

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	East Gippsland Shire Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	East Gippsland Shire Council
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	EASTMAN, Joanne

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)
 A vibrant and prosperous region with thriving communities and towns and people who look out for each other and feel understood, appreciated, valued and supported by Council.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?
Provide details (maximum 50 words)
 I have qualifications in business, education and personal and executive coaching. I've taught accounting, business management and legal studies, run successful Indigenous training and employment programs, farmed, and worked in strategic planning and emergency management. I value local knowledge and practicable, self-sustaining and environmentally and economically viable solutions to problems.

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> Email: voteforjoanneeastman@outlook.com Phone: 0494 130 879 Address: PO Box 1002, Bairnsdale, 3875	

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