

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Brimbank City Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Copernicus Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	HAVELAS, Aristeia

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)  
 My vision for Brimbank is for our residents to feel less isolated, and more connected. To bring that vision to light, I will advocate for, and implement additional community initiatives, programs, services, and resources. Through this, I will build local rapport, continue collaborating with our residents, and increase community participation.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?  
*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*  
 Pursuing tertiary studies in Criminology and Languages, has enabled me to critically think, analyse, and evaluate a situation / task, before reaching a decision / solution. As a person, I am open-minded, an active listener, and a team player. I value open-communication, and collaboration, especially when conversing with staff, and our residents.

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? <small><b>Note:</b> 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.</small>	No
Are you currently a Councillor?	No
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office? <small><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.</small>	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> aristea havelas   copernicusward@gmail.com	

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