%
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> Darren Howe Phone: 0409 930 300 Email: darrenh@seymourstnews.com.au	

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