

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Brimbank City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Cherry Creek Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	O'REILLY, Thomas

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

I envision a Brimbank that is more beautiful, safer, and resourced. I stand for an inclusive and transparent Council that is community first; emphasising the importance of amenities, services, sustainable developments, and open spaces to enhance the quality of life for all residents.

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

As volunteer, educator and community member; I've gained a strong appreciation for the various needs within our community. Engaging with diverse groups at grassroots levels has helped me develop strong communication skills and a deep understanding of diverse perspectives. Brimbank Councillor since 2023, former Youth Councillor, Community Leadership Program alumni.

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>	75 – 90%
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> Email - thomasoreillyau@gmail.com Phone - 0435-365-031	

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