Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Wangaratta Rural City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Ovens Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	SHENFIELD, Rebecca

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

Council shows strong leadership and governance in how it engages with, listens to and responds to the views and concerns of its residents, business owners and visitors. This will be demonstrated through behaviour and decision making which is accountable, responsible, considered, inclusive and community focused.

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

As a farmer and town planner, I have the skills to hear and understand community concerns regarding their social, built, natural and economic environments. I understand the role of local government and the legislative requirements it is governed by, and I have the confidence and integrity to make informed decisions.

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: 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.	No
Are you currently a Councillor?	No
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office?	
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