## **Candidate Questionnaire and Answers**

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COUNCIL	Manningham City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Waldau Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	LAI, Raymond

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? *(maximum 50 words)* My vision for Manningham is an open and efficient council that listens, understands, and acts on the issues that matter most to the residents and businesses. While supporting Smart Development and Not Over-Development, we want to maintain our Green Wedge protections. It is essential we safeguard our natural environment.

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

With past role of a member in a committee for a large residential community and also living in Manningham for over 30 years, I will listen and consider the view of the community and also represent the interests of the municipal community in that decision making.

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? 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.	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> Email: raymondtmlai@outlook.com Mobile: 0480102883 Facebook: RaymondLai4Manningham	

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