Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Darebin City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	South West Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	POLGLAZE, Kate

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

We need a Council that is dynamic and engaged and represents the diverse voices of the community. As your Councillor, my priorities will be listening and leading with fairness and equity in all decision making and service delivery. Together we can work together to ensure community needs come first.

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

I'm an experienced healthcare administrator and currently serve as both the union delegate and health and safety representative at work; I value continuous improvement through advocacy, proactive problem solving, and attention to detail. I've also been a university tutor in biomedical science; I know how to conduct research.

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. Australian Labor Party	Yes
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)? Provide details

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