

# Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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<b>COUNCIL</b>	Melton City Council 2024
<b>WARD</b> (if applicable)	Stringybark Ward
<b>CANDIDATE'S NAME</b> (as on ballot paper)	DE SANTIS, Nib

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

I wish to see Melton prosper and grow into a well planned and liveable community. It must also have the necessary infrastructure to sustain its residents and green open spaces for families to enjoy. Electrified rail services and a major Hospital are both vital for Melton's extensive and growing communities.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?

*Provide details (maximum 50 words)*

I have post graduate degrees in Community Development and Social Policy. I have been a Board member of numerous corporate bodies and have been a member of both Apex and Rotary international services Clubs. I have also had significant involvement in Hope St. (youth homelessness) and Christ Church (Melton).

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? <b>Note:</b> <i>Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002.</i> 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? <b>Note:</b> <i>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.</i>	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> nibdesantis1@gmail.com	

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