## **Candidate Questionnaire and Answers**

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COUNCIL	Bass Coast Shire Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Island Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	SILVA, Darrell

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

My vision for Bass Coast and particularly Phillip Island covers three areas; Transparent and accountable decision making. Policies and straegies based on community consultation. Deliver financially sustainable infrastructure and services for Bass Coast and Phillip Island residents and visitors alike.

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

Financial expertise with Master of Applied Finance. Cultural sensitivity from consulting in different nations and cultures in a global marketing role. Analytical thinking from a science background. Skilled collaborator from managing and working with diverse teams across the globe

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)? <i>Provide details</i>	1

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