

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Casey City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	River Gum Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	SMITH, Wayne

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

I'm very aware of hardships our residents are experiencing in our economic crisis - I'll do my best to ensure that Council manages budgets responsibly while ensuring that basic services & programs are maintained. I'm committed to supporting equality and recognition of all, regardless of race, faith, gender, sexuality & ability!

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

Provide details (maximum 50 words)

Casey has been without democratically elected representation for far too long. I commit to be a true representative of River Gum Ward residents and promise to listen to all views, be visible in the community and approachable/contactable by residents. I'm a teacher, a parent & grand-parent and active community volunteer.

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)? <i>Provide details</i> Wayne Smith Mob: 0417 389 039 Email: wsmithjp@gmail.com	

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