## **Candidate Questionnaire and Answers**

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COUNCIL	Port Phillip City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Balaclava Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	KATS, Alex

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

The City of Port Phillip is one of the most vibrant in Victoria, but it has not always lived up to its promise. I hope that it continues to be vibrant, welcoming, attractive to residents and businesses, and a worthy destination for visitors.

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

I am collaborative by nature, I am passionate about the place in which I live, I have worked in public policy and specifically within a national local government advocacy agency, and I am very open to listening to people with a wide range of opinions.

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?	
<b>Note:</b> 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.	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? Provide details	

Web: linktr.ee/alexkats; Email: alexkats4balaclava@gmail.com; Phone: 0414 765613

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