

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Stonnington City Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Wattletree Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	BATAGOL, Nicki

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)  
 To create a welcoming, safe and inclusive community where Council decisions are made transparently and informed by strong community engagement. Where planning decisions respect the character of our neighbourhoods, open space is maximised, our local businesses are thriving and we are delivering the basic services efficiently and effectively.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?  
*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*  
 A Councillor since 2020, I understand the role and how to achieve real change. Combined with my community leadership roles (Board Member for various national mental health organisations) and my commercial skills gained as a management consultant, I know how to collaborate with others to deliver a positive sustainable impact.

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?	Yes
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>	>90%
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> 0451 038 944   nicki.batagol@gmail.com   www.nickibatagol.com   @nickibatagol (facebook, instagram, linked in)	

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