

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Melbourne City Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Leadership Team
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	WOOD, Arron

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

A revitalised economy and a safer, cleaner, greener, more accessible city that rises again to be one of the World's Most Livable Cities, as previously for 7 years running. A city where communities thrive, supported by the facilities and services they need, delivered through robust fiscal management of Council expenditure.

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

*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*

As a small business leader for 20 years, former Deputy Mayor and Acting Lord Mayor for City of Melbourne and a resident and ratepayer in the City of Melbourne, I have the civic, community and business leadership skills for the role of Lord Mayor.

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> <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?	No
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office? <b>Note:</b> <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>	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> c/o Steve Michelson 0427 906 100	

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