

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	South Gippsland Shire Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Coastal-Promontory Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	GILLIGAN, Sarah

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)
 South Gippsland is at the centre of the national energy transition and is in a place to take advantage of the economic opportunities that come with change. I see a future where our character, agriculture and the environment are protected whilst welcoming new industry, jobs and growth.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?
Provide details (maximum 50 words)
 I am a strategic thinker, an experienced councillor and exceptional advocate for community who loves all of South Gippsland, even the messy bits. I listen deeply, research thoroughly, and am unafraid to speak up. Expertise in strategic planning, audit and risk will be a major asset to the council team.

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>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.</small>	No
Are you currently a Councillor?	Yes
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office? <small>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.</small>	75 – 90%
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> sarah@theboltcutter 0419 200 550	

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