Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Whitehorse City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Walker Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	GAUT, Stephanie

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (maximum 50 words)	
To create a more connected, vibrant and informed Whitehorse commun	ty

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 lawyer, admitted in 2018 and currently work in State Government to ensure public land safety across Melbourne. I manage multi-million dollar projects and support improved policy along our coasts and to manage contaminated land. I have experience developing open space networks and have previously worked in communications.

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.	

What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? *Provide details*Join the conversation via my Facebook page 'Stephanie Gaut for Walker Ward - Whitehorse City Council', or email gaut.stephanie@gmail.com

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