

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Manningham City Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Schramm Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	BAE, James

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

I aim to preserve our community's unique lifestyle while enhancing essential services and inclusivity. This includes halting overdevelopment, freezing council rates to ease financial pressures, focusing on local issues, improving our roads, upgrading parks and playgrounds, and expanding our library's multicultural collections to better serve our diverse community.

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

*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*

As a father and husband, I understand the everyday challenges families face. With proven leadership and business acumen in growing a successful legal practice, I have experience in managing resources efficiently and delivering results. My practical approach ensures that community needs are addressed effectively and responsibly.

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> <a href="https://jamesbae.au/contact/">https://jamesbae.au/contact/</a>	

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