## **Candidate Questionnaire and Answers**

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COUNCIL	Frankston City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Elisabeth Murdoch Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	WANAT, Cherie

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

A progressive, proactive, inclusive, and safe community that embraces positive change, and makes a real difference. A thriving, beautiful, dynamic environment, that supports local people, pets, valued amenities, businesses and tourism, from the beach, bush and 'burbs. One that empowers individuals, fosters balanced growth, creative ideas, services and community connectedness.

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

Town planner with expertise in consultation, advocacy, and deep understanding of legislation, policy, and procedures. Strong skills in communication, management, and organisation. An active community member, with a diligent, approachable demeanour. Over twenty years' proven experience in collaboration, building positive relationships, facilitating balanced growth, progressive change; with integrity and passion.

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?	
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.	

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